**Root of the Week HYPOTHESIS SHEET**

**CEDE/ CEED**

**Underline clue words and formulate your hypothesis.**

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| **VOCABULARY WORDS** | **CONTEXT** | **HYPOTHESIS** |
| exceed | Barack Obama won by so much more than people had expected. His win **exceeded** expectations. |  |
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| proceed | Barack Obama was **proceeding** with picking his cabinet, including Hillary Clinton as Secretary of State. |  |
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| precede | Jesse Jackson’s famous presidential campaigns in 1984 and 1988 **preceded** Barack Obama’s win in 2008.  |  |
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| concede | John McCain **conceded** to Barack Obama when it became clear that he was not going to win 270 electoral votes.  |  |
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**What do these words have in common? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**What does “cede/ceed” mean? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**