

PLANT KINGDOM

Introduction

The living organisms found on the earth differ in their structures, habit, habitat, mode of nutrition, and physiology. Living organisms show a lot of similarities and differences so that they can be arranged into many groups systematically. In the traditional system of classification, the plant kingdom is divided into two sub-kingdoms called nonflowering plants (Cryptogams) and flowering plants (Phanerogams). Thallophyta, Bryophyta, and Pteridophytes are nonflowering plants. In this lesson, we will study algae, fungi, bryophytes, pteridophytes, Angiosperms, and Gymnosperms.