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| **Key Facts** |
| There are **7 life processes** and these are: movement, reproduction, sensitivity, nutrition, excretion, respiration and growth. |
| A **habitat** is a place where living things including plants can find all the things they need to survive. This includes food, water, space to move and grow and shelter.  |
| A **microhabitat** is a small habitat such as under a rock or on a branch. Minibeasts live in a microhabitat. |
| A **food chain** is the order that living things depend on each other to survive. **Nutrients** are passed through the living things. Food chains begin with plant life and end with animal life. |
| Animals that eat other animals are called **predators** and animals that are eaten by other animals are called **prey**. |

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| **Key Vocabulary** |
| **Living** | Things that have all the life processes.   | **Woodland** | A land covered with trees. |
| **Dead** | Things that do not have life processes. Things that are dead were once living and did have life processes. | **Ocean** | A huge body of salty water. |
| **Never alive** | Things that do not have all the life processes. They may move but they do not breath or reproduce. | **Seashore** | The edge of the sea which is often sandy and stony. Seas are smaller than oceans and are often next to land. |
| **Shelter** | A place giving protection from bad weather or danger. | **Rainforest** | A tall forest that receives lots of rain every year. |
| **Condition** | Something that an animal needs to survive e.g. food, water, space to move and grow and shelter. | **Desert** | A place that has very little rainfall. |