OPERATION POMPEII
Agent Field Book | Week 1
Signal: **STRUCT** = build / put together
Clearance target: read · prove · report



Mission status
Pompeii, 79 CE.
The Erasure has opened a fault in time.
Streets are shifting.
Structures are weakening.
The evacuation route may close before civilians can pass.
Your first signal is: **STRUCT**
Use it carefully.
The signal gives a clue.
The sentence proves the meaning.

STRUCT
build / put together

SPOT → DECODE → PROVE → APPLY

The signal gives a clue. The sentence proves the meaning.

Signal starter

1. Signal meaning

STRUCT means:
□ carry / move
□ build / put together
□ see / look
□ break / burst

3. Build the meaning

Match the word part to its clue.

Word parts:	**Clues:**
re- _____	A = down / apart
de- _____	B = action / result
-ion _____	C = again / back

2. Spot the signal

Underline the words that belong to the STRUCT family.
structure
portrait
restructure
destruction

4. Prove the meaning

Read: Agents must restructure the path around the damaged arch.
In this sentence, restructure means:
□ carry the path away
□ watch the path carefully
□ change how the path is built or arranged
□ break the path apart

5. Card sort trace

After the card sort, record one true STRUCT word and one impostor.
A true STRUCT word: _____
I know because _____
An impostor: _____
I know because _____



STRUCT | Operation Pompeii
Field Report: First Arrival

L 1

Ash drifts over the **Forum** in **Pompeii**. Beyond the city, Mount **Vesuvius** rumbles. Each time the Bureau scanner clicks, the same street changes. A cart blocks the road. A roof beam drops. Then the market arch shudders back into place, as if time cannot decide what has happened.

Senior Agent Vale's voice breaks through the receiver.

"Trainee agents, the Erasure has opened a **fault**. Do not chase every shadow. Read the **route**. The signal is STRUCT."

Your first task is to find a safe line from the fountain to the gate. The arch is the first structure to check. You must restructure the path around it and record any signs of destruction before the street changes again.

Move fast. If the arch collapses, the route will close before civilians can pass.

Morph key

struct = build / put together
re- = again / back
de- = down / apart
-ion = action / result

Quick glossary

Pompeii = an ancient Roman city

Vesuvius = the volcano above Pompeii

Forum = the main square in a Roman city

fault = a break or glitch in time

route = a path from one place to another

civilians = ordinary people

Tasks

1. **Spot:** Underline the three words that belong to the STRUCT family.

2. **Decode:** Use the Morph Key to tick the best meaning.
restructure means to:
- ▫ carry away
- ▫ break apart
- ▫ watch carefully
- ▫ change how something is built or arranged

3. **Prove:** Circle one clue in the Field Report that shows the time fault is active.

4. **Explain:** Finish the sentence.
Agents must restructure the path because...

5. **Apply:** Write one clear radio order using one **STRUCT** word.
You could use: structure · restructure · destruction
Example start:
Agents, check the...

Write: Radio Order – Keep the Route Open

The route through Pompeii is changing.
The arch may collapse.
Agents need one clear order before the path closes.

Agent Exchange: Oracy Task

Tell your partner:
What is wrong with the route?
What must agents do next?
Which STRUCT word will you use?

Which **STRUCT** word will you use?

Sentence Frames

Agents must **restructure** the path so...
The **structure** may collapse if...

Radio Order

Write one clear order to help agents keep the route open.
Use one **STRUCT** family word:
structure · restructure · destruction

Tick when your radio order is ready for HQ.
□ I have written a clear command.
□ I have used one STRUCT word accurately.
□ Another agent would know what to do.

CLEARANCE CHECK
Complete the signal line.
STRUCT =
Final status:
□ Clearance Level 1: granted

SESSION B | PROVE & APPLY
SIGNAL REBOOT
Before agents re-enter Pompeii, the STRUCT signal must be secure.



Reboot check

1. Underline all the STRUCT family words:
   structure · portion · reconstruct · portrait

2. Add a prefix to make “build together”:
   _____struct

3. Choose the best meaning for obstruction:
   a) help
   b) blockage
   c) bridge

4. Circle the impostor (not STRUCT family):
   structure · instruct · portion · destruct

5. Add a suffix to make a noun meaning “the act of destroying”:
   destruct_____

6. Choose the sentence where restructure fits best:
   a) We will _____ the crates into the boat.
   b) The fallen cart will _____ the steps.
   c) Engineers will _____ the path after the tremor.

Signal check

One answer I corrected or confirmed:

I now know:

Mission re-entry

Signal Reboot passed.
You are cleared to re-enter Pompeii.
The first route scan is complete, but the fault is spreading.
The Forum is filling with people.
The evacuation route is beginning to fail.
To reach Clearance Level 2, prove you can use the STRUCT signal under pressure.
Next: read Field Report: Route Under Pressure and prepare your Mission Report.

STRUCT | Operation Pompeii
Field Report: Route Under Pressure

L 2

Reading purpose: Track the danger, the route and the agents' plan.

