

## Prior Learning

- I can explore the natural world around me, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants.
- I know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments.
- I know about some important processes and changes in the natural world around them.
- I can identify and name a variety of common animals.

## Sticky Knowledge

- I can explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive.
- I know that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited.
- I can describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other.
- I can name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including microhabitats.
- I can use a simple food chain to describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals.

## Vocabulary

<b>Life Processes</b>	These are things that all living things do. There are seven of these. We remember them with the name MRS GREN.
<b>Movement</b>	When something moves.
<b>Respiration</b>	The process that all living things go through to create the energy they need to live.
<b>Sensitivity</b>	When a living thing can sense something, such as smell, feel, see, hear or taste.
<b>Growth</b>	When something gets bigger or develops.
<b>Reproduction</b>	When a plant or animal produces offspring (new life, a baby)
<b>Excretion</b>	When a living thing gets rid of waste.
<b>Nutrition</b>	Food or nourishment that helps animals to be healthy.
<b>Living</b>	Things that are alive and have all the life processes
<b>Dead</b>	Things that once were living but are now not. They do not have all the seven life processes
<b>Never Living</b>	Something that has never had the life processes or ever will.
<b>Food Chain</b>	A diagram that shows how each animal gets its food. They show how animals depend on each other to survive.
<b>Food Sources</b>	The place where a living thing gets its food from.
<b>Habitat</b>	A natural place where something lives. Habitats provide living things with what they need to survive.
<b>Microhabitat</b>	A very small habitat that smaller creatures such as minibeasts live.
<b>Depend</b>	To need something.
<b>Survive</b>	To stay alive.

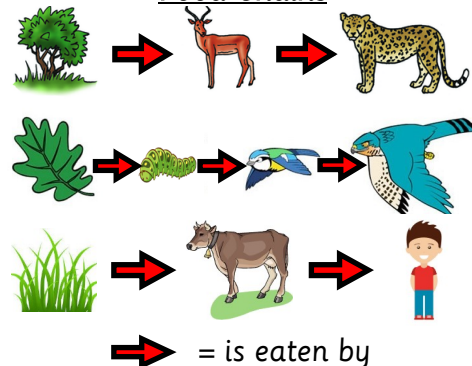
## Types of Habitat



## Types of Microhabitat



## Food Chains



## LIVING or NON-LIVING?

Living things have 7 characteristics:

- M** movement
  - r** respiration
  - s** sensitivity
  - G** growth
  - r** reproduction
  - e** excretion
  - n** nutrition
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