

# A & P Latin Lingo

## 1<sup>st</sup> Six Weeks

### 1-1

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	a-, an-	Without, not	Abiotic, anorexia(w/out appetite)
2.	epi-	Upon	Epidermis
3.	hem-, hemat-	Blood	Hemoglobin, hemorrhage
4.	retro-	Behind	Retroactive
5.	oligo-	Few, scant	Oligarchy
6.	iso-, hom(e)o	Same, equal	Isotonic, homeostasis
7.	poly-	Many	polymorphic
8.	ante-	Before	anterior
9.	post-	After	Post-partum, posterior
10.	hypo-	Below	hypodermic

### 1-2

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	eu-	good	Euphoria
2.	neo-	New	Neonatal
3.	ortho-	Straight, correct	Orthodontist
4.	trans-	Across, through	Transdermal
5.	derm-	Skin	Epidermis
6.	chondr-	Cartilage	Chondrocytes
7.	-itis	Inflammation	Meningitis
8.	-clast	To break or destroy	osteoclast
9.	myel-	Marrow	Myeloid tissue
10.	cephal-	Head, brain	Hydrocephalus

### 1-3

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	corp-	Body	Corpse
2.	gloss-, lingu-	Tongue	Hypoglossal nerve
3.	cut(an)-	Skin	Subcutaneous
4.	osteo-	Bone	Osteoporosis
5.	hepat-	Liver	Hepatic duct
6.	melan-	Black	Melanoma
7.	-ectomy	Cutting out	hysterectomy
8.	-lith	Stone	Fecalith
9.	-oscopy	Viewing	Colonoscopy
10.	brachi-	Arm	Brachialis

## 2nd Six Weeks

### 2-1

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	-crine	Release, secrete	Endocrine
2.	-oid	Like, in the shape of	Sigmoid colon
3.	lig-	To tie or bind	Ligase
4.	leuk-	White	Leukocytes
5.	oto-	Ear	Otolith
6.	ren-	Kidney	Renal
7.	dys-	Bad, disordered	Dysfunction
8.	mal-	Bad	Malignant
9.	brady-	Slow	Bradycardia
10.	-megaly	Enlargement	Acromegaly

### 2-2

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	ped-	Children	Pediatric
2.	my-, myo-	Muscle	Myocardium
3.	-ia, -sia	Condition, process	Anemia
4.	phleb-	Vein	Phlebotomist
5.	-cide	To kill	Homicide
6.	-opia	Vision condition	Myopia
7.	Viscero-	Organ	Visceral fat
8.	-pnea	Breathing	Apnea
9.	arthr-	Joint	Arthritis
10.	eryth-	Red	Erythrocyte

### 2-3

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	enter-	Intestines	Enteritis
2.	ov-, oo-	Egg	Oocyte
3.	onco-	Cancer	Oncologist
4.	rhino-	Nose	Rhinitis
5.	gest-	To carry	Gestation
6.	tachy-	Fast	Tachycardia
7.	esthe-	Sensation	anesthesia
8.	-ostomy	Formation of opening	colostomy
9.	-genesis	Creation or production	Spermatogenesis
10.	-oma	Tumor	Carcinoma

## 3rd Six Weeks

### 3-1

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	auto-	Self	Autoimmune
2.	endo-	Within	Endoscope
3.	ex-, exo-	Out of, out from	Excise
4.	-osis	Condition, process	Mitosis
5.	mes-	Middle	Mesoderm
6.	acro-	Extremity	acroanesthesia
7.	hyster-, metro-	Uterus	Hysterectomy
8.	nephr-	Kidney	Nephron
9.	men-, mens-	Month	menstruation
10.	cerv-	Neck	Cervical vertebra

### 3-2

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	-centesis	Piercing	Amniocentesis
2.	gastr-	Stomach	Gastritis
3.	-plegia	Paralysis	Paraplegic
4.	pharm-	Drug	Pharmacist
5.	pino-	Drink	pinocytosis
6.	hapl-	Single	Haploid
7.	gluc-, gly-	Sugar, glucose	Glycemic index
8.	-arche	To begin, origin	Menarche
9.	calc-	Calcium, limestone	Calcification
10.	pod-	Foot	Podiatrist

### 3-3

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	crypt-	Hidden	Encrypted
2.	-plasm	Substance or matter	Cytoplasm
3.	infra-	Below, beneath	Infrastructure
4.	meta-	Beyond, after	Metastasis
5.	hemi-	Half	Hemisphere
6.	dendr-	Tree, branched	Dendrite
7.	glomer-	Wound into ball	Glomerulus
8.	-ule	Small, little	Miniscule
9.	-phrahm	Partition	Diaphragm
10.	spiro-, -spire	Breathe	respiration

