

Coloring & Activity Sheets Grades K-2





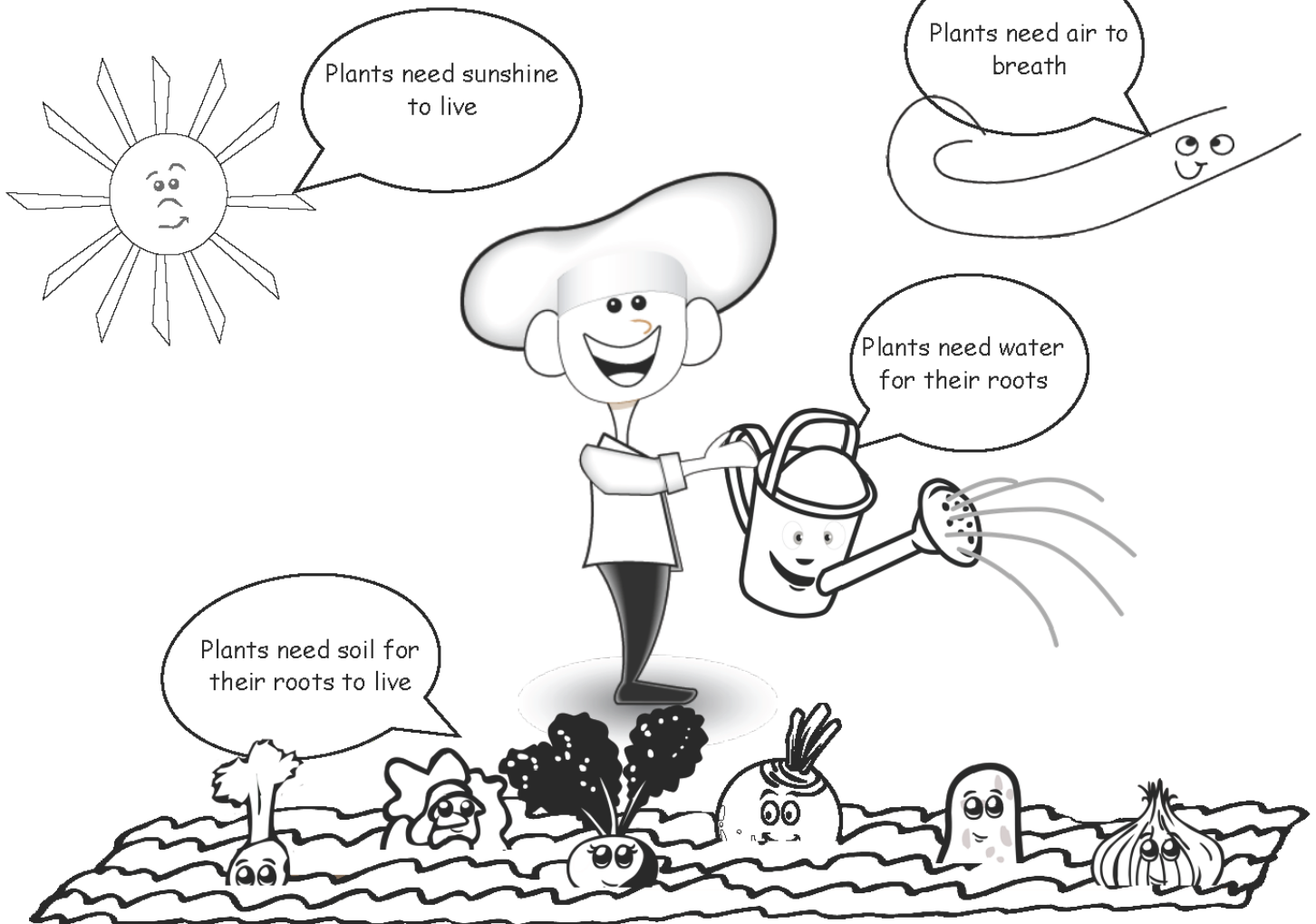
Four Elements for Growth!

