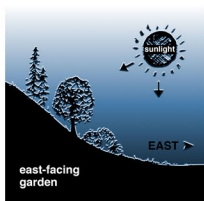


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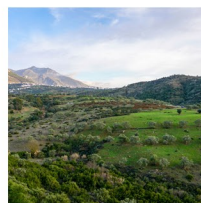
The scholars are learning to garden at New Place in Stratford-upon-Avon. Here are some useful words relating to the site. Read the Useful Vocabulary, then test your understanding by completing the two exercises.

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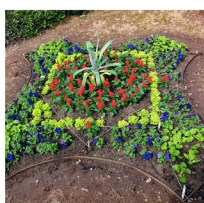
aspect

NOUN The direction faced by a garden or an area of a garden. South-facing areas get more light than north-facing ones.



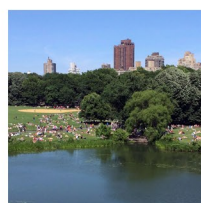
landscape

NOUN An expanse of land seen from a single viewpoint. A landscape includes all visible features. e.g. hills, lakes and houses



bed [planting bed]

NOUN An area of ground in which an arrangement of plants is grown. Sometimes called a flower bed.



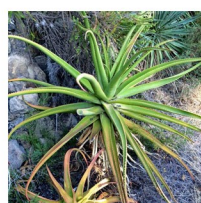
park

NOUN A large garden or area of land used for public recreation. e.g. walks, picnics, sports or reading



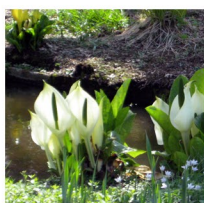
border

NOUN A strip of ground along the edge of a garden, lawn, path or wall in which plants are grown for display.



plant

NOUN A living organism that grows in earth or water, and that makes its own food from photosynthesis. There are over 300,000 plant species!



condition

NOUN Factors affecting the way plants grow. Different plants thrive in different growing conditions. e.g. full sun or moist soil



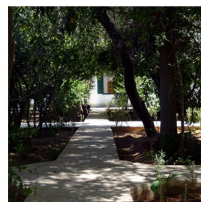
design [planting design]

NOUN A plan or drawing which shows an arrangement of plants in a bed or border. A plan is made before planting.



dry shade

ADJECTIVE A growing condition. Dark, cool area with dry soil due to little sunlight or rain. Often under trees and walls.



shade

NOUN Darkness and coolness due to shelter from sunlight. Some plants grow in shade, but many do not.



garden

NOUN A piece of ground used to display, grow and enjoy plants and natural features. Can be public or private.



site

NOUN An area of land on which a garden, park or building is created.