



# Put Down Roots

Put down on your Scrabble board **WORD ROOTS** that convey a particular description, thought, or meaning (7s then 8s)  
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## 7s [PHON] (sound)

APHONIA	AAHINOP	loss of voice [n -S]
APHONIC	ACHINOP	one affected with aphonia [n -S]
CIPHONY	CHINOPY	electronic scrambling of voice transmissions [n -NIES]
EUPHONY	EHNOPUY	pleasant sound [n -NIES]
PHONATE	AEHNOPT	to produce speech sounds [v -D, -TING, -S]
PHONEME	EEHMNOP	unit of speech [n -S]
PHONERS	EHNOPRS	PHONER, one who calls someone on telephone [n]
PHONICS	CHINOPS	science of sound [n PHONICS]
PHONING	GHINNOP	PHONE, to telephone [v]
PHONONS	HNNOOPS	PHONON, quantum of vibrational energy [n]

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## 8s [PHON] (sound)

ANTIPHON	AHINNOPT	psalm or hymn sung responsively [n -S]
APHONIES	AEHINOPS	APHONY, aphonia (loss of voice) [n]
APOPHONY	AHNOOPY	ablaut (patterned change in root vowels of verb forms) [n -NIES]
DIAPHONE	ADEHINOP	low-pitched foghorn [n -S]
DIAPHONY	ADHINOPY	organum (organon (system of rules for scientific investigation)) [n -NIES]
EARPHONE	AEHNOPT	listening device worn over ear [n -S]
EUPHONIC	CEHINOPU	EUPHONY, pleasant sound [adj]
GEOPHONE	EEGHNOOP	device that detects vibrations in earth [n -S]
PHONEMIC	CEHIMNOP	PHONEME, unit of speech [adj]
PHONETIC	CEHINOPT	pertaining to speech sounds [adj]
SYMPHONY	HMNOPSYY	orchestral composition [n -NIES]