

Plants – Year 1

Key vocabulary	
leaf	These are flat, thin and usually
	green.
flower	The part of a plant that is
	often brightly coloured.
petal	Thin, brightly coloured or
	white part of the flower.
fruit	Fleshy part of a plant that
	contains seeds or a stone.
root	The part of the plant that
	grows under the ground.
seed	Small part of a flowering plant
	that grows into a new plant.
trunk	Large main stem of a tree.
branch	Part of a tree that grows out
	from the trunk.
stem	The upright main stalk of a
	plant.
bark	The outer covering of a tree
	trunk.

Wangari Maathai (1940-2011) Wangari Maathai was a Kenyan environmentalist who began a movement to plant trees and re-forest her country. She was the first African woman to win a Nobel Peace Prize.

Deciduous and evergreen trees



Deciduous trees lose their leaves in the autumn every year.

Evergreen trees have green leaves all year round.







