

Mushroom Hunt

Hide the cards from the next pages around your house or classroom. Can you find mushrooms that match all of the shapes on the basket?



Extender Activity:

Can you make a new card for your favorite mushroom or for a different mushroom that you've learned about?





Black Trumpet

These beautifully colored fungi are found in North America, Europe, Japan, and Korea.

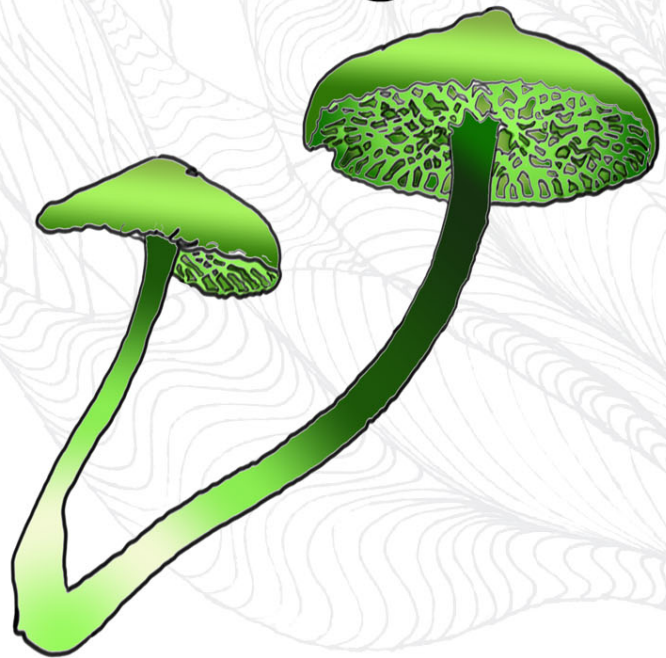
They are often found under beech and oak trees.

Bioluminescent Fungi

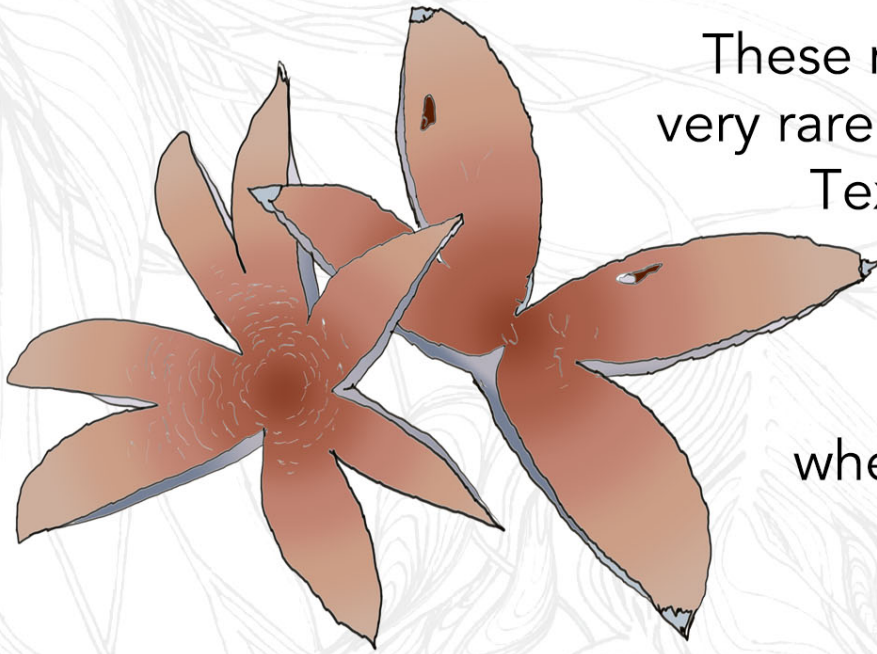
This fungi family glows in the dark!

They are mostly found in tropical climates.

There are more than 75 species of bioluminescent fungi.



Texas Star (Devil's Cigar)

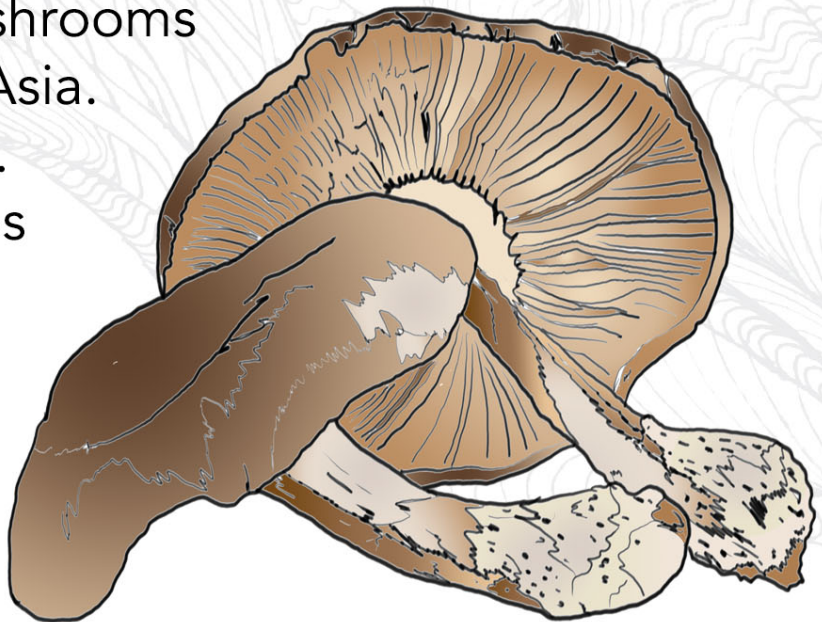


These mushroom are very rare. They grow in Texas and Japan.

