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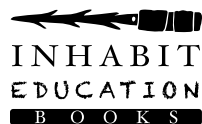
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My name is Meeka. I love spending time outdoors.

I find plants and animals really interesting. You don't have to go far to see amazing things in nature.

Today I am looking for plants. Many kinds of plants grow on the tundra. They have different colours and shapes.

Let's go find some. Follow me!





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Arctic Poppies

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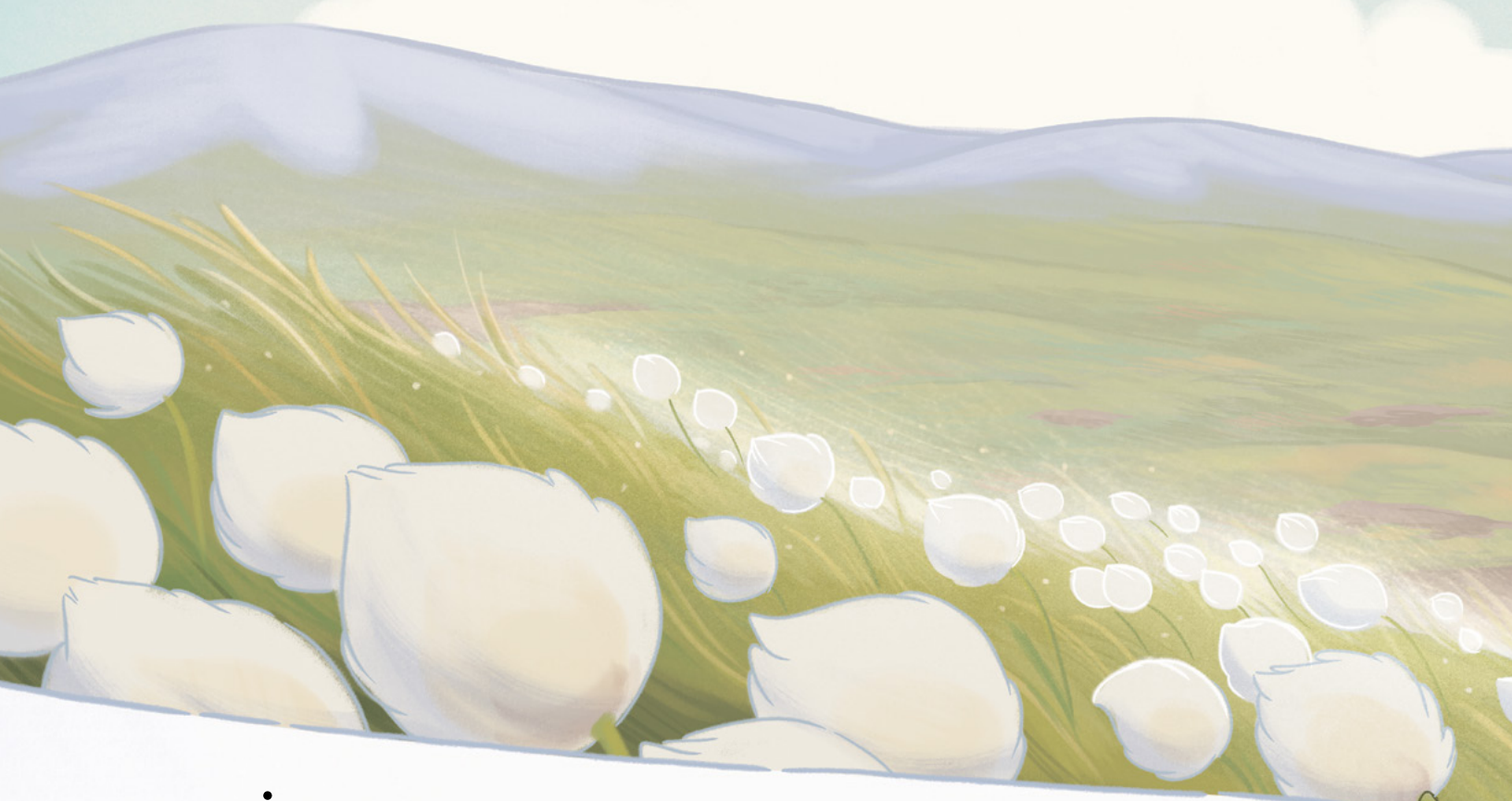
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Arctic poppies are beautiful. They have yellow or white petals.

