Vocabulary

mystery science

Lesson: Why do plants give us fruit?

dissect	to take something apart to study it
flower	the reproductive part of some plants that can make seeds
fruit	the part of a plant that contains seeds inside a covering, like an apple
offspring	babies
ovary	part of a flower that contains its eggs
petal	the colorful part of a flower
pollen	a powder plants make that is involved in plant reproduction
pollination	the process of moving pollen from one part of a flower (the stamen) to another part of a flower (the stigma)
reproduction	a stage in the life cycle of living things when they have offspring
seed	part of a plant that can grow into a baby plant
stamen	the part of a flower that has pollen
stigma	the sticky part of a flower that pollen can stick to
vegetable	a plant part that humans eat, such as leaves, roots, or stems; does not include fruits, which contain seeds