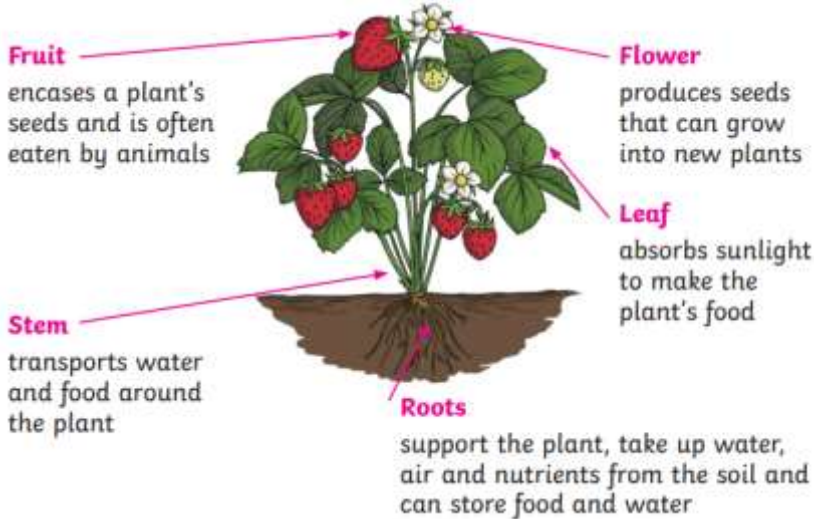


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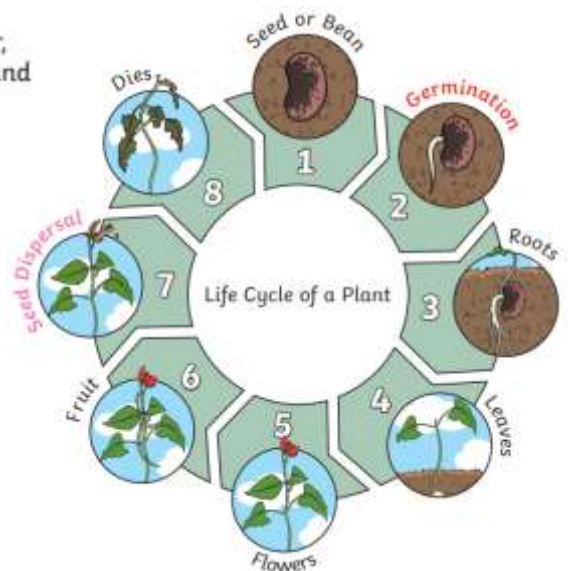
Key Vocabulary	
Germination	When the conditions are right, the seed soaks up water and swells and the tiny new plant bursts out of its shell.
Seed dispersal	Seed dispersal is when the seeds move away from the parent plant. Seeds can be dispersed by the wind, water or animals.
Reproduce	When a plant or animal makes more of the same kind.
Nutrients	Substances needed by living things to help them grow and survive. Most plants gather nutrients from the soil through their roots.
Deciduous	Trees and plants that lose their leaves in Autumn.
Evergreen	Trees and plants that keep their leaves all year round.



This diagram shows the life cycle of a plant. When seeds start to grow this is called germination.

- The plant grows.
- The flower comes and then dies.
- A fruit with seeds is left behind.
- The seeds get dispersed.
- The process begins again.

I can identify and label the different parts of a plant.	I know what plants need to grow.
I can name a range of wild and garden plants native to the U.K, including deciduous and evergreen trees.	Imagine you are a seed. Where would be the best place to land in order to grow into a healthy plant?



What do plants need to grow?

