

Looking For The Key To Wetlands Plants

1. Introductions
2. Explanation of classifying wetlands plant.
3. Have each student take a leaf and a characteristic list from the table
4. Partner the students and have them classify each other based on their features

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5. Invite students to the Plains Cottonwood Tree banner for placement of the leaves
6. Explanation of why scientist classify plants
7. Handout "What type of plant is it" worksheet and give directions
8. Hold brief discussion with students about their completed worksheet

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9. Hand out "Key to Emergent Plants" worksheet.
10. Work with students in assisting them in completing this worksheet
11. Thank everyone for participating, compliment behavior and answer any questions the children may still have
12. Re-set up each student workstation, checking and replacing supplies as necessary