



CHARACTERISTICS OF LIVING THINGS

Objective:

To understand and identify living and non living things using characteristics

Teacher info:

There are seven activities that make living things different from non living things.

These are:

- Take on nutrients
- Grow from babies to adults
- Move around in different ways
- Reproduce - have live babies or lay eggs
- Respond to stimuli - escape from danger and repair if hurt
- Respire - use oxygen for energy
- Excrete waste - get rid of excess gas and water

Activity:

Use the above information to determine whether the following subjects are living or non living things.

Characteristics	Rat	Car	Dolphin	Snail	Washing Machine	Rock
Reproduce						
Nutrients						
Grow						
Move						
Respond						
Respire						
Excrete Waste						