Flower Culture



- 1. Define each of the following:
 - a. Perennials
 - **b.** Annuals
 - c. Biennials
- 2. Give general instructions for making a hotbed. What is the difference between a hotbed and a cold frame?
- **3.** What is drainage? Of what importance is it?
- **4.** Name three plant pests and tell how to control them.
- 5. Give instructions for making a window box and tell its use.
- **6.** Prepare the soil, fertilize, plant, and grow to maturity three different kinds of annuals.
- 7. Care for two or more perennial flowers growing outdoors for one season by fertilizing, watering, weeding, and treating for pests as needed. Maintain a written record with weekly entries, listing work done.
- **8.** Which three plant nutrients are most important to flowering plants?
- **9.** Identify three flowering plants adapted to each of the following conditions:
 - a. Shade
 - **b.** Dry soil
 - **c.** Full sun
 - d. Moist soil
- **10.** What is the purpose of a soil test?
- **11.** Make a picture collection of ten annuals, five perennials, and two biennials. Label and know the name of each from memory.

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