

VOCABULARY LESSON I

Latin	English	English Derivatives
ōrō	I pray/I speak	<i>oral</i>
clāmō	I shout/I scream	<i>clamorous</i>
errō	I err/wander	<i>error/erroneous</i>
spirō	I breathe	<i>respiration/spirit</i>
spectō	I look at	<i>respect/inspect</i>
labōro	I work	<i>labor</i>
portō	I carry	<i>portable</i>
liberō	I set free	<i>liberate</i>
iudicō	I judge	<i>judicial</i>
sperō	I hope	<i>despair</i>

In some Latin texts, you will see the letter *j* used in place of the letter *i*. Although the letter *j* replaced *i* in the medieval ages, we stick with the original spelling to help students find these words more easily in Latin dictionaries.

