

## ● Seedless Plants

In the blank at the left, write the term listed below that best matches each phrase.

alternation of generations  
epiphyte  
fern  
frond  
gametophyte  
liverwort  
moss

pioneer species  
rhizoids  
rhizome  
sori  
sporophyte  
vascular tissue

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. the form of a moss plant that produces sex cells
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. a simple, rootless plant with leaflike growths that form a spiral around a structure that resembles a stem
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. a continual cycle that alternates between the sporophyte and gametophyte
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. structures that produce spores and are found on the lower surface of a fern leaf
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. rootlike filaments of a moss
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. the form of the moss plant that produces spores
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. a simple, rootless plant that has a flattened, leaflike body
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. the first plants to grow in a new or disturbed area
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. the underground stem of a fern
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. long, tubular cells that carry water, minerals, and nutrients through some types of plants
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. the leaf of a fern
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. a plant that grows on another plant for support
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. the largest group of seedless vascular plants

