Unit 2 Chapter 3 Vocabulary

Roots

JECT comes from *jacere,* the Latin verb meaning “throw” or “hurl.” To *rejec*t something is to throw (or push) it back: to *eject* something is to throw (or drive) it out; and to inject something is to throw (or squirt) it into something else.

TRACT comes from *trachere,* the Latin verb meaning “drag or draw.” Something *attractive* draws us toward it. Something *distracting* pulls your attention away. And when you extract something from behind the sofa, you drag it out.

Word List

Conjecture  
Trajectory   
Interject  
Retract  
Intractable  
Protract

Instructions:

1. Define the word COMPLETELY
   1. This includes: Pronunciation
   2. Part of speech (is it a noun, verb, adjective, or adverb)
   3. All forms of the word
2. Give me 3 Synonyms (at least 1 of them should be a word you know)
3. Give me an ORIGINAL sentence using the word.