







# Where the Wild Things Are Key Fact Sheet - Geography

Human features	Physical features
city 	forest 
harbour 	hill 
factory 	mountain 
shop 	valley 
farm 	soil 

Key vocabulary:	
aerial view	A picture or view of something from above.
valley	A low area of land between hills or mountains (sometimes with a river or stream in the middle).
vegetation	Plants grouped together in a particular area of habitat.
routes	A way or course taken in getting from one place to another.
compass	A compass is a device which shows the directions North, South, East and West.



## Valleys:

- are low areas (flat plains) between hills or mountains

## Examples:

- Avon Valley in the UK
- Grand Canyon in the USA



## Forests:

- have lots of trees
- provide a canopy for plants and wildlife

## Examples:

- New Forest in the UK
- Congo rainforest in Africa



## Mountains:

- are high areas, rising more than 600m
- are often found in groups

## Examples:

- Ben Nevis in the UK
- Mount Everest in Asia



## Deserts:

- have extreme temperatures
- have low rainfall

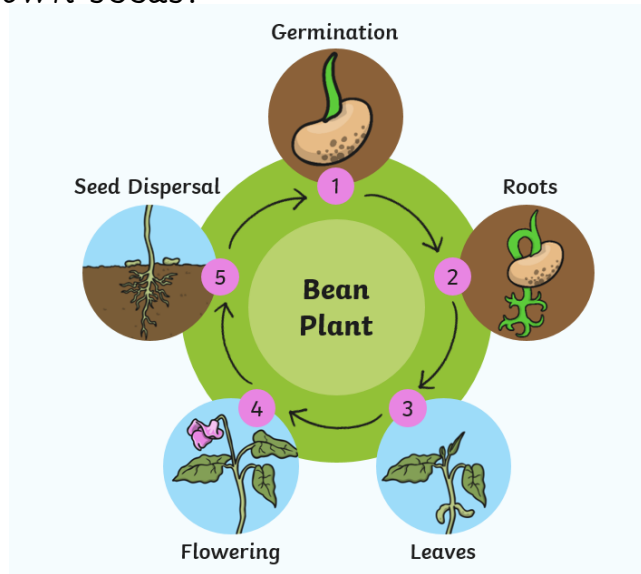
## Examples:

- Sahara in Africa
- Antarctica in the Antarctic

# Where the Wild Things Are Key Fact Sheet - Science

Plants grow with the right temperature, location, air and water. Plants grow from seeds and bulbs.

Plants that grow from a seed reproduce by making their own seeds.



A seed will germinate, grow roots and become a seedling. The stem will break through the soil (sprouting), where leaves will begin to unfold. Soon after, a bud will appear, then a flower and finally the fruit (new seeds are inside the fruit). The cycle goes on.

## Key vocabulary:

germination	The development of a plant from a seed.
bulb	A plant bud that begins to grow underground.
temperature	The measure of hotness or coldness.
diagram	A simplified drawing to show the appearance, structure or workings of something.
growth	The process of increasing in size.
observations	The action or process of closely watching something (monitoring).

A bulb is a plant bud that begins to grow underground. The stem will break through the soil (sprouting), where leaves will begin to unfold and buds appear. When it has finished flowering, the leaves die and the bulb stays in the ground, ready to grow again.

