foli-

Latin root meaning "leaf"

bifoliate

adj. having two leaves or leaflets

defoliant

n. a chemical that strips leaves from plants

exfoliate

v. to remove a thin outer layer or leaf of skin

foil

n. a thin leaf or sheet of metal

foliage

n. the leaves of a plant or tree

folic acid

n. an important B vitamin found in green leafy vegetables

folio

n. a sheet of printing paper folded once to give two leaves or four pages

portfolio

n. a large flat casefor carrying leaves or sheets of paper

trefoil

n. a plant with three leaves

unifoliate

adj. having a single leaf