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What is Plant Care

Mastering Plant Care for Happy, Healthy Plants!

DEFINITION

> Plant care is the practice of nurturing plants to help them grow strong and healthy. It involves providing the right environment, water, and nutrients.

KEY CONCEPTS

Watering

Plants need water to survive, but overwatering can harm them. Check the soil moisture before watering.

Light Requirements

Different plants need different amounts of light. Make sure to place them in suitable locations.

Soil Quality

Healthy soil provides essential nutrients. Use the right type of soil for your specific plants.

Fertilizing

Fertilizers provide extra nutrients. Use them according to the plant's needs and growth stage.

Pruning

Trimming dead or overgrown parts helps plants grow better. It encourages new growth and keeps them healthy.

EXAMPLES

- → Water your indoor plants once a week.
- → Place succulents in bright sunlight.
- → Use organic fertilizer for vegetable gardens.

MEMORY TIPS

- ★ Remember 'W.L.S.F.P.' for Water, Light, Soil, Fertilizer, Pruning.
- ★ Think of plants as pets that need care.
- ★ Use a watering schedule to keep track.

COMMON MISTAKES

- ✗ Overwatering plants, leading to root rot.
- ✗ Ignoring light needs, causing stunted growth.
- ✗ Using the wrong soil type for specific plants.

QUICK RECAP

Plant care is essential for healthy growth and involves watering, light, soil, fertilizing, and pruning. Remember to check each plant's specific needs to avoid common mistakes.