

9. The Little Plant

Competencies
C-7.1, C-7.2, C-9.7, C-10.6, C-10.8

Appreciation of Literature

Taking Flight

Environmental Literacy

How do you think trees grow? Talk about it with the class.

In the heart of a seed
Buried deep, so deep,
A dear little plant
Lay fast asleep.

'Wake!' said the sunshine,
'And **creep** to the light!'
'Wake!' said the voice
Of the raindrops bright.

buried	hidden under the ground
lay	stay at one place
creep	move slowly and carefully

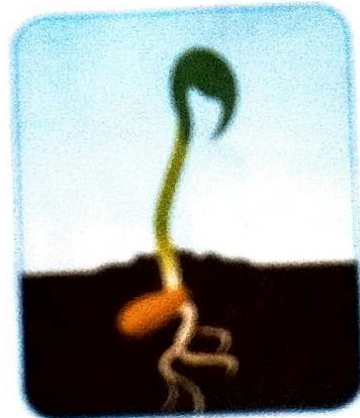
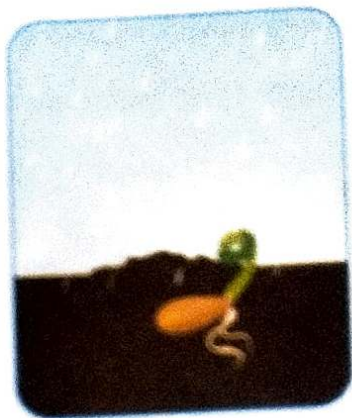




The little plant heard,
And it rose to see
What the wonderful
Outside world might be.

—*Kate Louisa Brown*

A plant grows.



8. Tick (✓) the correct answer.

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| 1. A little | lay fast asleep. | ☒ | b. a seed | ☐ |
| a. plant | | | | |
| 2. The | made the little seed wet. | ☒ | b. clouds | ☐ |
| a. rain | | | | ☒ |
| 3. Plants need | to grow. | ☒ | b. mud and heat | ☐ |
| a. water and light | | | | |



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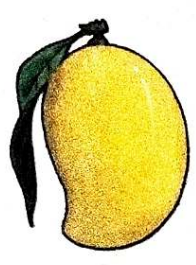
1. Where was the seed buried?
2. Who had a 'bright' voice in the poem?
3. What did the little plant rise to see?
4. Write two pairs of rhyming words from the poem.
5. Have you ever grown a seed into plant? What happened?

Playing with Words

Match the opposites.

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|----------|---|----------|
| 1. short | b | a. hot |
| 2. cold | a | b. tall |
| 3. sleep | d | c. happy |
| 4. dark | e | d. awake |
| 5. sad | c | e. light |

E. Find the names of the fruits.



D	A	P	P	L	E	J	M
B	H	U	M	I	G	M	K
L	P	O	M	A	N	G	O
K	G	R	A	P	E	S	L
D	R	B	A	N	A	N	A
M	I	L	K	M	A	N	S
O	O	R	A	N	G	E	H

Learning the Language

Read these sentences.

- It is raining.
- He is going to school.

F. Look at the pictures and write what the children are doing.



1. walking



2. eating



3. singing



4. kicking



5. cycling



6. sleeping

Read these sentences.

- She **is not** playing with me.
- She **isn't** playing with me.

G. Rewrite these sentences using **isn't**.

1. Sonam ^{isn't} **is not** a painter.
2. Today ^{isn't} **is not** Sunday.
3. She ^{isn't} **is not** playing the piano now.
4. He ^{isn't} **is not** reading the book.
5. Yana ^{isn't} **is not** sleeping now.



Writing

H. Look at the picture and complete the sentences. Use the words given in the box.

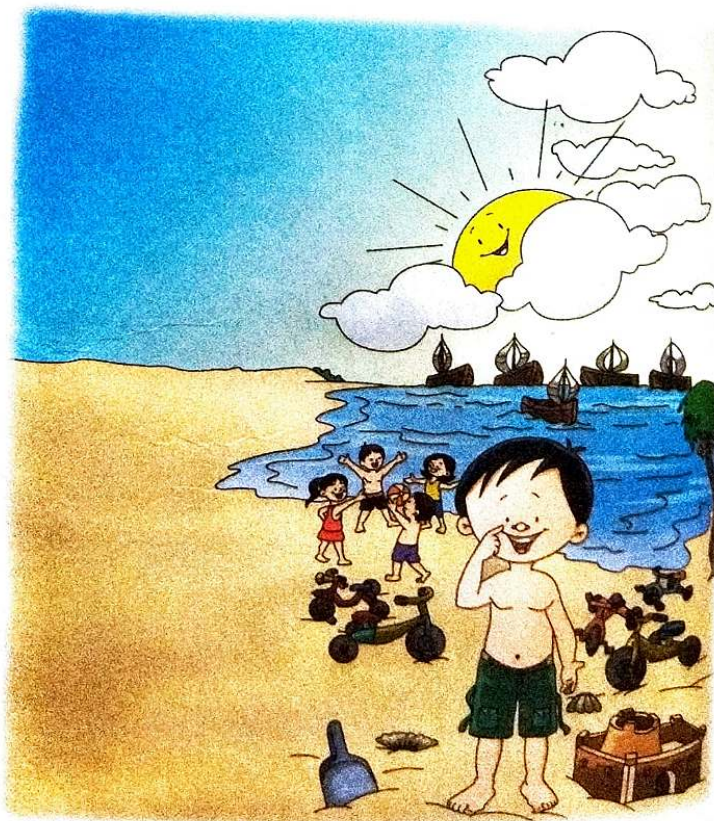
are sailing

are playing

is shining

is standing

1. The children are
playing on the beach.
2. The Sun is
shining in the sky.
3. The boy is
standing near the sandcastle.
4. The ships are
sailing in the sea.



Flying Away

Subject Integration: Art Integration



Colour the vegetables that grow under the ground **red** and those that grow above the ground **green**.

