



How to make: Title the bulletin board “Word Volcanoes.” Using construction paper, cut out three volcanoes with mouths large enough to hold slips of paper. If the bulletin board is to be used with Unit 14, label each volcano with one of the Latin roots *spect*, *scrib*, and *rupt*. For Unit 15, label the volcanoes *-ary*, *-ery*, and *-ory*. For Unit 17, label the volcanoes *-um* or *-on/-a*; *-us/-i*; and *-is/-es*. Then write the name of each member of the class on a separate slip of paper. Sort the slips into the mouths of the three volcanoes.

How to use: Choose a “Lava Master,” and have him or her draw a student’s name from one of the volcanoes. This student must then write a Basic Word that contains the root, the suffix, or the ending indicated on the volcano. (If using words from Unit 17, the student should write the word in both its singular and plural forms.) The word should be written as if it were flowing out of the volcano like lava. Continue drawing names from the volcano until all the Basic Words have been written in the lava flow.