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Carnivorous Plants

Some plants eat insects too! They are called carnivorous plants. They are mostly found in Wetlands and Swamps. Read the description and unscramble the words to find the names of these carnivorous plants. Take help from the Help box given below :

1. This plant looks like a striking cobra. The nectar in the tongue attracts the insect. The insect falls into the water at the bottom of the hood and is digested.
   BRCOA NPLAT _____

2. This water plant has hollow traps that catch animals such as worms and water fleas. If an insect touches the bristles on its door, the trap opens and sucks the insect in.
   DERBLADSWRTO _____

3. The leaves of this plant look like pitchers with a flap that partly covers the top. Insects are attracted to the sugary trail of nectar; however, once they are inside, they are trapped!
   HERTCPI NTPLA _____

4. The leaves of this plant are covered with a hair-like shiny substance which produces a sticky juice. This sticky juice entraps insects and they are soon digested.
   DEWSUN _____

5. The leaves of this plant have blades. They fold together and enclose the insect. A red sap digests the body. The plant dies after trapping three to four insects.
   UVENS RFLYTAP _____

HELP BOX

Bladderworts, Sundew, Venus flytrap, Pitcher plant, Cobra Plant

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Carnivorous plants prey insects to makeup the deficiency of nitrogen in their body.

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