EVERY WORD HAS A STORY: RESOURCE

COMPARING VOCABULARY ACROSS LANGUAGES

Translate words into various languages. What do you notice? How are the translations similar? How are they different? Can you make links between languages?

English	German	French	Italian	Spanish	
English	German	rrench	Italiali	Spanish	
house	haus	maison	casa	casa	
nouse	naas	maison	Cusu	Cusu	
family	familie	famille	famiglia	familia	
school	schule	ecole	scuola	escuela	
animal	tier	animal	animale	animal	
tree	baum	arbre	albero	arbol	
tiee	Daum	arbie	aibero	arbor	
truth	Wahrheit	Vérité	verita	verdad	
mammoth	mammut	mamouth	mammoth	mamut	
		medecin			
doctor	artz	docteur	medico	medico	
	computer	ordinatour	a a manutar	aammuta dara	
computer	computer	ordinateur	computer	computadora	
music	musik	musique	musica	musica	
		asiqas			
elated	Hochgefühl	exaltation	euforia	Euphoria / elación	
nature	Natur	nature	natura	naturaleza	
canoe	kanu	canoë	canoa	canoa	
kangaroo	Vänguru	kangourou	canguro	canguro	
kangaroo	Känguru	kangourou	canguro	canguro	