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1. Name 4 groups of living things?

2. Just like people, animal and plants need these 3 to survive:

3. Animals and plants quickly die without _____ and _____.

But it can survive for a short time without _____. It will eventually die without it.

4. A _____ is an example of fungi.

5. Give 2 examples of edible fungus.

6. Give 2 examples of inedible fungus.

7. Edible means _____.

8. Micro-organisms are living things that are very, very _____.

9. Give 2 examples of micro-organisms. _____

10. We cannot see micro-organisms with our naked eye. We need a

_____ to observe them.

11. Give 2 examples each of how micro-organisms can be useful or harmful.

Useful

Harmful

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Answer Key:

1. plants fungus
animals micro-organisms
2. air, water, food
3. air and water

food
4. mushroom
5. abalone, shitake
6. puff balls, bracket fungus
7. can be eaten
8. small
9. yeast or bacteria
10. microscope
11. useful - some are edible, act as decomposer, used for research, making medicine

harmful - can cause food to spoil, can cause sickness to transfer from one person to another