

Biology Bricks Keywords

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Movement

A living organism is able to move freely and independently, instead of, for example, like a virus which has to be carried through the air or water.



Respiration

A living organism will always be respirating, or breathing. Non-living organisms don't have this function.



Sensitivity

A living organism will have sensitivity to things such as temperature, humidity, and other biotic and abiotic factors surrounding this.



Control

A living organism will have control over processes that it does – how it moves, breathes and eats.



Homeostasis

A living organism will have a homeostasis level. This means they have a balance of controls that regulate how they work at all times.



Growth

A living organism will grow, and this is a major part of what living organisms do as they get older.



Reproduction

A living organism will reproduce naturally, without the need for a host, like a virus. This can be done like a mammal, or like birds having eggs, etc.



Excretion

A living organism needs to be able to excrete, particularly the nutrition it takes in.



Nutrition

A living organism needs nutrition in order to keep it alive. It uses this nutrition for energy, for growth and reproduction.

