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Spelling Vocabulary H5

ANSWER KEY

Latin Roots: ambul, anim, bene, cap, cur · Social Studies: The Constitution

Read each definition. Write the spelling word that matches it.

1. **capacity** — how much a container can hold
2. **benevolent** — kind and generous
3. **compromise** — an agreement where each side gives a little
4. **captivate** — to hold attention
5. **judiciary** — the court system
6. **procure** — to get
7. **capture** — to catch
8. **benefactor** — a person who gives help
9. **unanimous** — agreed by all
10. **ambulance** — a vehicle for the sick or hurt
11. **preamble** — an introduction to a document
12. **delegate** — a representative
13. **amendment** — a change added to a law
14. **ratify** — to approve officially
15. **legislature** — the lawmaking branch
16. **accurate** — correct and exact
17. **animate** — to bring to life
18. **republic** — a nation where people elect leaders
19. **federalism** — power shared by national and state government
20. **curator** — a person in charge of a museum collection

WORD BANK

benevolent	judiciary	ratify	amendment
delegate	procure	capture	legislature
unanimous	accurate	ambulance	federalism
benefactor	compromise	animate	captivate
republic	capacity	preamble	curator