They make a hissing sound when they release their spores.

Shiitake

These popular mushrooms are native to East Asia. They grow on logs. They release spores from their gills.



Turkey Tail

These colorful mushrooms grow on trees.
They are found throughout the world.
They get their name
from their striped
colors.



Hen of the Woods

Often found
at the base of
trees, these
mushrooms
grow in
clusters.



Bolete



These mushrooms are found all around the Northern Hemisphere. They are popular in cooking.

The Porcini (or King Bolete) is perhaps the best known Bolete type.

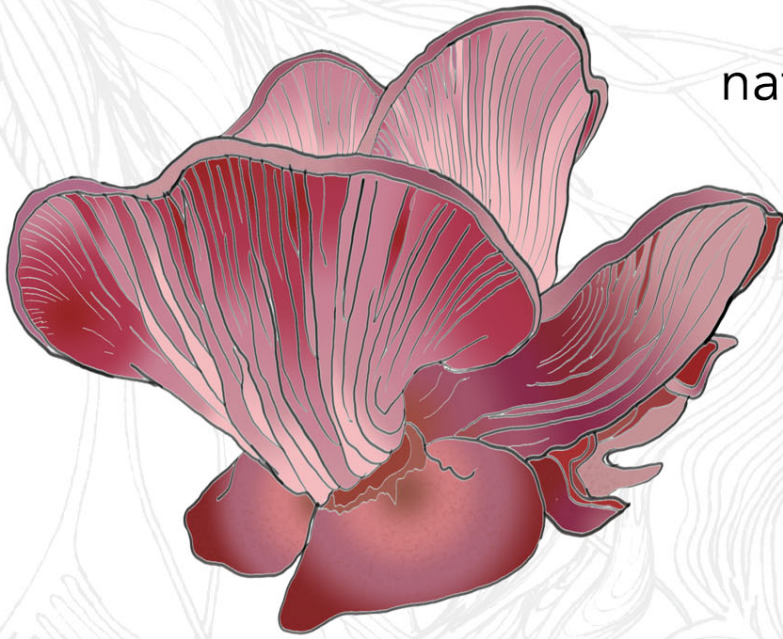
These distinctive mushrooms are found all over the Northern Hemisphere.

They have a honeycomb-patterned cap and are friends to trees.

Morel



Pink Oyster

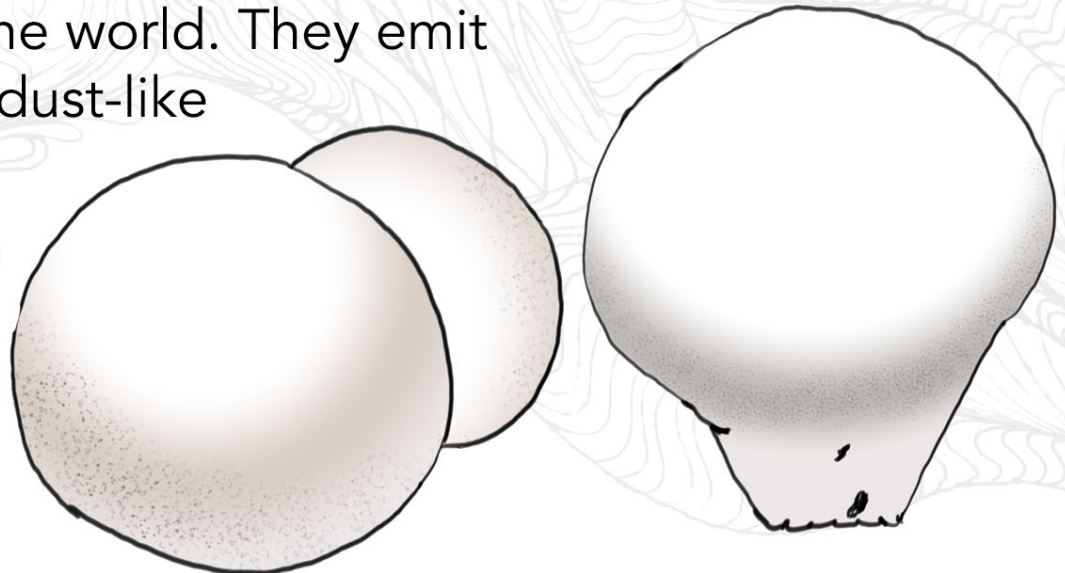


These mushrooms are native to Indonesia. They are now grown all over the world, often on logs or in sawdust mixes.

They have a vibrant pink color that fades quickly when cooked.

Puffball

These round mushrooms are found all over the world. They emit a puff of dust-like spores if you step on them.



Truffle

There is debate on whether these famous fungi are true mushrooms.



They are a prize to find and are very valuable.