

Biology Cheat Sheet

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Community Interactions	
Ecological Niche	role and position a species has in its environment
Commens alism	One is member of the association benefeits, the other is neither helped or harmed.
Competitio n	Occurs when organisms of the same or different species attempt to use an ecological resource at the same place and time
Mutualism	Both species benefeit from the relationship.
Parasitism	One organism lives on or inside another organism and harms it.
Predation	An interaction in which one organism captures and feeds on another organism.
Symbiosis	Any relationship in which two species live close together.

Brain (cor	ont)	
Amygdala	Neural centers in the limbic system linked to emotion	
Cerebellun	n Coordinates voluntary movement and balance	
Corpus Collosum	communication between the two hemispheres	
Hippocam _l us	A structure in the limbic system linked to memory	
Medulla	Controls heartbeat and breathing	
Pons	relays information between the cerebrum and the cerebellum, controls arousal and regulates respiration	
Ocean Life	e Forms	
Plankton	Organisms that float or drift on the water surface	
Nekton	Organisms that swim	
Benthos	Organisms on the seabed	

Biological	Classification (cont)
Kingdom	The highest level of classification (Plantae, Animalia, Fungi, Protista and Monera)
Phylum	The next level of classification where along a number of Classes are clubbed up to form one Phylum
Class	A group of Orders which share a few similarities
Order	A group of families showing somewhat few similarities (The classification starting from order has less similarities as a result, they are categories based on aggregates of characteristics)
Family	It comprises of a number of genus which share some similarity among themselves
Genus/ Genera	It composes of multiple species which have similar characteristics but different from that of species from other genus
Species	It is the lowest level of classification and shows the high level of similarities among the organisms
Tropism	

Left Hemisphere	Sequential Analysis: systematic, logical interpretation of information. Interpretation and production of symbolic information:language, mathematics, abstraction and reasoning. Memory stored in a language format.
Right Hemisphere	Holistic Functioning: processing multi-sensory input simultaneously to provide "holistic" picture of one's environment. Visual spatial skills. Holistic functions such as dancing and gymnastics are coordinated by the right hemisphere. Memory is stored in auditory, visual and spatial modalities.

Biological Classification		
Taxonomy	the practise of identifying different organisms, classifying them into categories and naming them	
Animalia	A kingdom which includes heterotropic consumers such as herbivores, carnivores, omnivores, and detritivores	
Binomial Nomenclat ure	A standard way to refer to the scientific name of an organism by using the genus and species	
Phylogeny	the process of classifying and organizing organisms based on evolutionary relationships	

Tropism	
Tropism	slow and permanent reaction by plants
Phototropism	Reaction to light
Geotropism	Reaction to gravity
Thigmotropis m	Reaction to light
Positive tropism	towards the stimulus
Negative tropism	away from the stimulus



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Cell Theory
Cell is the basic structural and functional unit of life
All living things are made up of cells
All cells come from pre existing cells

Organ Syst	ems of Human Body
Muscular System	locomotion, support, heat production
Urinary System	elimination of excess water, salts, and waste productions, control of PH
Respirator y System	delivery of air to sites where gas exchange can occur between the air and circulating blood
Digestive System	processing of food and absorption of organic nutrients, minerals, vitamins, and water
Endocrine System	directing long-term changes in the activities of other organs
Repoductiv e System	production of sex cells and hormones
Skeletal System	Support, protection of soft tissue, mineral storage, blood formation
Lymphatic (immune) System	defense against infection and disease
Integument ary (skin) System	Protection from environmental hazards, temperature control
Nervous System	directing immediate responses to stimuli, usually by coordinating the activities of other organ systems
Circulatory System	internal transport of cells and dissolved materials, including nutrients, wastes, and gases

Scientific Names	
Banana	Musa Squamosa
Philippine Eagle	Pithecophaga Jefferyi
Rice	Oryza Sativa
Sampaguita	Jasminum Sambac
Bangus	Chanos Chanos
Mango	Mangifera Indica
Philippine Macaque	Macaca Fascicularis
Carabao	Bubalus Bubalis
Maya	Passer Montanus
Abaca	Musa Textilis
Tamarraw	Bubalus MIndorensis
Chicken	Gallus Gallus Domesticus

Cell Division	
Meiosis	Mitois
Reductional division	Equational division
For reproduction	For repair and growth
sex cells	somatic cells
produces haploid cells (n)	produces diploid cells (2n)



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