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WALT: identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants.

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- I can sort plants into common wild and garden plants
- I can identify some wild plants



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Wild Plants



Today we are learning about wild plants.

What do you think a wild plant is?



Are beans wild plants?



Wild Plants



A wild plant is one that grows by itself.

A wild plant seed grows where it falls.

It doesn't need to be planted.

It doesn't need to be cared for as it grows.

If a wild plant grows where it is not wanted, it might be called a weed.

Can you think of any weeds you know?

We are going to look at some common wild plants.



Common Wild Plants

These are dandelions.

They have bright
yellow flowers.

They have fluffy white
seed heads.

Some people like to blow
the seeds and make a wish!



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Common Wild Plants

These are daisies.

They have white petals with bright yellow centres.

They grow in the grass.

Sometimes, people use them to make daisy chains.



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Common Wild Plants

These are buttercups.

They have shiny
yellow petals.

They have feathery leaves.

You might have played a
game where you hold one
under someone's chin to see
if it shines yellow!



Common Wild Plants

This is clover.

Clover has white or pink flower heads.

It has leaves in groups of three.

Some people think it is very lucky to find a four leaf clover!



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Common Wild Plants

These are nettles.

They have jagged,
prickly leaves.

They have tiny
green-white flowers.

Be very careful not to touch
them, they will give you a
nasty sting!



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Common Wild Plants

These are dog roses.

They have long
thorny stems.

They have sweet smelling
pale pink flowers.

In the autumn they grow
big red berries called hips.



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Common Wild Plants

This is ivy.

It has heart shaped or three pointed leaves.

It is an evergreen.

It climbs on trees and walls, or creeps along the ground.



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Which Wild Plant is the Most Common?



How could we find out which of these
wild plants is the most common in the
area that we are visiting?

Talk to your partner and see
if you have any ideas.



Garden Plants

Gardens are places where people grow plants.

Some people grow plants because they are nice to look at.

Some people use their gardens for growing things to eat.

You can plant your bean plant in a garden when you take it home.
Eventually it will grow tasty beans!

You might
have a
garden
where you
live.



A public
park is a
kind of
garden for
lots of
people to
enjoy.



Garden Plants

This is fushcia.

This is also called 'lady's eardrop' because of their drooping flowers.



Garden Plants

These are pansies.

The markings on pansies can sometimes look like faces, can you see it?



Garden Plants

This is a rose.

There are over 100 types of roses!

It is used in lots of perfumes, but be careful of their thorns!



Garden Plants

This is iris.

Butterflies love iris, and they are very easy to grow!



Garden Plants

This is sweet pea.

This plant has a very sweet fragrance.



Plants Sorting Activity



We are now going to sort different plants into **COMMON WILD** and **GARDEN** plants.

Can you remember them all?



EXTENSION

Who can explain the difference between common wild and garden plants?