

# Challenge

## Answers

Below are statements that describe each stage of the flower life cycle, but they are in the wrong order! Write the numbers **1 – 7** to show the **correct order**. The first one has been done for you.

- 1** The flower's petals are brightly coloured and attract insects to it.
- 5** In the ovary, the pollen joins with an ovule and forms a seed.
- 4** The pollen travels down the style to the ovary.
- 3** The insect travels to another plant and leaves some of the pollen on the stigma of the other plant.
- 7** If the seed has everything it needs (air, water, light, nutrients, room to grow) then it grows into a new flower.
- 6** When fully grown, the seeds are dispersed by wind, animals, water or explosion.
- 2** The insects come to drink the flower's nectar and pick up some of the pollen from the anther.

