

Etymology, n. /ˌɛdəˈmɒlədʒi/

< Greek ἐτυμολογία (*etymologia*), “the true account or analysis of a word.”

Compound of:

ἔτυμος (*etymos*), “true, real, actual”; and

λόγος (*logos*), “word, story, account, reason.”

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