

Bricks Reading

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Workbook

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Bricks

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What Did I Learn?

Fill in the blanks to complete the answers.

1. What do little buds open into?

➔ They open into _____.

2. What do bees carry to other flowers?

➔ They _____ to other flowers.

3. What happens to an apple tree in winter?

➔ All the leaves fall off, and _____.

bright pink flowers

the branches are bare

carry the pollen

Summarize It!

Read and complete the summary.

How an Apple Tree Changes

In spring, an apple tree grows new branches and leaves. Little buds open into flowers. _____

_____ The seeds grow into green apples. _____

_____ Farmers pick the red apples. _____

_____ It waits for the spring.

In winter, the apple tree hardly grows.

In summer, the flower petals fall off.

In fall, the apples become ripe.

Review The Words!

Write the words for the definitions.



carve



sprout



vine



bloom



harvest



rotten

1. old, spoiled, and not good for eating *adj.* _____
2. a plant with a long stem growing around something *n.* _____
3. to have flower buds open *v.* _____
4. to pick ripe food on a farm *v.* _____
5. a new part growing on a plant *n.* _____
6. to make something by cutting off pieces *v.* _____

Read and choose the correct words.

1. A woman _____ carrots from her garden.
 a. carves b. pours c. harvests
2. The seed grows a tiny, green _____.
 a. sprout b. bark c. branch
3. Grapes grow on _____.
 a. soil b. sand c. vines
4. Flowers usually _____ in spring.
 a. build b. bloom c. bake

What Did I Learn?

Check T for true or F for false.

- | | T | F |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. It takes 200 days for pumpkins to grow. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. A pumpkin seed grows its roots first. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. After a month, a tiny sprout comes out of the ground. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. The sprout grows into a vine and the vine grows many leaves. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. The male flowers produce small, green pumpkins. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. The fully grown pumpkins have many seeds inside. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Summarize It!

Read and complete the summary.

The Life Cycle of a Pumpkin

A pumpkin seed grows its roots first. _____
_____. The sprout grows into a vine. Yellow flowers
bloom. Bees spread the pollen from flowers to flowers. _____
_____. They grow bigger and
turn orange. _____

Farmers harvest the ripe pumpkins.
A tiny sprout comes out of the ground.
The female flowers produce green pumpkins.

Unit 3

Animals Here, There, and Everywhere!

Review The Words!

Write the words for the definitions.



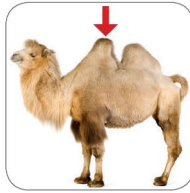
grassland



blend in



sneak up on



hump



wetland



webbed

1. to go up to someone or something quietly *phrase* _____
2. a rounded bump on a camel's back *n.* _____
3. a place covered with shallow water *n.* _____
4. having toes connected by skin *adj.* _____
5. a place covered with grass but not trees *n.* _____
6. to look the same as nearby things *phrase* _____

Read and choose the correct words.

1. _____ are home to crocodiles.
a. Grasslands b. Deserts c. Wetlands
2. Camels have one or two _____.
a. wings b. humps c. feathers
3. Zebras and elephants live in _____.
a. wetlands b. the Arctic c. grasslands
4. A duck swims with its _____ feet.
a. webbed b. ripe c. bumpy

What Did I Learn?

Fill in the blanks to complete the answers.

1. What type of habitat do polar bears live in?

➔ Polar bears live _____.

2. How is the fat in camels' humps used?

➔ It is used _____.

3. What do beavers use to swim?

➔ They use their webbed back feet and _____.

for energy and water

paddle-shaped tails

in the Arctic habitat

Summarize It!

Read and complete the summary.

Animals in Their Habitats

Polar bears live in the Arctic. _____

_____ Lions live in grasslands. Their fur blends

in with the grass. _____

Camels in deserts use their fat for energy and water. _____

_____ Their clear eyelids help them see underwater.

Beavers live in wetlands.

It helps them sneak up on their prey.

Their thick fur and fat keep them warm.

Review The Words!

Write the words for the definitions.



difficult



owner



groom



blink



stiff



cuddle

1. being firm and straight *adj.* _____
2. to quickly close and open your eyes *v.* _____
3. to hold someone in your arms *v.* _____
4. the person that a pet belongs to *n.* _____
5. being not easy *adj.* _____
6. to clean or brush an animal *v.* _____

Read and choose the correct words.

1. I _____ my eyes because of the sunlight.
a. blink b. carve c. break
2. _____ your pet to keep it clean.
a. Grow b. Slide c. Groom
3. Being a pet _____ is lots of work.
a. farmer b. owner c. speaker
4. The angry dog's tail got _____.
a. stiff b. brave c. juicy