

2.4 The parts of a flower

Activity 2.4a

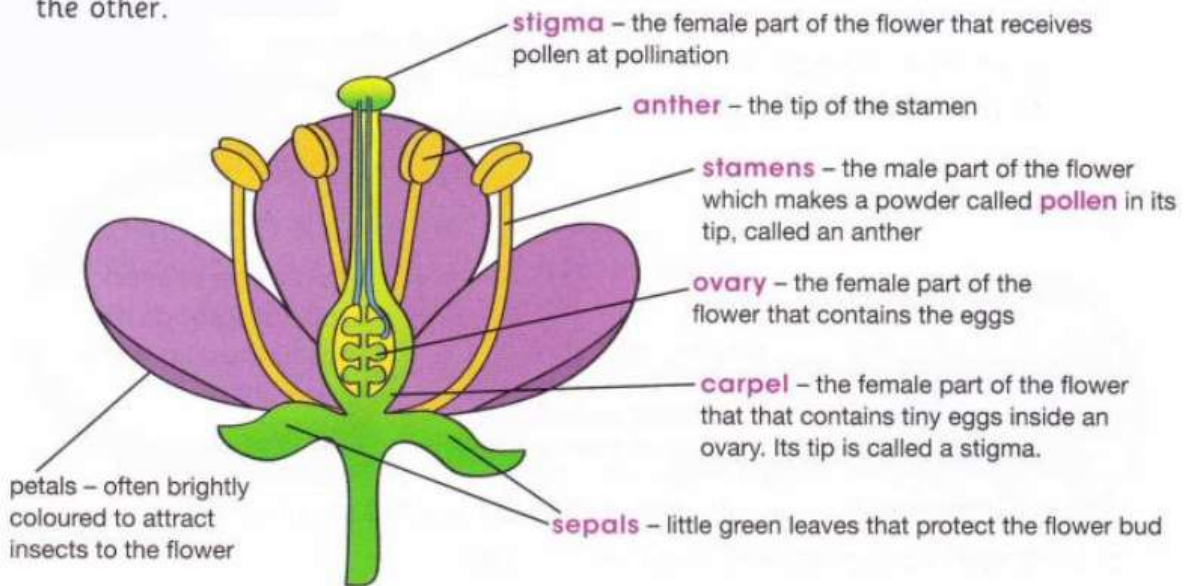
You will need:
a flower - a hand lens

Words to learn

sepals	stamen
carpel	ovary
pollen	anther
stigma	



Flowers have these main parts. These parts are arranged in rings, one inside the other.



- 2** Look at these sentences describing what the different parts of a flower do. Use the words in the box to fill in the spaces below.

stigma sepals ovary petals anthers stamens

The _____ are little green leaves that protect the flower bud. The _____ often have bright colours to attract insects. The male parts of the flower are the _____. They make **pollen** in their tips, called _____. The female part of the flower is made up of the _____, which collects pollen, and the _____, which contains the eggs.