

Detours



Roots



The root **-FORM-**



**-form-** is a Latin root that means "shape or style."

Unlike most roots, *form* means something all by itself. However, you can still add prefixes and/or suffixes to the root **-form-** to make new words.

**Directions:** Divide the whole words into prefixes, roots, and suffixes, and write a brief definition for each whole word. If there is no prefix or suffix, just draw a line in the box. There is an empty box at the end for you to come up with your own **-form-** word.

| Whole Word | Prefix | Root | Suffix | Whole word means |
|------------|--------|------|--------|------------------|
| unformed   |        |      |        |                  |
| uniform    |        |      |        |                  |
| formal     |        |      |        |                  |
| informal   |        |      |        |                  |
|            |        |      |        |                  |