

# A Plant Has Needs



### The Big Idea

Plants need water, light, and air to survive.

### Skills at a Glance

**Monitor-reading:**

- Ask questions

**Comprehension:**

- Identify stated main idea and supporting details

**Phonics and Phonemic Awareness:**

- Initial /l/ (light)

**Fluency:**

- Read with appropriate stress or emphasis

**Content Vocabulary:**

- air, food, light, plant, soil, water

**Grammar and Language Development:**

- Subject/verb agreement

**Sentence Pattern:**

- This \_\_\_\_\_ has \_\_\_\_\_.

\*Numerals and vocabulary words on pages 2 and 3 are not included in the word count of this book.

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## What does a plant need?



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**I need to know these words.**

**air**



**food**



**light**



**water**



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This plant has **water**.



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This plant has rain.



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This plant has sun.



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