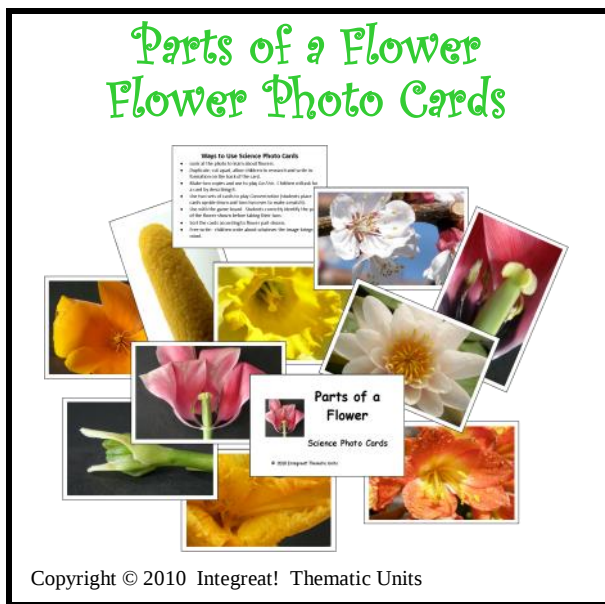




May Day Flowers

Flower Photo Cards

For all grades

Objective

Students will read information regarding the reproductive system of a flower (“Science Research Cards”). They will use the information to identify parts of a flower pictured on the “Flower Photo Cards.”

Preparation

1. Print pages 2-6 on cover stock, 1 sided, at a good quality print setting. Make as many copies as you need. (I suggest one set for every 2 students, if you are using them as a class assignment. Two-three copies are sufficient for a center.)
2. Laminate, cut apart, and store each set in a zippered baggie. (Use the image at the top of this page to label the baggie.)



Uses

- Place the cards at a center for student exploration.
- Have students match the “Science Photo Cards” (this file) with the “Science Research Cards” (file g) to identify flower parts without dissection.
- Use these cards with the “Merry Month of May” game board. Students choose a card and identify the flower part contained in the photo. (See answer cards, page 2.)
- Use these cards to review information about plant reproduction. Keep a set of cards by your chair, and whenever you have a few minutes, choose a card, show the image, and have a student tell what it does.
- Teach students how to use a field guide. Place it at the center, and have the students use the guide to identify the type of flower. (See answer cards, page 2.)
- Run extra copies, cut apart, and allow children to research and write information on the back of the card.
- Use two sets of cards to play *Concentration* (students place cards upside down and turn two over to make a match), or *Go Fish*.

Science Photo Cards—Answers

Parts of a Flower Science Photo Cards Parts of a Flower

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| 1 stamen (anther & filament), petal | 16 pistil, stamen (anther & filament) |
| 2 pistil, receptacle, petal | 17 peduncle, receptacle, pistil |
| 3 petal, pistil, stamen (filament) | 18 petals, stamen (anther), pollen |
| 4 pistil, pollen | 19 ovary (pistil is cut open) |
| 5 sepals, receptacle | 20 petal, pistil |
| 6 petals, stamen (anther & filament), pistil | 21 pistil, stamen (anther & filament), receptacle, petals |
| 7 pollen, stamen (anther & filament) | 22 petals, pollen |
| 8 pollen, stamen (anther & filament) | 23 petals, receptacle |
| 9 pistil, pollen, stamen (anther & filament), petals | 24 petals, pollen |
| 10 pistil, pollen, stamen (anther & filament) | 25 peduncle, sepals, petals |
| 11 sepals, peduncle | 26 petals, pistil, stamen (anther & filament) |
| 12 pollen, anther | 27 petals, pistil |
| 13 petals, peduncle | 28 petals, pollen, stamen (anther & filament), pistil |
| 14 stamen (anther & filament) | 29 petals, pollen, pistil, stamen (filament) |
| 15 pistil, petals, stamen, peduncle, receptacle | 30 petals, stamen (anther & filament) |

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Parts of a Flower Science Photo Cards Kinds of Flowers

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|--------------------|---------------|
| 1 Daylily | 16 Tulip |
| 2 Calla lily | 17 Tulip |
| 3 California poppy | 18 Tulip |
| 4 Calla lily | 19 Tulip |
| 5 Tulip | 20 Calla lily |
| 6 Clivia | 21 Tulip |
| 7 Daylily | 22 Daisy |
| 8 Camellia | 23 Iris |
| 9 California poppy | 24 Alyssum |
| 10 Apricot blossom | 25 Geranium |
| 11 Tulip | 26 Iris |
| 12 Geranium | 27 Impatiens |
| 13 Tulip | 28 Water lily |
| 14 Dandelion | 29 Daffodil |
| 15 Tulip | 30 Iris |