What four key elements (things!) do plants need to be able to grow big and strong, and to produce the yummy fruits and veggies we eat every day? Color the picture, and then talk as a group about what the four main things are that plants need in order to grow!

What do plants need to Grow?- Coloring Sheet



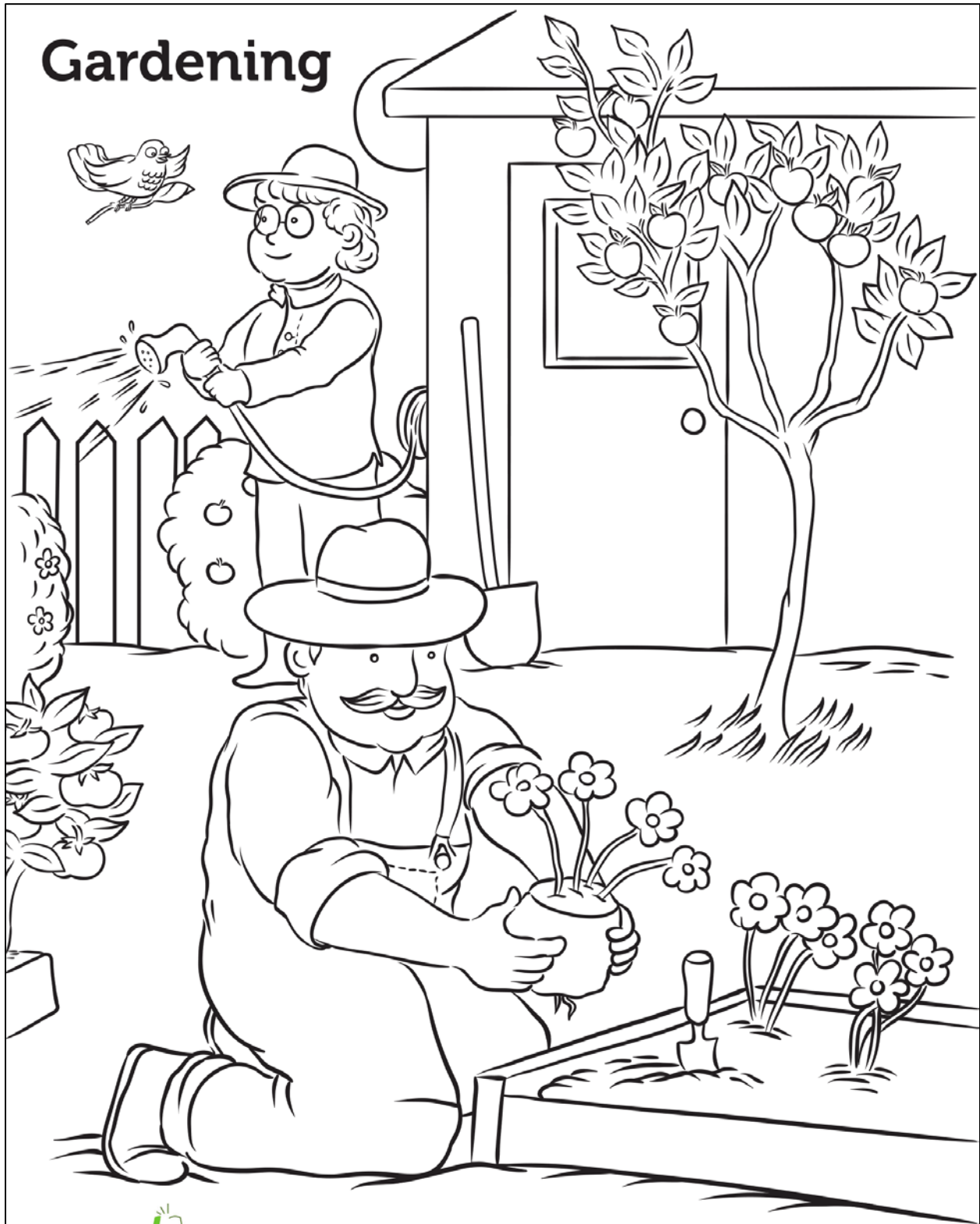
Plants need these four elements to be a healthy plant.





