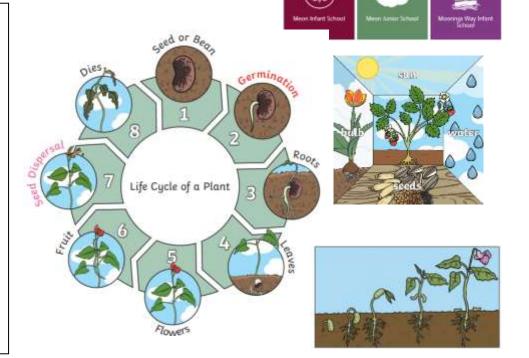
Year 2 Sticky Stuff- Science: Plants

Key Vocabulary

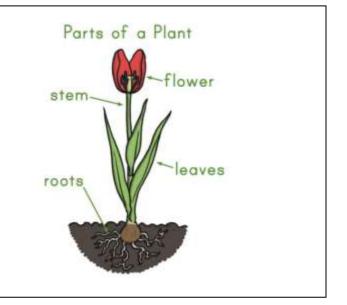
Plant	A living organism that has a stem, leaves, roots and
	sometimes flowers.
Germination	When the conditions are right, the seed soaks up water
	and swells, and the tiny new plant burst out of its shell.
	This is called germination.
Sprout	When a plant sprouts, it grows new shoots.
Shoot	A shoot grows upwards from the seed or plant to find
	sunlight.
Seed	Seed dispersal is when the seeds move away from the
dispersal	parent plant. They can be moved by the wind or animals.
Sunlight	All plants need light from the sun to grow well. Some
	plants need lots while others only need a little.



Key knowledge

What do plants need to grow well?

- All plants need light from the sun to grow well. Some plants need lots of sunlight. Some plants only need a little sunlight.
- All plants need water to grow. Without water, seeds and bulbs will not germinate.
- Temperature is how warm or cold something or somewhere is. Some plants like cooler temperatures and some like warmer temperatures.
- Food or nourishment. Plants make their own food in their leaves using sunlight.



Retrieval Practice

Quiz Questions

- 1. What does the stem part of the plant do?
 - a. It keeps the plant upright.
 - b. It keeps the plant in the soil.
 - c. It carries water to other parts of the plant.
 - d. It carries sunlight to the petals.
- 2. What do plants need to survive?
 - a. Insects, food and games.
 - b. Water, good temperature and light.
 - c. Air, snow and nutrition.
 - d. Pizza, fizzy drink and a torch.
- 3. What does germination mean? Complete the stem sentence.

When a plant starts to _____ from the seed.

- 4. How are seeds dispersed?
 - a. Plants take them to another plot of soil.
 - b. The seeds walk to plant themselves.
 - c. Postmen and postwomen deliver them.
 - d. Animals and the wind.