

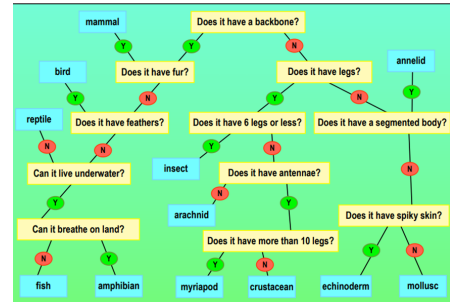
Classification



Term 6

Year 6

Classification Key



I already know -

Year 4

- ◇ Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways
- ◇ Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment
- ◇ Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things.

I will learn -

- ◇ How living things are classified into broad groups according to characteristics based on similarities and differences.
- ◇ Give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics.

animals	A living thing that can move and eat and react to the world through its senses.
bacteria	One celled microscopic (small) living things.
Carl Linnaeus	Swedish biologist developed system of naming all living things.
characteristic	Describes features of living things.
classify	Putting living into groups according to their characteristics.
fungi	Include moulds and yeasts.
invertebrates	Any living thing with no backbone.
key	A tool to help identify different living things.
kingdom	The highest classification which living things are grouped e.g. plants or animals.
microorganisms	An organism that can only be seen through a microscope.
plants	A living things that usually has a stem, roots and leaves.
vertebrates	A living thing that has a backbone.

Carl Linnaeus (1707—1778)

