

What do you think the roots
prim, prin, & proto signify?

As we go through these slides, analyze each vocabulary word and think about the meaning of these roots.

principle

(noun) a basic truth; “the first source”

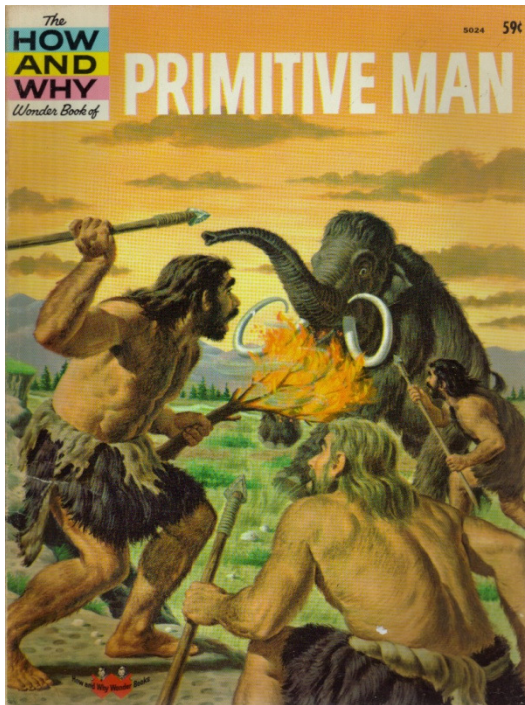


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These five principles guide any good leader.

primitive

- (adjective) 1) **first:** relating to or occurring at the first stages or form of something
2) with simple technological development



Primitive man hunted for food.

This primitive village in Peru has no electricity or running water.

primacy

(noun) **the state of utmost importance or strength;
the state of being first**

**First of all, and most
importantly...**

...
And finally...



Primacy and recency are two important things to remember in a debate. The audience might not remember the whole argument, but they'll remember the first thing you said, and the last thing you said.

prototype

(noun) the **first, original used as model**: the original form of something, which has the basic features and is the model for later forms



Nissan created this prototype of an all-electric car in August 2008.

primeval

(adjective) belonging to the first, earliest time



Primeval forests are also called old growth forests and contain very old trees.

prince

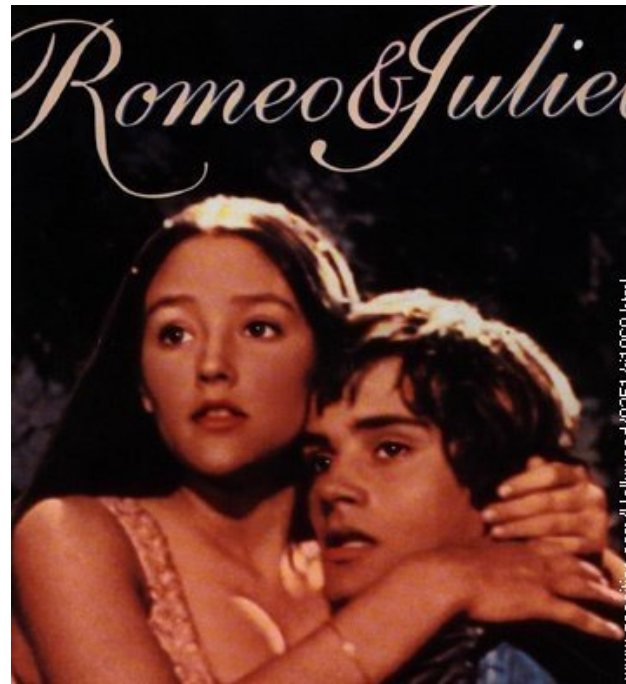
(noun) the son or grandson of a king; “first man; chief ruler”



Prince William and Prince Harry are the sons of Prince Charles and Lady Diana.

protagonist

(noun) **main character:** the most important character in a novel, play, story, or other literary work; the actor who plays the chief or first part



The protagonists in *Romeo and Juliet* are the title characters.

principality

(noun)

