Glossary and Index

A glossary is a text feature in the back of a book that lists the important words in the book in alphabetical order. It tells the meaning of important words in a text. Knowing the meaning of these words helps us understand the information in the text.

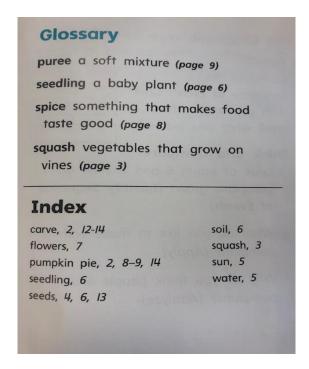
Let's use these glossaries to answer the questions on the following slides.

What is another name for a baby plant?

A. carve

B. seed

C. seedling



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Something that is modern would be in the:

- A. past
- B. present
- C. mountains

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What word describes something that is without color?

- A. shades
- B. colorful
- C. colorless

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If something is poisonous, it could ____:

- A. hurt you
- B. make you laugh
- C. keep you safe

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Which animal would look like a very big cat?

A. a python

B. a gecko

C. a jaguar

Glossary canopy the part of the rainforest that is in the treetops (page 12) gecko a small lizard (page 9) iaguar a very big wild cat (page 7) prey an animal that another animal hunts and eats (page II) python a large snake (page II) Index Amazon Rainforest, 2, 14 jaguar, 7 leafcutter ants, 4 anteater, 5, 7 poison dart frogs, 10 bats, 8 python, II blue wing butterfly, 14 tapir, 6, 7 canopy, 12 toucan, 13 gecko, 9

An index is a text feature in the back of the book that lists important key words in alphabetical order. It tells the page numbers where you can find information about those key words. Let's use the indexes to answer questions on the following slides.

What page might show how to carve a pumpkin?

A. 7

B. 13

C. 5

Glossary puree a soft mixture (page 9) seedling a baby plant (page 6) spice something that makes food taste good (page 8) squash vegetables that grow on vines (page 3) Index carve, 2, 12-14 soil, 6 flowers, 7 squash, 3 pumpkin pie, 2, 8-9, 14 sun. 5 water, 5 seedling, 6 seeds, 4, 6, 13

What pages might list the primary colors?

A. 3, 10, and 14

B. 2

C. 6-7

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What page might tell me who Martin Cooper is?

A. 11

B. 7

C. 4

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What page might show a picture of a snake?

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What page would tell about a poisonous animal?

A. 10

B. 1

C. 13

