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## Root Relationship Builder Answer Key

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| 1. earth | 6. hear      |
| 2. heat  | 7. break     |
| 3. large | 8. say/speak |
| 4. sound | 9. sun       |
| 5. write | 10. send     |

### Teacher's Guide

- **Focus Skill:** Understanding **root word relationships** and connecting Greek and Latin roots to meaning through analogical reasoning.
- **Differentiation Tips:**
  - For younger learners: Provide a **root meaning list** to reference (e.g., bio = life, geo = earth).
  - For older or advanced learners: Encourage them to give examples of full words using each root (e.g., *biography*, *geology*).
- **Engagement Ideas:**
  - Turn it into a "Root Match Race" - call out one root, and students shout its pair or meaning.
  - Use "Analogy Cards" for partner games where students complete or create analogies using roots.
- **Extension Activities:**
  - Have students research and present 3 modern words that come from any two roots used in this worksheet.
  - Challenge learners to create visual analogies (e.g., drawing *bio* as a plant for "life," *geo* as a globe for "earth").