

15 Plants Around Us

Competencies

C-2.6, C-6.1, C-12.1

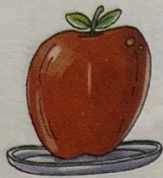


- Critical thinking
- Environmental awareness
- Creativity



GEAR UP

Name these parts of a plant.



F R U I T



S E E D



L E A F



F L O W E R

We see different kinds of **plants** around us. Plants are of different shapes and sizes.

Trees

Some plants are tall and strong. They are called **trees**. A tree has a woody stem called a **trunk**.

Banyan, neem, coconut and mango are examples of trees.



Banyan tree



Neem tree



Coconut tree



Mango tree



Test Yourself



A. Tick (✓) the correct answer.

1. Which of these is a tree?

(a) neem



(b) rose



2. Which of these is a herb?

a. spinach



b. cotton



B. Answer these questions.

1. What are shrubs?

2. What are herbs?

3. Name the different parts of a plant.

C. Find out the names of eight plants in this wordsearch.



A	B	Y	I	H	F	E	I	S	J
P	X	L	O	T	U	S	D	P	C
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D. Think and Answer

Why do creepers grow along the ground?

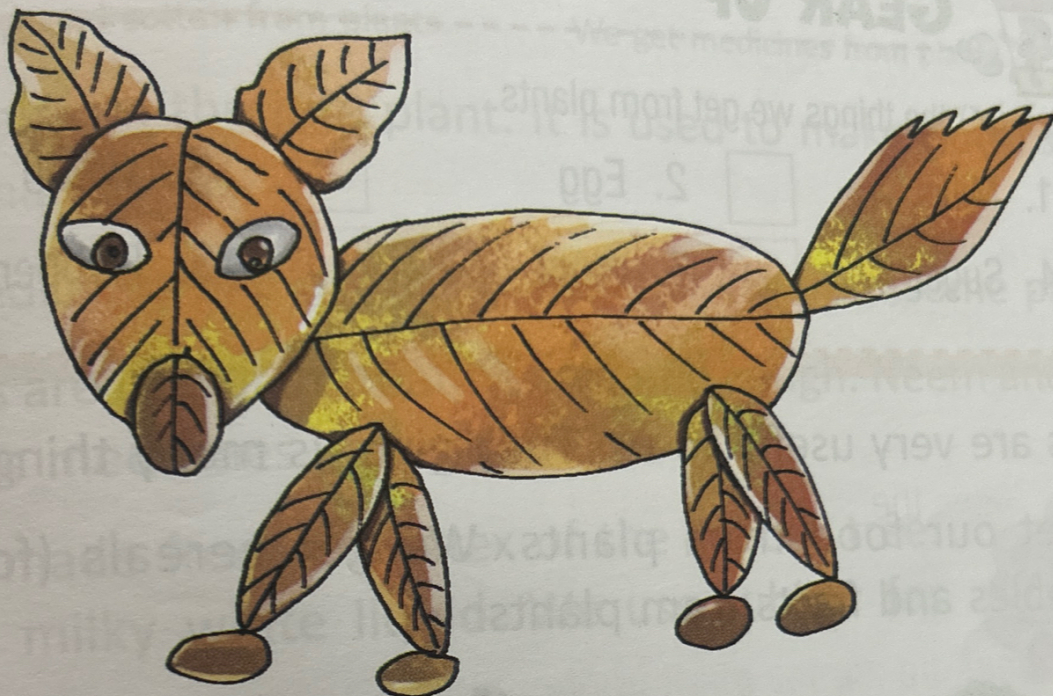
• Critical thinking

Activity



Collect some leaves of different shapes and sizes. Stick them with glue to give shapes of different animals, like the one given here.

• Creativity



LIFE SKILLS

Write yes or no.

1. Do you water plants?
2. Do you pluck flowers?

• Critical thinking

Yes
No

