

Term Outline

Grade 6M and 6C

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Topic: Diversity of Life:

- Living vs Non-living things
- Classification of living things
- 5 Major Kingdoms
- Invertebrates: Sponges, Mollusks, Worms, Arthropods
- Arthropod characteristics
- Insect characteristics
- Adaptations of living things
- Vertebrates characteristics: Fish, Amphibians, Reptiles, Birds and Mammals
- Scientific naming
- Natural Selection
- Microscope usage
- Bacteria characteristics
- Fossils and the past

Assignments and projects:

- learn how to use a microscope properly
- experiment with the growth of yeast and the needs of living things.
- project on endangered species in Canada

- Marking Scheme

Class work 30% (covers expected outcomes and abilities)

Projects 25%

Tests/Quizzes 25%

Journals 20%

If time permits in this term we shall start the unit on “Flight”