

What Do Plants and Animals Need?



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The Basic Needs of Plants and Animals

Plants and animals are alive like you and me. Like us, they have needs in order to live. Some of their needs are the same. Some are different.



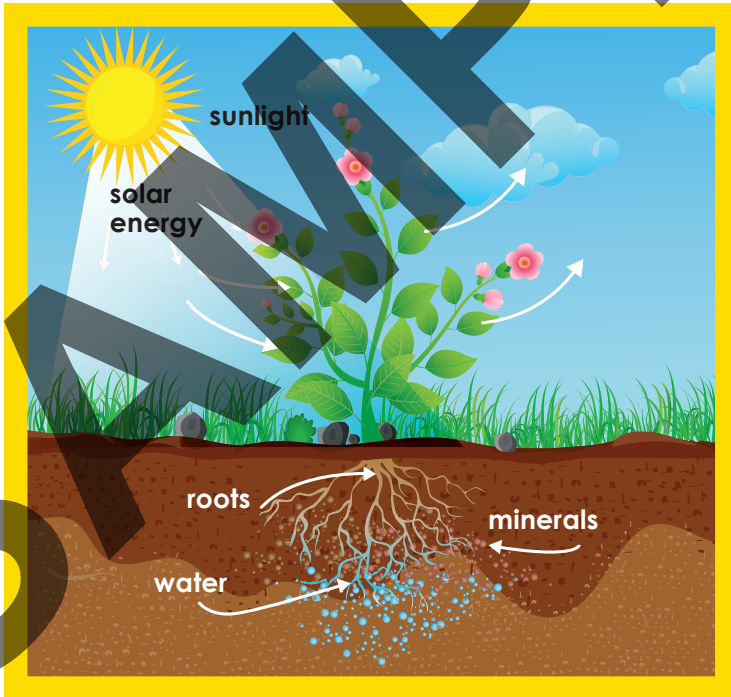
Plants and animals feel the cold.
They need sunlight to warm
them.

Plants get their energy from
the sun in a process known as
photosynthesis.

Plants need sunlight the way
animals need food.



sunlight



photosynthesis