

Plant explanation

Introduction

In this report you are going to read all about why plants are important. How do plants grow and the life cycle of a plant. Did you know that ^{there are} over 375,000 of plants in the world and 250,000 flowering plants. This means that these plants ^{produce} produce flowers.

Why do we need plants?

We need plants so that we can breathe because if there was no ^{oxygen} oxygen there would be a big problem! Plants are also important for animals because if we had no plants it would cause all the animals to ^{become} extinct. You may know a plant very well called a tree; we use trees ^{chopped} for fire wood, paper, cardboard and pencils. ✓

How do plants grow?

A healthy plant needs some water to drink. Lots of people may think that plants don't drink but actually they do! Plants also need sun shine so that they get food and warmth from the sun so that they can ^{stay} stay nice and healthy. ✓
 The shade is also important to plants so they don't get too hot and burn! ✓

Life cycle of a plant

Firstly, a little seed is planted in the →

ground and starts to ^{germinate} germinate. This means that they are ready to sprout. After that, the roots, stem and leaves start to grow bigger, slowly and slowly every day. Next, the bud appears closed then again it slowly opens up and that is the life cycle of a plant. ✓

Conclusion

The largest plant in the world is the large Sequoia tree or the Red wood tree. Did you know that sunflowers have lots of black seeds and with it you can make oil? ✓

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- ✓ You included some causal connectives (eg. because, so, this means that) and time connectives when it was appropriate to do so.
- ✓/0 Next time you could use some alternatives for 'so' such as 'therefore', 'consequently' or 'as a result'