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<b>aster</b>	A radiating array of microtubules associated with a centrosome in a dividing cell.
<b>birch</b>	A switch consisting of a twig or a bundle of twigs from a birch tree used to hit people as punishment. <i>My father never spared the <b>birch</b>.</i>
<b><a href="#">blossom</a></b>	Mature or develop in a promising or healthy way. <i>Youth <b>blossomed</b> into maturity.</i>
<b>bush</b>	Dense vegetation consisting of stunted trees or bushes. <i>A rose <b>bush</b>.</i>
<b>daisy</b>	Used in names of other plants of the daisy family e g Michaelmas daisy Shasta daisy.
<b><a href="#">desert</a></b>	Desert a cause a country or an army often in order to join the opposing cause country or army. <i>His life in the regiment had been such a hell that he decided to <b>desert</b>.</i>
<b>epiphyte</b>	Plant that derives moisture and nutrients from the air and rain; usually grows on another plant but not parasitic on it.
<b>flower</b>	A flower together with its stalk picked for use as a decoration. <i>All right then <b>flower</b>.</i>
<b>hawthorn</b>	A spring-flowering shrub or small tree of the genus Crataegus.
<b>herbaceous</b>	Characteristic of a nonwoody herb or plant part.
<b><a href="#">leaf</a></b>	A thing that resembles a leaf in being flat and thin. <i><b>Leaf</b> tea.</i>
<b>lily</b>	Used in names of other plants with flowers or leaves similar to those of the lily e g arum lily.

<b>mesquite</b>	A spiny tree or shrub of the pea family, native to arid regions of south-western US and Mexico. It yields useful timber, tanbark, medicinal products, and edible pods. The timber is used for fencing and flooring, and burned in barbecues as flavouring.
<b>orchid</b>	Any of numerous plants of the orchid family usually having flowers of unusual shapes and beautiful colors.
<b>outback</b>	Inaccessible and sparsely populated. <i>The <b>outback</b> of Ontario.</i>
<b>petiole</b>	The stalk that joins a leaf to a stem.
<b>plant</b>	Cover or supply an area of land with plants. <i>They built a large <b>plant</b> to manufacture automobiles.</i>
<b>pointed</b>	Having a sharpened or tapered tip or end. <i>His face tapers to a <b>pointed</b> chin.</i>
<b>pollinator</b>	An insect or other agent that conveys pollen to a plant and so allows fertilization. <i>Bees are effective <b>pollinators</b> of fruit and vegetables.</i>
<b>prickly</b>	Covered in prickles. <i>She came across as <b>prickly</b> and generally difficult.</i>
<b><u>rose</u></b>	Used in names of other plants whose flowers resemble roses e g Christmas rose rose of Sharon. <i>A warm flush now <b>rosed</b> her hitherto blue cheeks.</i>
<b>roseate</b>	Used in names of birds with partly pink plumage e g roseate tern. <i>His letters home give a very good although somewhat too <b>roseate</b> idea of how he lived.</i>
<b>shrub</b>	A woody plant which is smaller than a tree and has several main stems arising at or near the ground.
<b>spinous</b>	Shaped like a spine or thorn. <i>The dorsal fin is <b>spinous</b>.</i>
<b>spiny</b>	Full of or covered with prickles. <i>A <b>spiny</b> problem.</i>
<b><u>stalk</u></b>	A stalklike support for a sessile animal or for an organ in an animal. <i><b>Stalk</b> the woods for deer.</i>
<b><u>sting</u></b>	Cause a sharp or stinging pain or discomfort. <i>He felt the <b>stinging</b> of nettles.</i>
<b><u>thorn</u></b>	A thorny bush shrub or tree especially a hawthorn. <i>He s a <b>thorn</b> in my flesh.</i>

**thorny** Having many thorns or thorn bushes.  
*A **thorny** problem for our team to solve.*

**vegetation** The action or process of vegetating.  
*The chalk cliffs are mainly sheer with little **vegetation**.*