Arctic poppies lean toward the sun. They move all day as the sun moves across the sky.





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Arctic Cotton

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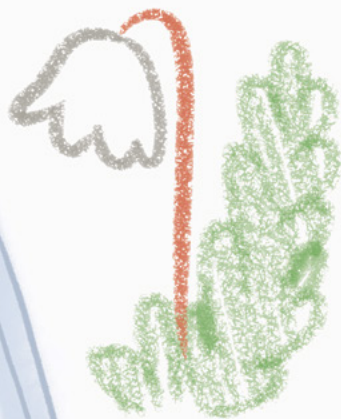
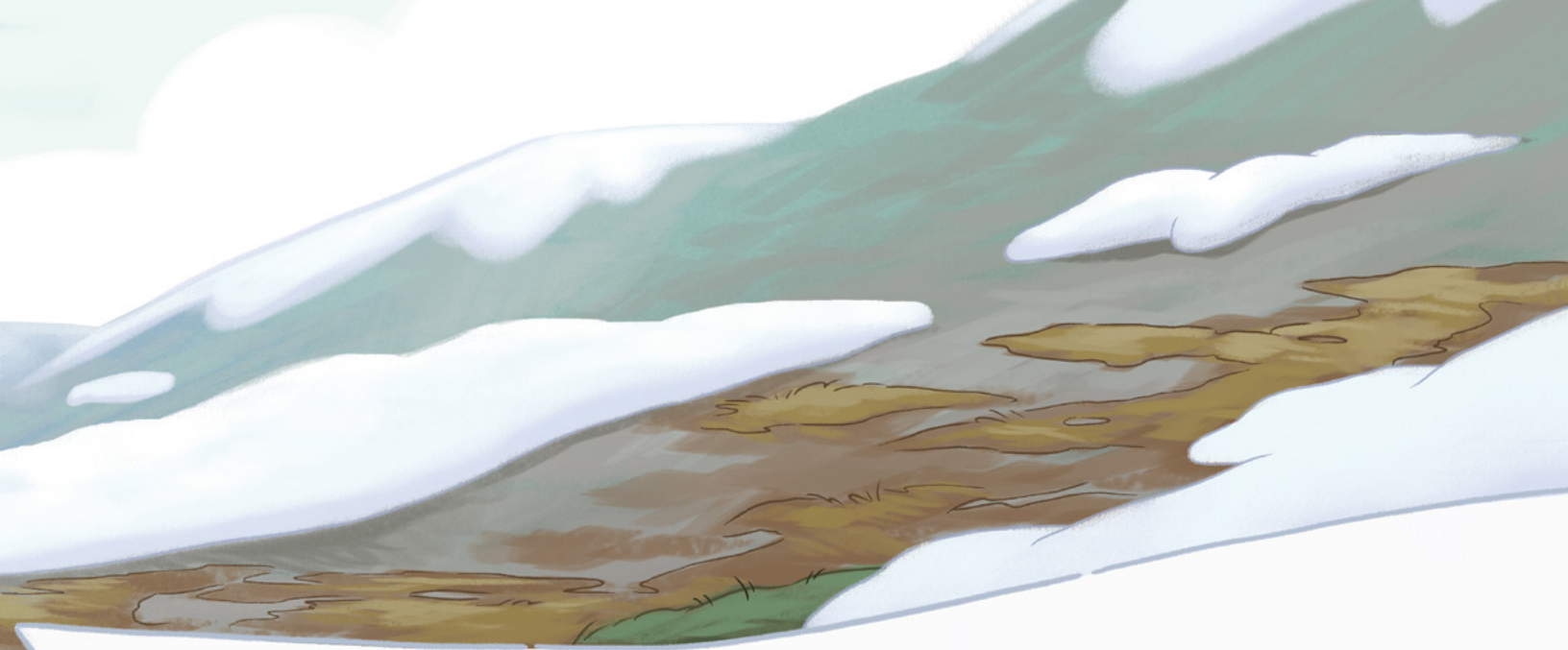
Arctic cotton has fluffy white blooms. I love watching them move in the breeze.

My grandma uses Arctic cotton as a wick for her stone lamp.









