

Year 1 and 2 Science - Autumn 1 - Living Things and Their Habitats

Key Knowledge:

Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants.

Identify and name a variety of animals in their habitats, including microhabitats.

Working Scientifically:

Asking questions and recognising they can be answered in different ways.

Observing.

Identifying and classifying

Using observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions.

Vocabulary:

Habitat: The natural home or environment of an animal, plant, or other organism.

Micro-habitat: A very small, specific area within a larger ecosystem such as a space under a stone or between the roots of a tree.

Survive: To stay alive.

Shelter: A place that gives protection from bad weather or danger.

Food chain: A linear sequence that shows how energy and nutrients are passed from one organism to another.

Environment - the surroundings where an animal, or plant lives.

Wild - natural states

