

Knowledge Organiser

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Living Things and their habitats

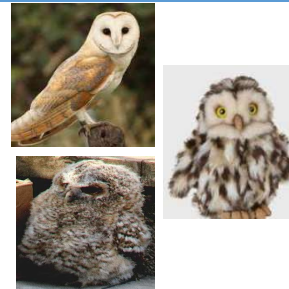
Vocabulary

living	An animal or plant that is alive needing oxygen, water and nutrients.
non-living	An object that does not need oxygen, water or nutrients.
herbivore	An animal that eats only plants.
carnivore	An animal that eats only meat.
omnivore	An animal that eats both meat and plants.
habitat	A place where a living thing makes its home.
environment	The physical surroundings where living things are.
microhabitat	The place or environment where a plant or animal lives.
food chain	The order in which living things depend on each other for food.
plants	A plant is a living thing that grows in the earth and has a stem.
animals	An animal is a living creature such as a dog, lion, or rabbit.
life processes	The activities that a living thing performs to survive



Rachel Carson explored how to keep habitats safe.

Living, dead and things that have never been alive



An animal or plant can be a living thing, dead or never have been alive.

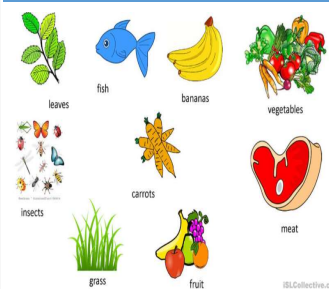
For example an owl that is alive, an owl that is dead and not living and a toy owl that has never been alive.

Microhabitat



Living things live in habits and microhabitats. For example some birds live in nests. A spider can be found in a web.

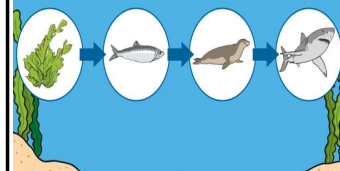
What animals eat



Animals have different diets. For example carnivores eat meat, herbivores eat plants and omnivores eat both.

Food chain

Under the Sea Food Chains



Animals eat different living things to survive. For example sea weed is eaten by small fish, seals eat the small fish and sharks eat seals.

Naming and identifying plants and animals



There are a variety of different animals and plants. For example a plant can be named a type of tree like an oak tree or maple tree, or a type of flower like a daffodil or sunflower.

Working scientifically

describe



compare



record



measuring



observe



question

