

# Word Builder Exercise: Spring

**Instructions:** Match the word to the correct definition by filling in the correct letter.

Word	Answer	Definition
fiddleheads		A) process that allows you to decompose some of your table scraps and yard waste to fertilize soil
(to) germinate		B) the young, edible leaves of certain ferns.
soil		C) things you plant to grow some flowers, such as tulips, daffodils and irises
composting		D) to grow from a seed
bike path		E) a person who studies plants
indigenous		F) usually a narrow path in nature, used by bikers, horseback riders, bicyclists, hikers
bulbs		G) a sweet syrup made from the sap of the sugar maple tree
rhubarb		H) to collect things such as paper, glass or cans, to be used again
Botanist		I) a fruit tree that produces flowers
trail		J) a thin, light jacket designed to resist the wind and light rain; also called a "windcheater"
maple syrup		K) natural to a country or region, common to a particular area
recycle		L) used for temporary protection from rain or sun; handheld and light
blossom tree		M) a path separated from automobile traffic for biking and walking
wind breaker		N) a perennial plant with large leaves and long stems that can be eaten
umbrella		O) the top layer of dirt in which plants grow

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### Answer Key

1. B
2. D
3. O
4. A
5. M
6. K
7. C
8. N
9. E
10. F
11. G
12. H
13. I
14. J
15. L