

# Plants: Lesson 4

Write down your ideas using the stem sentence.

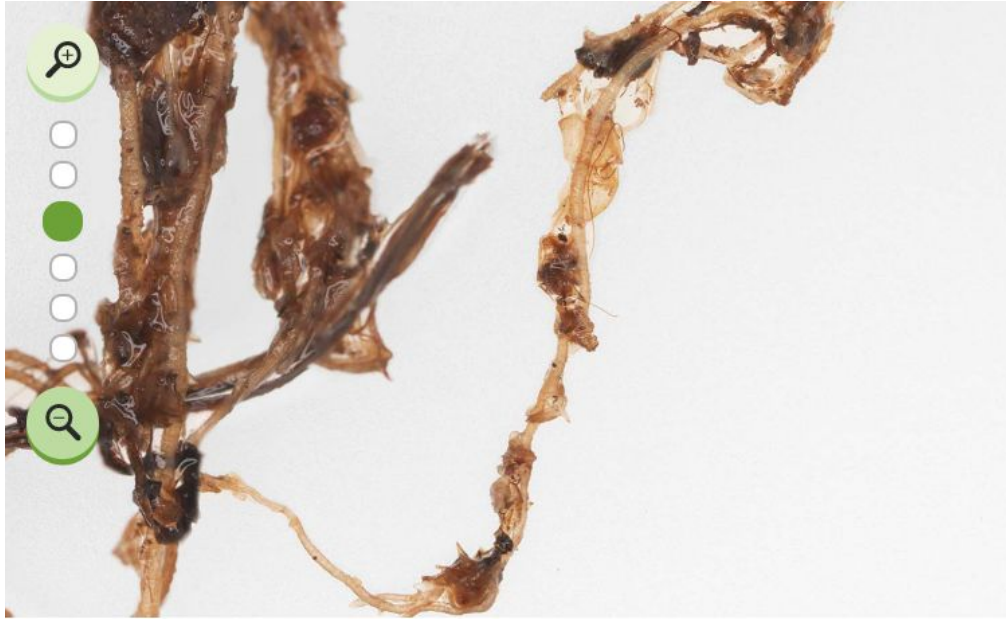
1.)



**What could the picture be showing?**

I think it is \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_ .

2.)



Write down your ideas using the stem sentence.

**What could the picture be showing?**

I think it is \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_ .

Write down your ideas using the stem sentence.

3.)



**What could the picture be showing?**

I think it is \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_ .



Can you remember what this part of the plant is called?

Watch:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zy66fg8/articles/z98jpbk>



While watching, think about this question:

What do plants need to grow and survive?

Dear Year 3 at Merdon Junior School,

I am writing to you because I have heard that you have become plant experts and I was wondering if you could give me some advice.

I was saddened to discover that six of my favourite plants have not grown or died. I have always looked after my plants carefully, so I am extremely confused about why this has happened.

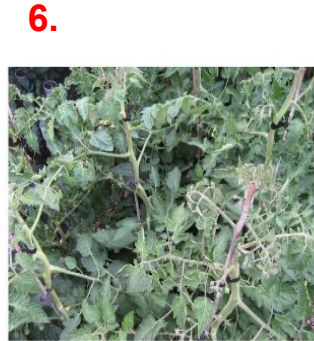
I have attached a photo of the each of plant to help with your investigation. I really appreciate your time and help!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Willow (the keen gardener)



What is wrong with each of the plants? Why are they not able to grow?



## Task

As a plant expert, write a letter replying to Mrs Willow.

Explain:

- What is wrong with each plant
- Why it hasn't grown/survived
- What should she have done and why
- What plants need to grow and survive.

# Watch this video to check your answers:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/science-ks1-ks2-ivys-plant-workshop-what-do-plants-need-to-survive/zkw2gwx>

