

Characteristics of Living Things

Read each description, identify the characteristic of living things described, and write your answer below.

- 1) Animals do this while searching for food and also while escaping from their predators. Plants also do this when they respond to various stimuli.

- 2) This is the process of humans having babies and plants having new plants.

- 3) All living things need energy to grow and survive. Exchange of oxygen and carbon dioxide takes place through this process.

- 4) Living things do this to eliminate waste or toxic substances from their body.

- 5) This process helps the size of the living organism increase over a period of time. It is an irreversible process.

- 6) Living things are capable of detecting the change in the environment and have this ability to respond to rapid changes.

- 7) All living things need this for growth, maintenance, reproduction, and repair. It is essential and is required for the survival of the organism.
