

The SECRETS of SEAGRASS

Seagrasses are a marine flowering plant that can live underwater. Unlike algae, they are true flowering plants with leaves, roots, flowers, seeds and underground horizontal stems called rhizomes. Seagrasses are highly specialised and have adapted to the soft sediments of coastal and estuarine environments. Seagrasses can range from the size of a fingernail to plants with leaves seven metres long. Many individual plants live together to form extensive seagrass beds or meadows.



Unscramble each of the clue words. Then copy the letters in the numbered cells to other cells with the same number to reveal the message.

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