How Plants Make Food

Grade 5 Science Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

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7. A plant on a sunny windowsill will lean toward the _____ .

8. Photosynthesis makes oxygen and _____ .

9. Every food chain begins with plants because only plants can turn sunlight into _____ .

10. Plants that grow in the shade often have larger _____ to catch more light.

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Answer Key - Grade 5 Science Worksheet

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