

# Living Things and their Habitats

## What makes the ideal habitat?




### Key Vocabulary

Consumer	a consumer eats producers or other consumers in a food chain
Environment	the area in which something exists or lives
Habitat	a place that an animal or plant lives. It provides the animal or plant with food, water and shelter
Inhabitant	a person or animal that lives in a place
Microhabitat	a very small, specific habitat for animals and plants
Organism	a living thing
Producer	An organism that makes its own food, such as a plant

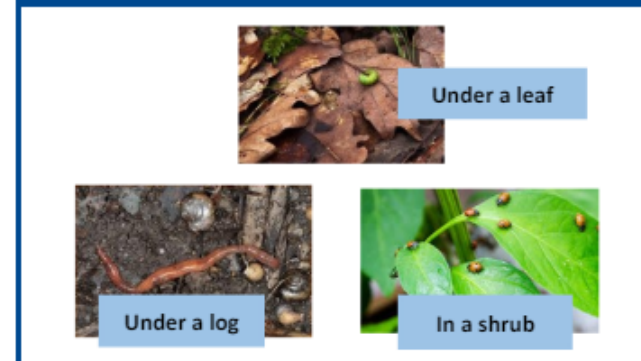
### Examples of habitats



### Dead or alive?

Living	A living thing is alive. It is called an organism 
Dead	A dead thing has once been alive 
Non-living	A non-living thing has never been alive 

### Examples of microhabitats



### Food chains

A food chain is a diagram that shows us how animals are linked by what they eat.

The grass **is eaten by** the rabbit. The rabbit **is eaten by** the fox.

