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Plant Vocabulary

Identify meanings of words about plants.

Write the letter of the definition next to the correct term.

leaves		A. Not all plants have these. This protects the seeds. When animals eat this part it helps spread the seeds.
roots		B. The type of air needed by plants to complete photosynthesis.
stem		C. This is special tissue inside the stem of the plant. It carries water and nutrients from the roots to the leaves.
flower		D. This is where the food (sugar) is made. It takes in carbon dioxide and releases oxygen.
fruit		E. This is special tissue inside the stem of the plant. It carries food from the leave down to the rest of the plant.
chlorophyll		F. This is the part of the plant that makes seeds.
photosynthesis		G. This is the type of gas given off during photosynthesis.
sugar		H. This is the process that plants use to make food. During this process the plant turns sunlight, water and carbon dioxide into food (sugar) and oxygen.
oxygen		I. These soak up the vitamins and minerals and store food for the plant.
carbon dioxide		J. This green pigment is found in the leaves of the plant. It helps make food for the plant.
xylem		K. This is also called glucose. This is the type of food that plants make.
phloem		L. This supports the plant. It has many thin tubes that carry food, water and minerals throughout the plants.