#### 1077 RAVIRAVI SANGAM SCHOOL YEAR 4 ELEMENTARY SCIENCE WORKSHEET 2 - SOLUTION

STRAND	LIVING THINGS AND THE ENVIRONMENT
SUB-STRAND	Structure and Life Processes
CONTENT LEARNING	Investigate how some particular observable features
OUTCOME	and behaviours of plants and animals enable them to
	survive.

# **LESSON NOTES**

### **Behaviour of Plants for Survival**

- Plants have certain adaptive features which helps them to get things they need. They behave and grow in different ways to get these things.
- Plants grow towards light.
- Roots grow downwards.
- Shoots grow upwards.
- Plants with weak stems are called climbers and creepers. They climb on other objects for support by twinning, with tendrils, clasping root and hooks. Example. Mile a minute, Karela, Passion Fruit, Pumpkin, Kumala, Orchids and others.
- Sensitive plants close their leaves when touched.
- Some plants are able to grow in wet area and muddy swamp..e.g. Water Lilies, river weeds, water cress, and sea weeds.

# **ACTIVITIES**

### Answer the following questions using the notes.

- 2. Roots grow <u>downwards</u>.
- 3. Shoots grow \_upwards\_\_\_\_\_
- 4. What are plants with weak stems called?
- 5. Sensitive plants close their leaves when touched for <u>protection</u>.
- 6. Give two examples of plants that grows in wet areas Water lilies, Sea weeds

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