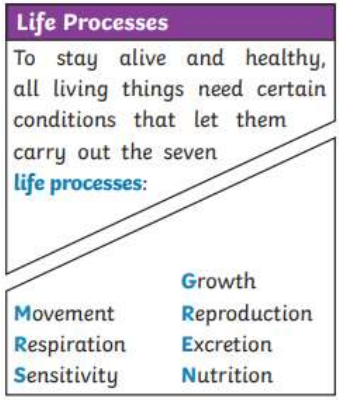
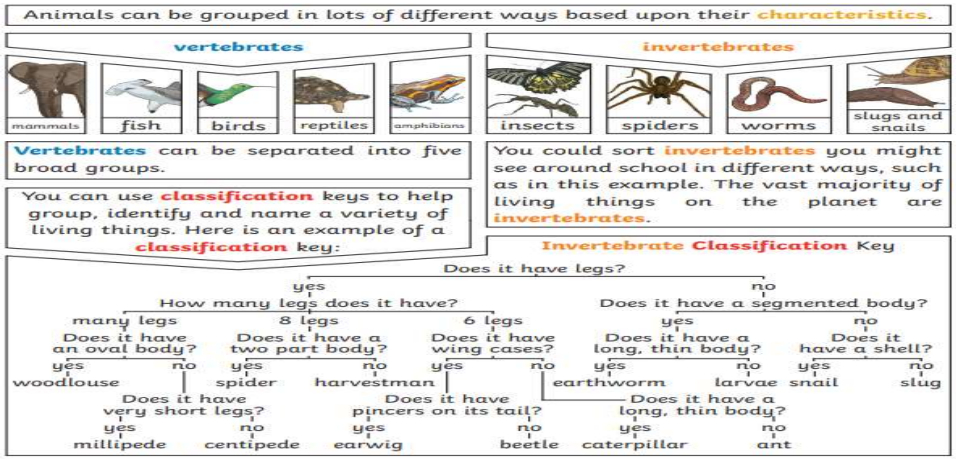
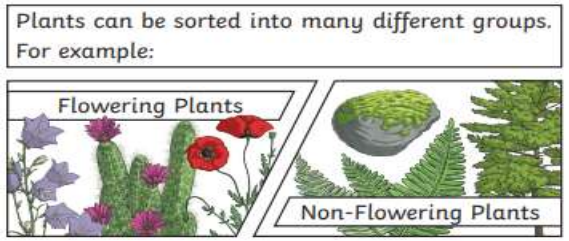
Living Things and their Habitats KO

Unit Vocabulary – Join them up with the correct definition once you have learned it.

organisms	Contains many habitats and these include areas where there are both living and non-living things.
Life processes	When a species has no more members alive on the planet, it is extinct.
respiration	This is where plants or animals are placed into groups according to their similarities.
reproduction	The process by which living things get rid of waste products.
excretion	A plant or animal where there are not many of their species left and scientists are concerned that the species may become extinct.
nutrition	A process where plants and animals use oxygen gas from the air to help turn their food into energy.
habitat	The process through which young are produced
environment	The process of obtaining food to provide living things with energy to live and stay healthy.
endangered species	A particular plant or animal that scientists study to find out about its species.
extinct	The specific area or place in which particular animals or plants may live.
classification	The things living things do to stay alive.
specimen	'living things'







Scientific Enquiries

1. How can living things be grouped in different ways?
2. How can classification keys be used to sort and identify vertebrates?
3. What invertebrates live in our local environment and how can they be classified?
4. How do living things adapt to suit their environment?
5. Who is Wangari Maathai and why is her work important?