



What should I already know?

- Plants can grow.
- There are different types of plants.
- Some plants can be eaten.

What will I know by the end of the unit?

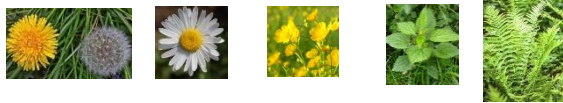
The names of some **common garden plants**

- People may grow **plants** to look at. For example:
Rose Poppy Sunflower Pansy
- People may also grow **plants** for food. For example:
carrots peas basil mint



The names of some **common wild plants**

- A **wild plant** will grow by itself.
 - If it grows somewhere unwanted, people call it a **weed**.
- dandelion daisy buttercup nettle fern



Deciduous and evergreen trees

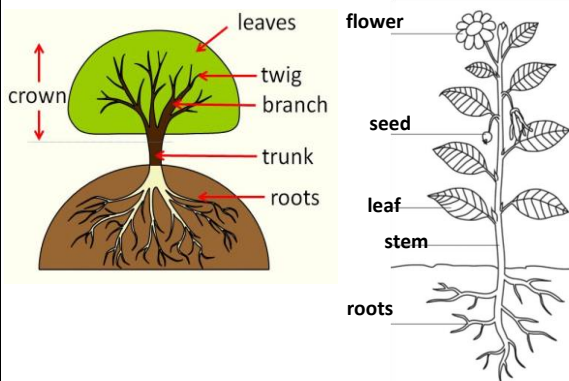
- **Deciduous trees** lose their **leaves** in the **autumn** every year. Their **leaves** are generally broad, flat and have veins running through them.
- **Evergreen trees** have green **leaves** all year round. Their **leaves** are generally thick, waxy and narrow like needles.



deciduous

evergreen

What are the parts of **common trees and plants**?



Vocabulary

branches	parts that grow out from the tree trunk and have leaves, flowers, or fruit growing on them
bulb	a root shaped like an onion that grows into a plant
common	something that is often seen
deciduous	a tree or plant that loses its leaves every year in the autumn
evergreen	a tree or plant which has leaves all the year
flower	the part of a plant which is often brightly coloured and grows at the end of a stem
fruit	the part of a plant that contains seeds. In some fruits the seed is inside a 'stone'. Lots of fruits can be eaten.
garden	a piece of land next to a house, with flowers, vegetables, other plants, and often grass
herb	a plant whose leaves are used in cooking to add flavour to food, or as a medicine
leaf / leaves	the parts of a tree or plant that are flat, thin, and usually green
petal	coloured parts which form the outside of the flower
plant	a living thing that grows in the earth and has a stem, leaves, and roots
roots	the parts of a plant that grow under the ground
seed	the small, hard part from which a new plant grows
stem	the thin, upright part of a plant on which the flowers and leaves grow
tree	a tall plant that has a hard trunk, branches, and leaves
trunk	the large main stem from which the branches grow
vegetable	plants such as cabbages, potatoes, and onions which you can cook and eat
wild	animals or plants that live or grow in natural surroundings and are not looked after by people

Data Handling

Draw diagrams for a plant at each stage of growth. Include measurements of the height of the plant at each stage of growth.