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Part 1: Building a Foundation

Which part of the flower is responsible for producing pollen?

Hint: Think about the male reproductive part of the flower.

- Sepal
- Petal
- Anther
- Stigma

Which of the following are parts of the pistil? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the female reproductive structure of the flower.

- Stigma
- Style
- Anther
- Ovary

Describe the function of the sepals in a flower.

Hint: Think about the protective role of sepals.

List the four main parts of a complete flower.

Hint: Consider the essential structures needed for reproduction.

1. First part

2. Second part

3. Third part

4. Fourth part

What is the primary role of petals in a flower?

Hint: Think about what attracts pollinators.

- To produce seeds
- To protect the ovary
- To attract pollinators
- To support the anther

Part 2: comprehension and Application

Which of the following statements about pollination are true? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the processes involved in pollination.

- It involves the transfer of pollen from the stigma to the anther.
- It can occur via wind, water, or animals.
- It is necessary for fertilization to occur.
- It results in the formation of seeds.

Explain why a flower might be considered incomplete.

Hint: Think about the parts that may be missing.

If a flower lacks petals, which type of pollination is it most likely adapted for?

Hint: Consider the characteristics of different pollination methods.

- Insect pollination
- Wind pollination
- Bird pollination
- Self-pollination

You are dissecting a flower and notice it has both stamens and pistils. What can you infer about this flower? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about the definitions of perfect and incomplete flowers.

- It is a perfect flower.
- It is an incomplete flower.
- It can self-pollinate.
- It cannot produce seeds.

Describe how you would use a magnifying glass to examine the ovules in a flower's ovary during dissection.

Hint: Think about the steps you would take to observe the ovules.

Part 3: Analysis, Evaluation, and Creation

Which part of the flower would you analyze to determine if it has been pollinated?

Hint: Consider the part that receives pollen.

- Sepal
- Petal
- Stigma
- Filament

In analyzing a flower's reproductive success, which factors would you consider? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about what contributes to successful reproduction.

- Number of pollinators visiting
- Size of the petals
- Presence of pollen on the stigma
- Development of seeds in the ovary

Compare and contrast the roles of the anther and the stigma in the process of pollination.

Hint: Think about the functions of each part in reproduction.

Which flower characteristic would be most important to evaluate when determining its primary pollinator?

Hint: Consider what attracts specific pollinators.

- Color of the petals
- Length of the style
- Number of sepals
- Size of the ovary

When creating a garden to attract pollinators, which flower traits should be prioritized? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about what features are appealing to pollinators.

- Brightly colored petals
- Strong fragrance
- Large sepals
- Abundant nectar

Design a simple experiment to test the effectiveness of different flower colors in attracting bees. Describe your methodology and expected outcomes.

Hint: Think about how you would set up the experiment.