

# ETYMOLOGY CHART

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*Etymology: the history of a word*

Name	Language	Meaning
Abaddon	Hebrew (Biblical references)	devil, Hell, destruction
Dracos	Latin Greek (related: draconian)	dragon law-giver
Terra	Latin	Earth, land
Primos	Latin	first, at the beginning
Voracity	Latin	extreme appetite, greed

## GLOSSARY

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**Bountiful:** large in quantity; plentiful

**Cobra:** a venomous snake from Asia or Africa that expands the skin of its neck into a hood

**Deposits:** a collection of minerals in nature (see meaning of minerals)

**Diligently:** showing great care or determined effort

**Foil:** to prevent something wrong or undesirable from succeeding

**Generations:** people born and living during the same time

**Graciously:** kindly and politely

**Lute:** a musical instrument that resembles a guitar but has a pear-shaped body

**Minerals:** a solid substance that is naturally formed by the Earth's processes. It has a particular chemical formula and a crystal structure (for example, turquoise or diamonds)

**Rain Forest:** a forest with a large amount of rainfall and very tall evergreen trees

**Reptiles:** cold-blooded animals that lay eggs and have scaly skin (for example, turtles, snakes, alligators, and lizards)

**Sediments:** stones or sand left by water, wind, or glaciers

**Venomous:** having or producing venom, which is poisonous fluid made by an animal