Gardening Coloring


April is National Garden Month! Have fun coloring this picture, and when you are done, circle all the things in the garden you can eat.



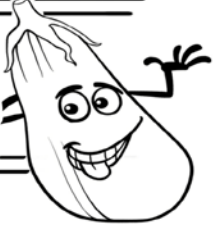


Garden Vegetables!

It's National Garden Month! Complete the activities below and think about all the nutritious veggies you could plant in your garden.

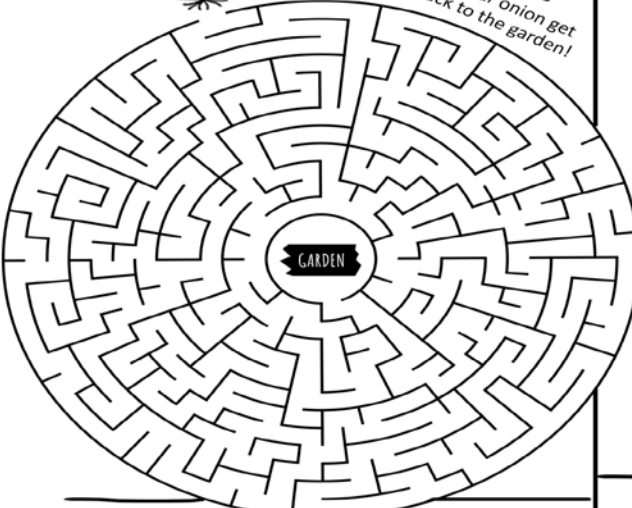


GARDEN VEGETABLES



MAZE

Help our onion get back to the garden!



GARDEN SCRAMBLE

Unscramble the letters below to make a just-picked word!

ASEP	TLAGEPGN
INNOO	GSAPRAUSA
MRCCUEBU	DEGRAN


A: Peas, onions, cucumbers, eggplant, asparagus, garden

RIDDLE ME THIS

- Don't cry! It's just a natural sulfur compound in me that reacts with your eyes and makes them water. What am I?
- I got my name because early varieties of me resembled a goose egg, and I'm usually dark purple in color. What am I?
- If you soak me in brine, I turn into a pickle! What am I?

A: Onion, eggplant, cucumber


#LOL



Q: Why did the gardener plant so many peas?


A: So there could be Peas on earth!

COLOR ME!



FOOD FACTS AND FUN

- All vegetables can be grown in the garden, but some are easier to grow than others. Garden vegetables that are fun to grow (and eat!) include string beans, leafy greens, tomatoes, squash (summer and winter squash), cucumbers, and potatoes (white and sweet).
- Vegetable gardens can be planted anywhere, but they need three main things to grow: lots of sunlight, water and good soil.
- Vegetables are an important source of carbohydrates, fiber, and many nutrients, including potassium and vitamins A and C. Vegetables help keep our digestive system healthy, help our eyes and vision, keep bones and teeth strong, and keep us from getting sick.





