

Oral questions

Choose the correct option

- (1) Cactus is a desert / aquatic / terrestrial plant.
- (2) In marshy / desert / hilly areas the soil is clayey and sticky.
- (3) Duckweed and water lettuce are underwater / floating plants.

Ques How the roots of the plants of the grass family

Ans Plants of the grass family have a fibrous root system and not a tap root system. Fibrous roots spread through the soil and help to hold the soil more firmly than tap roots. This helps prevent washing away the soil and thus, helps in conserving soil.