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Arctic Heather

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Arctic heather has cute little flowers that point down.

In the winter, Arctic heather stays green under the snow!

Arctic heather burns well. My grandma uses it to make fires.



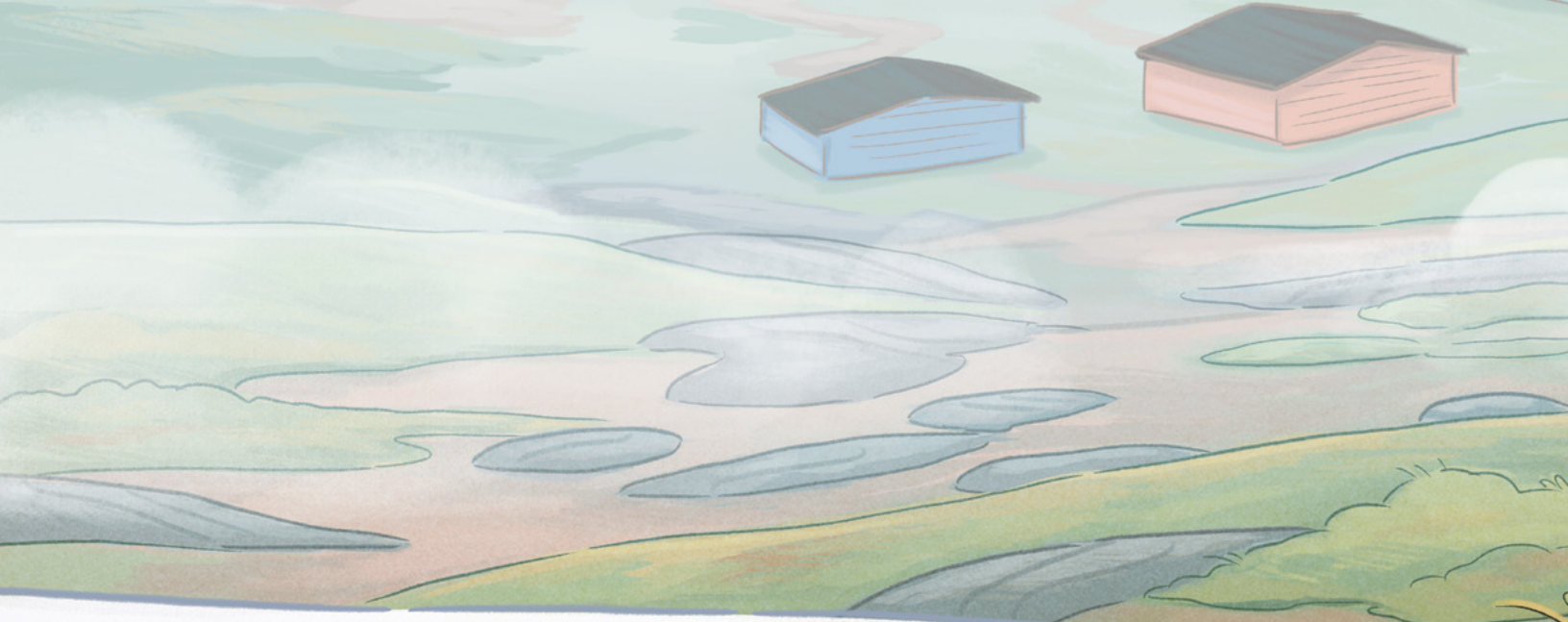




Arctic Willow

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Arctic willow is a shrub. Its long stems grow along the ground. The stems are woody like a tree trunk.



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Crowberries

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Crowberries grow low to the ground.

Crowberries are really dark purple, almost black. They grow in the summer.

My mom makes jam with crowberries. It is delicious with bannock!







Dwarf Fireweed

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I can spot the dwarf fireweed flower from far away. The pink is so bright.

The dwarf fireweed flower is my favourite flower to draw. It has a very unique shape.







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Mountain avens have white flowers with yellow centres. The flowers grow in big groups.

Mountain avens often grow in rocky areas.

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We saw a lot of beautiful plants today.

Which plant was your favourite?



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Join Meeka as she explores the tundra to find all sorts of plants, from Arctic cotton to purple saxifrage and everything in between. What blooming, growing greenery will she discover next?



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