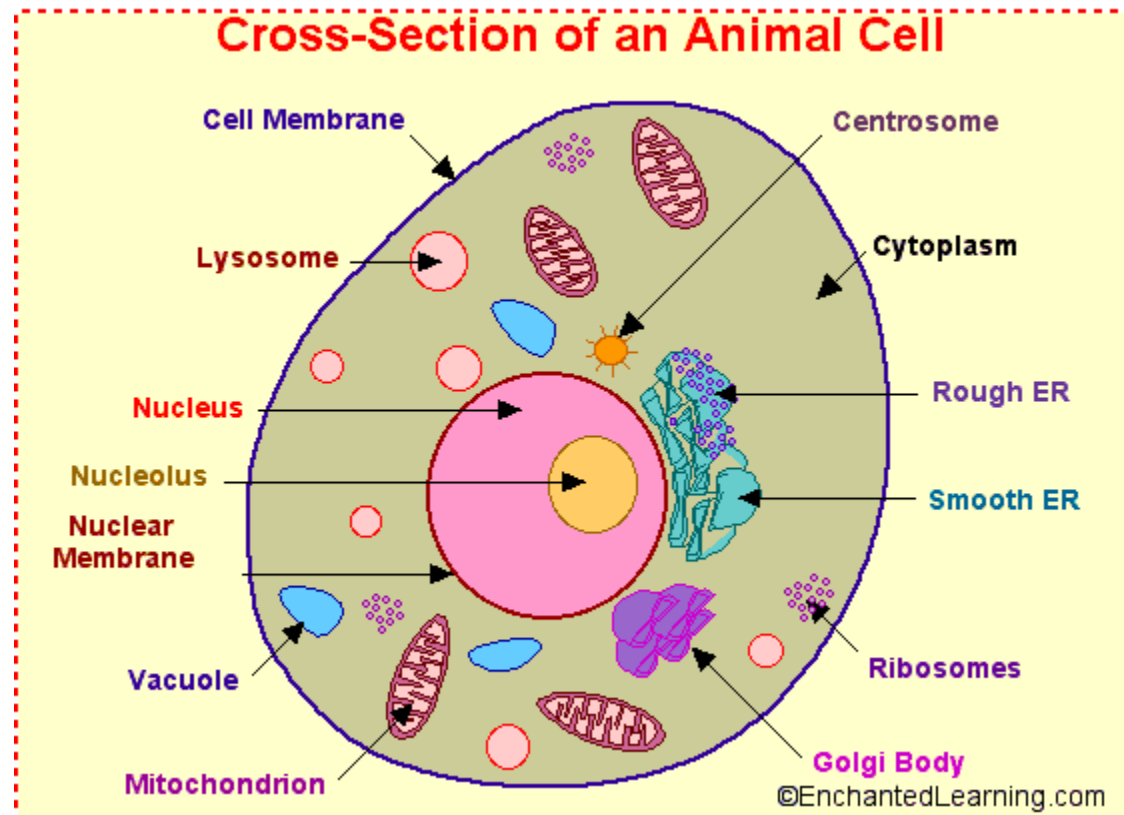
a small territory that is ruled by a prince; region ruled by the “first ruler”



Monaco is a European principality ruled by Prince Ranier III.

protoplasm

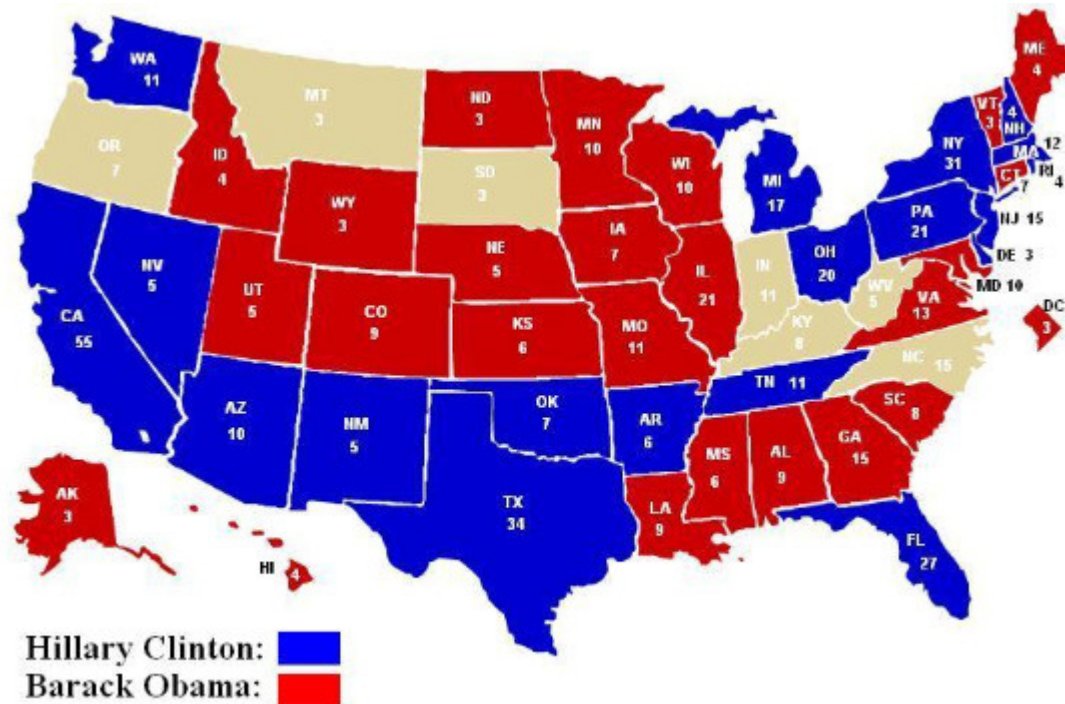
(noun) the contents of a living cell; meaning “first formed”



The contents of a cell are called the protoplasm.

primary

(adjective) first, most important, most basic



The primary election for the Democratic nominee was the first election, held to choose between Clinton and Obama.

What do you think the roots
prim, prin, & proto mean?



first

Shhhhh! Don't say it yet; just think about it.