

Microbe Quiz Wednesday May 7

Vocabulary:

Microbe – a living thing that can only be seen with a microscope
Virus – something that causes diseases, but is probably not living
Archaeabacteria – a kingdom with living things that have one cell and no nucleus which live in extreme environments
Bacteria – an organism with one cell and no nucleus that live everywhere
Protist – organisms with one cell that has a nucleus
Eubacteria – the kingdom that includes bacteria
Monera – another name for kingdom Eubacteria, which includes bacteria
Autotroph – an organism that can make its own food
Heterotroph – an organism that cannot make its own food, but needs to eat it or absorb it
Cilia – small hairs that some microbes use to move
Flagella – a long whip-like tail that some microbes use to move
Pseudopod – a way of moving a section of the cell that some microbes use to move
Parasite – an organism that lives off another living thing and harms it
Capsule – a covering that protects bacteria

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