

ROOTY PUZZLE™



DIRECTIONS: Use the root, part of speech and definition to solve each hidden word. A master root appears in every word. Today's root is **QUIR-QUIS** and means "seek, ask".

Q U I R

1. To come into possession or ownership of; to get or gain by one's own effort (verb)

Q U I S

2. Very lovely; delicate; beautifully made; of highest excellence; most admirable (adjective)

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3. Given to examination or research; eager for knowledge and learning; unduly curious (adjective)

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4. To ask or insist upon, as by right or authority; to demand; to order; to command (verb)

1. Brad's dream as a 16 year old is to get his driver's license and _____ a car.
2. Susan received an _____ bouquet of flowers in a fine crystal vase.
3. Julie's cat is so _____ that he investigates every paper sack!
4. Do all Iowa high schools _____ students to finish three years of math?

Answers: 1-acquire; 2-exquisite; 3-inquisitive; 4-require