Herbal Coloring

Color the herbs and then think about the ones you would want to grow in your garden and maybe try in one of your favorite meals! If you have the chance to taste herbs at program, circle the ones you try!

rosemary

parsley

sage

basil

fennel

mint

thyme

green onions

rukolla

Herbs

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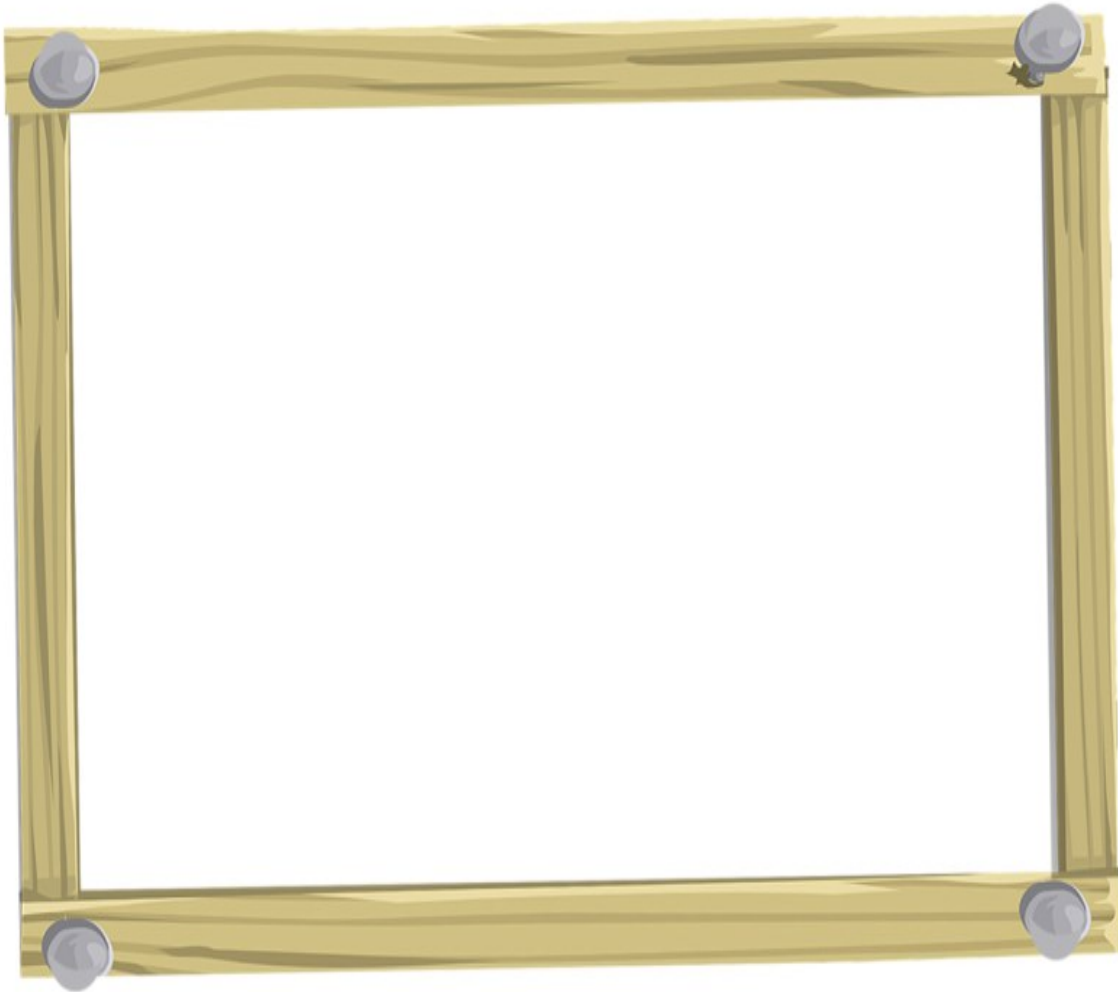
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Herbal Garden Planning

GARDEN PLANNING Activity Sheet

Before you get outside and start digging, it is a good idea to do a little planning! What herbs are you interested in growing?
Draw out your garden in the box below!



NAME _____ DATE _____



Photosynthesis!

Since April is National Garden Month, we need to focus on learning more about what makes our gardens grow! Have fun coloring this picture, and then talk as a group about what photosynthesis is, and why it is important for plants. More information on photosynthesis may be found at: <http://bit.ly/CHGplantfood>.