## 4th Six Weeks

### 4-1

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	ocul-	Eye	Ocular
2.	bar-	Pressure, weight	Barimetric
3.	kin-	To move, divide	Cytokinesis
4.	muta-	Change	Mutation
5.	path-	Disease	Pathologist
6.	sarco-	Flesh, muscle	Sarcomere
7.	psych-	Mind	Psychiatrist
8.	-plasty	To make or shape	Rhinoplasty
9.	varic-	Enlarged vessel	Varicose
10.	poie-	To make, produce	Hematopoietic

### 4-2

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	pyro-	Heat, fever	Pyromaniac
2.	sin-	Cavity, recess	Sinus
3.	tox-	Poison	Neurotoxin
4.	vas-	Vessel, duct	Vascular
5.	-lemma	Rind, peel	Sarcolemma
6.	pyo-	pus	Pyoderma
7.	soma-	Body	Psychosomatic
8.	lip-	Fat	Lipid
9.	dactyl-	Finger, toes	Polydactyl
10.	thromb-	Clot	Thrombosis

### 4-3

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	lys-	To break apart	Cytolysis
2.	-lac	Milk	Lactation
3.	-mort	Death	Mortician
4.	-meter	To measure	Thermometer
5.	-scler	Hardness	Arteriosclerosis
6.	thorac-	Chest	Thoracic
7.	-uria	Pertaining to urine	Glycosuria
8.	rigor-	Stiffness	Rigormortis
9.	-troph	Growth	Atrophy
10.	vacci-	Cow	Vaccine

## 5th Six Weeks

### 5-1

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	vita-, vivi-	Alive, life	Viviparous
2.	-algia	Pain	Neuralgia
3.	angio-	Vessel	Angioplasty
4.	diastol-	Relax, stand apart	Diastolic
5.	systole-	Contract, stand together	Systolic
6.	cuspid-	Point	Bicuspid Valve
7.	-flux	Flow	Influx
8.	sept-	Contamination	Septic, Sepsis
9.	lymph-	Fluid	Lymphatic
10.	peptide	Protein	Peptiglycogen

### 5-2

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	coxa-	Hip	Coxal
2.	cubitus-	Elbow	Cubital
3.	orchid-	Testes	Cryptorchidism
4.	mamm-, mast-	Breast	Mammogram
5.	-gram	Something written	Angiogram
6.	cyst-	Bladder	Cystitis
7.	ophthal-	Eye	Ophthalmologist
8.	iatr	Treatment	Bariatric
9.	chiro-	Hand	Chiropractic
10.	-rrhea	Flowing	Diarrhea

### 5-3

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	-phrenia	Mental disorder	Schizophrenia
2.	-scope	Picture, inspection	Endoscope
3.	-ptosis	Dropping down	Renal Ptosis
4.	-olysis	Breakdown	Hydrolysis
5.	peri-	Outer	Pericarditis
6.	aster-	Star	Asteroid
7.	lacrima-	Tear	Lacrimal Canal
8.	circum-	Around	Circumvent
9.	-penia	Lack of	Sarcopenia
10.	echo-	Reflection of sound	Echocardiogram

## 6th Six Weeks

### 6-1

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	-plasia	Abnormal growth	Dysplasia
2.	athero	Fatty plaque	Atherosclerosis
3.	papillo-	Small elevation of tissue	Dermal Papillae
4.	adeno-	Gland	Adenoid
5.	pleuro	Lung cavity	Pleurisies
6.	blephar-	Eyelid	Blepharoptosis
7.	lunar-	Moon shaped	Lunula
8.	-dema	Swelling	Edema
9.	-malacia	Softening	Osteomalacia
10.	-cele	Swelling, buldging	Cystocele

### 6-2

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	pyelo -	Bowl of the kidney	Pyelonephritis
2.	inter-	Between	Interlobular
3.	lapro-, abdomi-	Abdomen	Laparoscopy
4.	chol-	Bile	Cholangiohepatitis
5.	-lepsy	Seizure	Epilepsy
6.	-hydrate	Containing water	Carbohydrate
7.	-blast	Sprout, to make	Osteoblast
8.	occult-	Hidden	Occult Blood
9.	-tension	Pressure	Hypertension
10.	spino-	Spinal	Cerebrospinal

### 6-3

	Prefix/Suffix	Meaning	Example
1.	dips-	Thirst	Dipsesis
2.	dipl-	Twofold, double	Diploid
3.	-otomy	To cut	Lobotomy
4.	-ic, -ac	Pertaining to	Insomniac
5.	pro-	To come before	Protrusion
6.	gyne-	Woman	Gynecologist
7.	stric-	Narrowing	Constriction
8.	ecto-	Outside	Ectopic
9.	carpo-	Wrist	Carpal Tunnel
10.	colp	Vagina	Colposcopy