Bug Eaters

Did you know that some plants eat bugs? They do! But first the plants must catch their food.

The Venus's flytrap has little hairs on its leaves. When a bug moves against these hairs, the plant feels it. Then the leaves snap shut. The bug is trapped.

The teasel is a plant shaped like a cup. When it rains, water stays in the bottom of the cup. Bugs fall into the water. They cannot get out.

Look at the picture of the sundew plant. Do you see the long "arms"? These "arms" make sticky drops. A bug lands on the drop and gets stuck. Then the "arms" close up. They trap the bug!

The rainbow plant also traps bugs with sticky drops.

1. Which two plants have sticky drops?

2. How are all these plants the same?
   A) They all have hairs on their leaves.
   C) They all have "arms."
   B) They all trap bugs.
   D) They all have drops.

3. Which plant is shaped like a cup?
Name ______________________

Read the clues, then write the words.
Start at the bottom and climb to the top.

More or Less

Opposite of most.
Add one letter.

If something can’t be found, it’s ___.
Change one letter.

The land next to the sea.
Add one letter.

A wooden barrel that holds liquids.
Change one letter.

The pole on a sailboat that holds the sails.
Change one letter.

Opposite of first.
Change one letter.

The price of something.
Take away one letter.

What a doctor puts on your arm or leg if it’s broken.
Change one letter.

This covers your face on Halloween.
Change one letter.

Word Choices:
least mask cast last
most cask coast