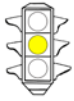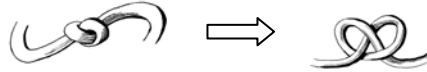Name_____

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Roots

The root –SOLV/SOLU-

-solv/solu- is a Latin root that means "to loosen."

Directions: You have been thinking of a "knotty problem" and a <u>solu</u>tion to it. Describe the problem below. How did you re<u>solve</u> it--what <u>solu</u>tion did you come up with?

1. What is the problem?

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2. What is the <u>solu</u>tion?

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3. How does the meaning "loosen" make sense in the word "<u>solu</u>tion?"

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