

Year 2 Spring 2 - Twisted Tales

Key Vocabulary		
sketch map	A simple map with only basic details.	
key	Helps us understand map symbols. Also known as a legend.	
compass rose	This is printed on a map to show different directions.	
map symbol	A picture or a sign on a map that represents something else.	
Ordnance Survey	A survey organisation in the UK which prepares very detailed maps of the country.	
route	A way of getting from a start point to a finish point.	
compass	A tool which shows people which direction they are travelling in and helps them find their way.	
climate	The usual weather conditions of an area.	

What Is a Man?

A map is a drawing of an actual place that uses lines and symbols to represent real-life objects. People have used maps for hundreds of years to help them travel from place to place.

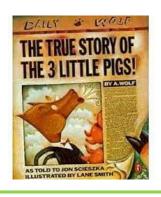
Types of Maps

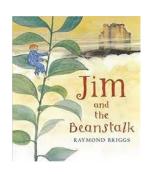
There are many different types of maps, such as: Sketch maps Road maps Ordnance Survey maps Climate maps

Key Features	Compass Directions	Planning a Route
Key features of maps include: a title, a compass rose, symbols, a key and different colours for important things, such as green for forests and blue	People use a compass to help them position and use a map acurately. The main points of a compass are north, south,	When planning a journey using a map, people think about the quickest or safest route.
for rivers.	east and west.	

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Core texts:























What Plants Need to Grow

Water and Nutrients



survive.

Plants are able to get water from the soil through their roots.

They can also catch water on their leaves.



Light

Plants need lots of sunlight to help them grow.

Plants do not eat food. They instead use sunlight to make their own food.

Plants are a large group of living things that use sunlight to make their own food.

There are many, many different kinds of

plants, including trees, vines and grasses.

Plants have lots of different parts, for

example stems, leaves and roots.

Some trees lose their leaves in the winter

(deciduous). Some keep their leaves

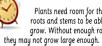
through the year (evergreen). Some plants are 'flowering plants' - they

grow flowers on them.



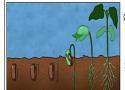
Temperature Plants need the temperature to be just right for them to grow properly.

If it is too hot, they may burn and wilt. If it is too cold, they may freeze and die. This is why there are less plants at the poles and the deserts.



Plants also need time - it can take days. months or even years for them to grow.

Growth from Seeds/Bulbs into Mature Plants



Germination is the name for when a plant starts to grow. A plant is germinating when its seed begins

Inside a seed/bulb is the baby plant (an embryo). Seeds have a tough layer on the outside to protect the plant (the seed coat).

Seeds and bulbs do not need sunlight in order to grow. They already have their own food store

However, they do need the right conditions to grow. Normally, they need water, air and the right temperature. This can often be found in wellwatered soil!

What you should already know.

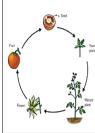


Like animals and humans, plants need water and nutrients to





Plant Life Cucle



Plants have a clear life cycle that helps them to keep reproducing:

Seeds/bulbs - Plants begin life as seeds or bulbs. They need soil, air and water to grow.

Seedling - Plants grow into young plants. They now need light, temperature, water, space and time to keep growing.

Flowering/Fruit - Plants grow flowers and fruits. These produce seeds. When the plant dies or is pollinated, the seeds find their way to the soil. The process starts again!









