

Glossaries



Some books have a list of words called a **glossary** at the back. A **glossary** tells you what words mean, like a little dictionary. Read this glossary from a book about plants.

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| flower | a part of a plant where new seeds grow |
| leaf | a part of a plant that grows on the stem |
| light | something plants need to grow |
| root | the part of a plant in the soil |
| seed | can grow into a new plant |
| sproutling | a young plant |
| soil | the earth that plants grow in |
| stem | the main part of a plant |
| water | something plants need to grow |



Now use the glossary above to write about plants.

A young plant is called a _____

What part of a plant is in the soil? _____

What can grow into a new plant? _____

Write two things that plants need to grow _____

The words in a glossary are in alphabetical order. Mark the other things below that have lists in alphabetical order.

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