Trees

Name _____ Date _____

Nonfiction | 52 words | Key details and new words

I read it: ☆ to myself ☆ to a grown-up ☆ to a friend

1. Trees are big plants. A tree has **roots,** a **trunk,** branches and leaves.

2. The **roots** are under the ground. They take in water from the **soil.** The **trunk** holds the tree up tall.

3. Trees help us. They give us shade and fruit. Birds make nests in trees, and squirrels live there, too.

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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Trees: questions

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I can find answers in the text. Look back at the text to check.

1 Circle the best answer

1. Where are the roots?

(a) in the sky (b) under the ground (c) on the branches

2. What holds the tree up?

(a) the leaves (b) the birds (c) the trunk

3. What is this text about?

(a) birds (b) trees (c) rain

2 Yes or no? Circle one.

Trees are plants.	Yes	No
Roots grow in the sky.	Yes	No
Birds make nests in trees.	Yes	No

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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Trees: words and writing

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1 Match each word to its meaning. Draw a line.

roots	○	○ plant parts under the ground
trunk	○	○ the thick stem of a tree
soil	○	○ dirt where plants grow

2 Write your answer.

How do trees help us?

3 Draw and label something you learned.

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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Answer key: Trees

1 Circle the best answer

1. b) under the ground
2. c) the trunk
3. b) trees

2 Yes or no

Yes: Trees are plants.

No: Roots grow in the sky.

Yes: Birds make nests in trees.

3 Word meanings

roots: plant parts under the ground

trunk: the thick stem of a tree

soil: dirt where plants grow

4 Written answer (sample)

Trees give us shade and fruit.

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