1. Track the **setting**: underline the place names: Forum · Mount Vesuvius · Pompeii

2. Circle the words that show **danger**: ash · beam · arch · route.

Morph key

struct = build / put together
re- = again / back
ob- = in the way / against
de- = down / apart
-ion = action / result

Quick glossary

Forum = the main square
Vesuvius = the volcano above Pompeii
receiver = a device for hearing messages
evacuation = moving people away from danger
brace = a support that helps hold something up
tremor = a small shaking movement in the ground

The Forum was crowded when the first shadow crossed the square. It slid over the temple steps, the market stalls and the fountain, and for one strange second the noise of Pompeii seemed to thin. A basket dropped. A dog barked once, then fell silent. Every face turned towards Mount Vesuvius.

A dark column was rising from the volcano. It climbed into the bright sky, thick and silent at first, then spreading like spilled ink above the city. Ash began to fall. At first it looked like dust. Then the flakes grew heavier, settling on baskets, shoulders and stone. The air tasted dry. People stared at the mountain. Some clutched bags to their chests. Others stood frozen in the road, waiting for someone else to move first. A sharp crack split across the square.

A wooden beam had snapped from a shopfront and crashed across the route to the bakery. Dust surged up from the stones. The way was obstructed. Families stopped moving. Behind them, more people pressed into the Forum as the ash thickened.

Senior Agent Vale's voice cut through the receiver. "Trainee agents, listen carefully. The Erasure has reopened the fault. Senior agents are working to close it, but the evacuation route is failing. Your job is to keep the path open."

The agents looked across the Forum. The fountain still stood. The gate was still clear. But the arch beside the bakery was weakening. Cracks ran through the stone, thin and dark. With every tremor, the whole structure shook.

"We can't move them under that arch," one agent said. "Not unless we reconstruct the walkway first."

The trainees dragged two wooden braces under the arch. The first brace slipped on the ash-covered stones. The second locked into place with a heavy thud. The arch groaned above them. For a moment, no one breathed. Then it held.

"Now restructure the route," Vale ordered. "Move the line left of the fountain. Keep everyone away from the bakery wall."

Step by careful step, the citizens followed the new path. Children gripped their parents' hands. Ash settled steadily on roofs, shoulders and the fresh timber braces. Behind them, a market stall splintered apart. The sound of destruction echoed through the Forum. But the walkway held, and the line of people kept moving away from the eruption.



Above the city, the dark column climbed higher. Somewhere beyond the square, senior agents were fighting to close the fault. Here, in the Forum, the trainee agents had one task: keep the route open long enough for the people to escape.

After reading

1. **Spot the signal:** Underline five words in the Report that belong to the STRUCT family.

2. **Decode:** Use the Morph Key to tick the best meaning.
obstructed means:
- ▫ built again
- ▫ carried away
- ▫ blocked the way
- ▫ watch carefully

3. Use the Morph Key: **destruction** is closest in meaning to:
- ▫ a safe structure
- ▫ the result of damage or breaking apart
- ▫ a route through the city
- ▫ a person giving instructions

4. **Locate the danger:** Find and copy one detail that shows the evacuation route is unsafe. **Sentence starter:** One detail that shows the route is unsafe is...

_____

_____

5. **Track the sequence:** Number the events in the order they happen.
- ___ The agents restructure the route left of the fountain.
- ___ A wooden beam crashes across the route to the bakery.
- ___ The citizens begin moving along the new path.
- ___ The trainees place wooden braces under the arch.
- ___ Senior Agent Vale explains that the evacuation route is failing.

6. **Explain:** Finish the sentence. **The trainees needed to reconstruct the walkway because...** _____

_____

7. **Prove the mission outcome:** How do we know the trainees' plan worked?
Tick the best answer.
- ▫ The dark column disappeared from the sky.
- ▫ The senior agents closed the time fault.
- ▫ The walkway held and the line of people kept moving.
- ▫ The Forum became quiet again.

8. **Prepare the Mission Report**
Use your answers to complete the planning lines.

Problem: The evacuation route is unsafe because... _____

Action: The trainees respond by... _____

Outcome: This helps because... _____

Two **STRUCT** family words I will use:
1. _____ 2. _____

SESSION B | PROGRESS WRITE
MISSION REPORT

Clearance Level 2

HQ needs a clear report before Clearance Level 2 can be granted.
Use evidence from Field Report: Route Under Pressure.
Your report must explain:
Problem: what has gone wrong.
Action: what the trainees do.
Outcome: how this helps people escape.
Use at least two **STRUCT** family words:
structure · obstructed · reconstruct · restructure · destruction

Which **STRUCT** word will you use?

Agent Rehearsal

Before you write, test your report aloud.
Use the three-part structure: The problem is...
The trainees respond by...
This helps because...

Progress Write

Start with:
The evacuation route is unsafe because...

CLEARANCE CHECK

Before HQ clears your report, check:
□ I have explained the problem.
□ I have explained the trainees' action.
□ I have explained the outcome.
□ I have used two STRUCT words accurately.
□ I have written in full sentences.
Clear report. Accurate signal. Clearance Level 2.

Extra Agent Field Notes