

# Normal Flowers: Petals Fused Pink Family

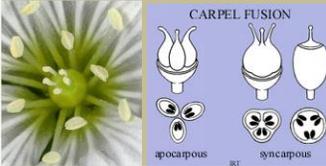
## Pink Family Flowers



Petals often notched or divided.

In one genus  
Superior ovary is hidden  
inside an inflated calyx.

Obvious superior bulbous ovary.



## Pink Family Leaves



Opposite & most often narrow.  
Borne on enlarged nodes.



A few have opposite leaves that  
are not narrow.

## Pink Family Starwort (*Stellaria*)

### Flower

Petals often notched or divided.  
Obvious superior bulbous ovary.

### Long Stalked Starwort



### Leaves

Opposite, often narrow.  
Borne on enlarged nodes

General  
To 1' tall.



Boreal Starwort

## Pink Family Silene

### Leaves

Opposite, often narrow.  
Borne on enlarged nodes.

### Flower

Ovary superior. Inflated calyx.  
Petals notched or divided.



Bladder Campion



Parry's Silene

## Pink Family Chickweed (*Cerastium*)

### Flower

Petals often notched or divided.  
Obvious superior bulbous ovary.

### Leaves

Opposite & narrow  
Borne on enlarged nodes



Field Chickweed



## Pink Family Sandworts (3 separate genus - all Sandworts)

### Flower

Petals not notched.  
Obvious superior bulbous ovary.

### Leaves

Opposite, often narrow.  
Borne on enlarged nodes.



Bigleaf Sandwort



Alpine Sandwort



Thread-leaved Sandwort

