



What do living things do?

1st Class

Print and cut along the dashed lines. These carry the **text a group reads** — a job to do, a brief to research, or notes to identify by. Check the lesson's teacher notes for how many sets each group needs and how they are used: some lessons hand out one card per group, others sort or sequence a full set.

Grow

gets bigger over days and weeks

Need water or food

must take in water or food to stay well.
(Teacher aside: animals take in food; plants take in water and light.)

Move by itself

can creep, wriggle or turn without a person pushing it

Change as it lives

a young plant grows new leaves; a young animal grows older

Stay the same size

never grows on its own

Only moves when pushed

needs a hand, wind or motor from outside