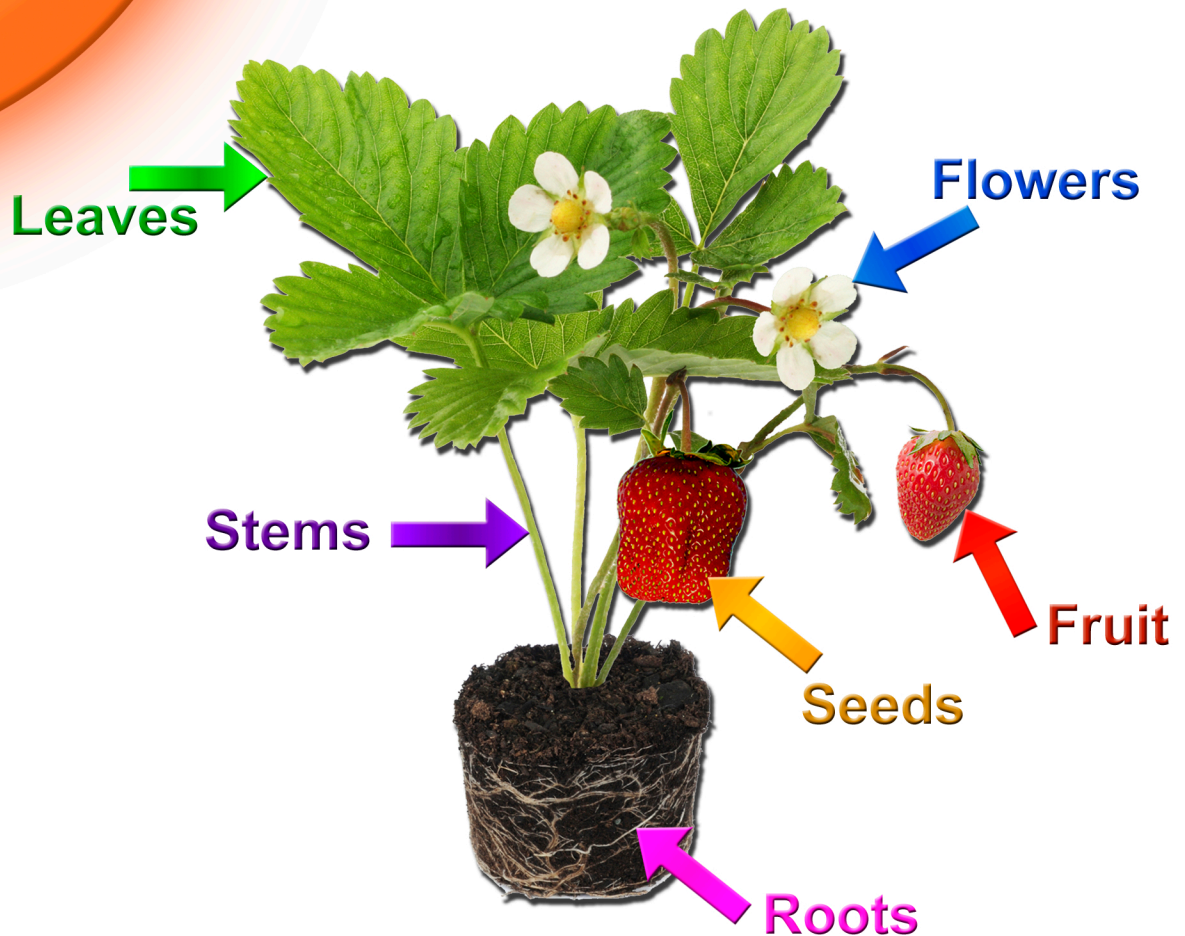


Parts of a Plant



Roots provide support for the plant and absorb water and nutrients from the soil. Stems not only support the leaves, but also serve as a transport system for water, minerals and glucose. Leaves make food for the plant through a process called photosynthesis. Flowers attract pollinators to help make the seeds. The fruit helps to spread the seeds. The offspring of plants come from seeds.