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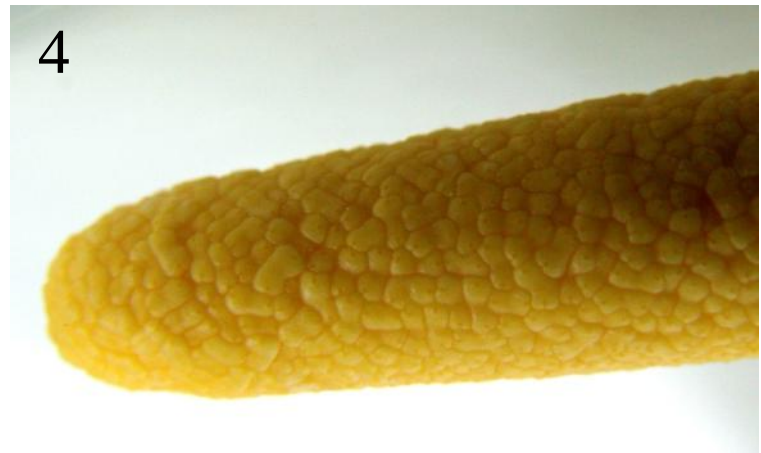
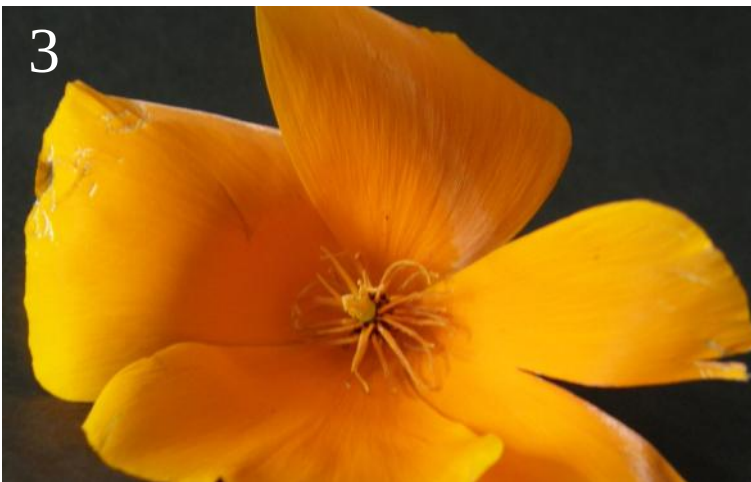
Parts of a Flower

Flower Photo Cards

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Ways to Use Flower Photo Cards

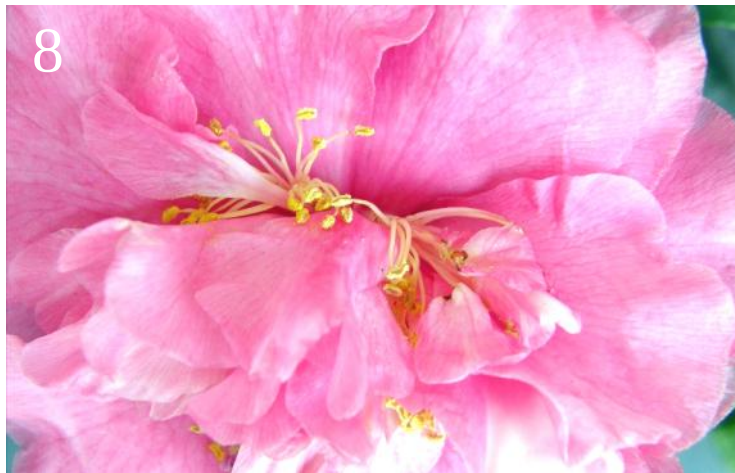
- Look at the photo to learn about flowers.
- Use the cards with the game board. Name a part of the flower shown before taking your turn. Use the green answer card to check yourself.
- Sort the cards according to the flower part.
- Write an informational paragraph to put on the back of a card.
- See how many flowers you can identify. Use the yellow answer card to check yourself.



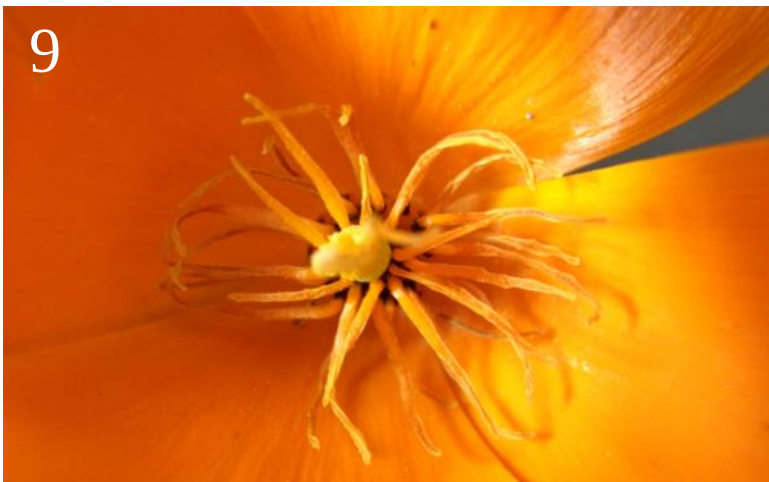
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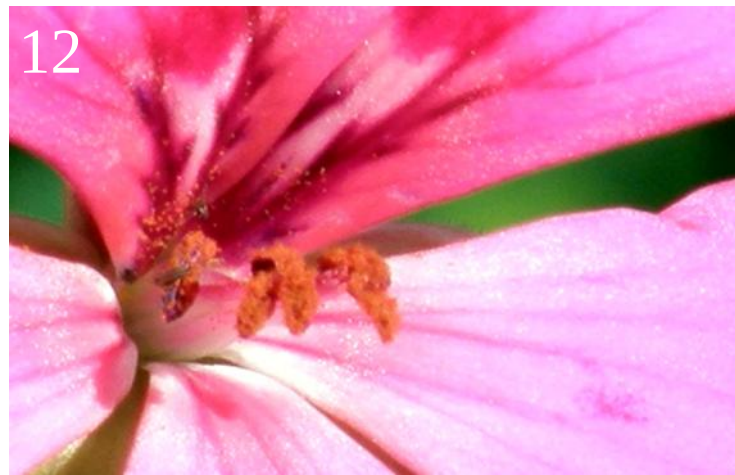
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