Biology- Key Stage 3 Lesson 1 - Plants and Photosynthesis

Plant Roots

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Name the parts of the plant cell

1. ______

2. _____

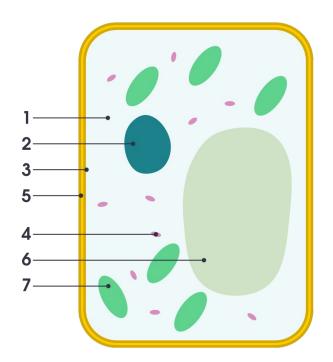
3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____





Match the organelle to its function

| <u>Organelle</u> | <u>Function</u> |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Cytoplasm | |
| Nucleus | |
| Cell Membrane | |
| Mitochondria | |
| Cell Wall | |
| Vacuole | |
| Chloroplasts | |



Self-assess

1. What is the role of the root hair cell?

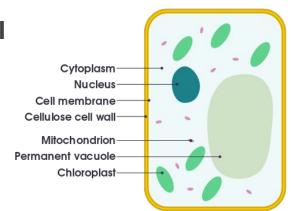
2. State two adaptations a root hair cell has

3. Explain why <u>one</u> of these adaptations is important

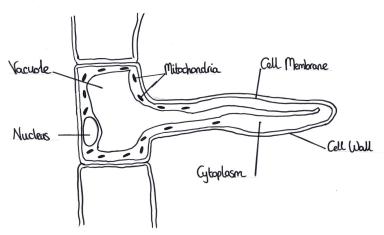


Compare a root hair cell to a typical plant cell

A root hair cell is similar to a typical plant cell because...



A root hair cell is different to a typical plant cell because...





Have a go...

- **1. What is the role of the roots?** The role of the roots is to absorb _____ and ____ from the ____.
- **2. By which process does water enter the roots?** Water enters the plant by ______.
- 3. Why does having a long membrane help the root hair cells to take in more water? Roots have a long membrane because...
- **4. Why do root hair cells have lots of mitochondria?** Root hair cells have lots of mitochondria because...

