# Topic 1

## BIODIVERSITY AND CLASSIFICATION OF MICRO-ORGANISMS

## **MY WORKBOOK**

During this topic we will be

# focusing on the following:

1. Introduction

- 2. Biodiversity of micro-organisms: viruses; bacteria; protists and fungi.
- 3. Symbiotic relationships
- 4. Effect and Management of diseases
- 5. Immunity
- 6. Treatment and uses of micro-organisms

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## **DAY 1:**

► Complete page 2 c and 4.	of your Workbook using	the Teacher's guidelines slides 3
		DATE:
1. Introdu	uction	
•	studied the five-kingdom	•
According to this syste	m all living organisms are	e divided into five kingdoms:
1	_: Prokaryotic (without a t	rue nucleus)
2	_	
3	_: Eukaryotic (with a true	nucleus)
4	_	
5	_	
2. Biodive micro-organic	,	assification of
In this topic we will be with the naked eye.	looking at organisms tha	t's so small that it cannot be seen
2.1		
2.2		
2.3		
2.4		
Micro-organisms are the numbers in		sms on earth and are found in huge
	=	lication of micro-organisms include

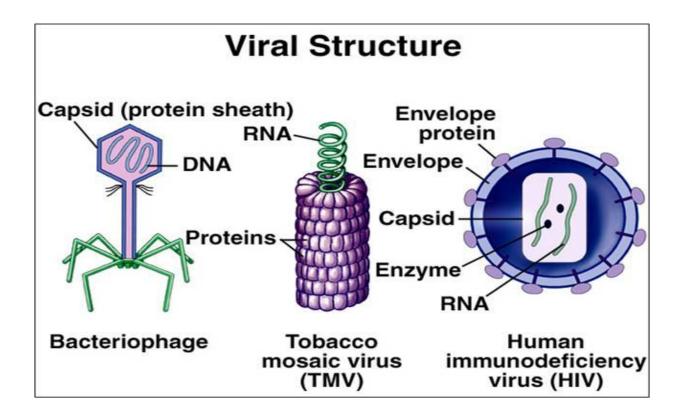
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► Complete page 3 of your Workbook using the Teacher's guidelines slide 5.

## 2.1 VIRUSES

#### **BASIC STRUCTURE:**

**	Very	_ and	in compos	sition.
*	Consist of a central _		and a	
<b>*</b>	Viruses can infect	,	or	cells
<b>*</b>	Contain either	or	_ (never both).	
<b>*</b>	Are acellular and hav	e no nucleus (p	orokaryotic); cytoplas	sm or organelles.
	The shape varies from			to more



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Activity 1: Please draw the structure of a Bacteriophage using page 22 of our textbook.				



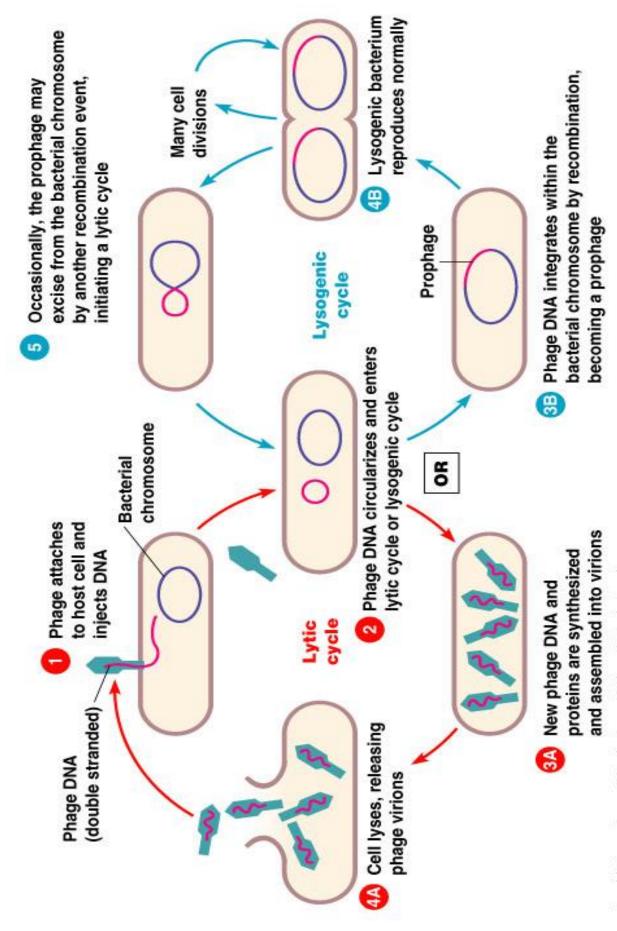
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## **DAY 2:**

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CHARACTERISTICS:	
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<ul> <li>They use nucleic acid and ribosome</li> </ul>	es offor reproduction
0	·
0	
Most viruses are	and cause diseases.
Reproduction in Viruses takes place in two	phases:
1	prideoc.
OR	
2	
1.Lytic cycle:	
Viruses enter a cell and releasing viruses.	and then make the cell,
2.Lysogenic cycle:	
<u></u>	
Viruses enter a	with their ce

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## »Activity 2: Viruses 1. Name the seven processes that characterise living organisms. (7) 2. Explain why viruses are considered as 'particles' and not regarded as living organisms. \_\_\_\_(2) 3. Give the biological term for each of the following: 3.1 Viruses which attack bacteria. \_\_\_\_\_(1) 3.2 Organisms which cause diseases. 3.3 The name given to the protein coat surrounding the nucleic acid in viruses. 3.4 A cell that does not have a nuclear membrane. \_\_\_\_\_(1) 4. Give four diseases caused by viruses. \_\_(4) [17] Activity 2: My mark \_\_\_\_\_ out of 17

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## **DAY 3**:

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and 12.	DATE:	

## 2.2 BACTERIA

## **BASIC STURCTURE:**

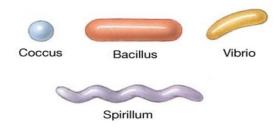
•	and occur as single cells, filaments or colonies.
•	Surrounded by a that consists of polysaccharides, proteins and lipids.
•	Some bacteria (especially those that cause diseases –) the cell wall is surrounded by a or capsule which protects the bacterial cell from enemies (i.e. immune cells)
•	A plasma membrane (cell membrane) which encloses the cytoplasm occurs directly below the cell wall.
•	(vacuole; plastids) are
•	found but you do come across ribosomes.
•	The genetic material (DNA) is concentrated in a chromatin body known as the
•	Some bacteria move in a liquid by means of long; thread like structures called (singular: flagellum)

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# » Activity 3: Draw the structure of a Bacteria cell by using slide 14 of your teachers' guidelines

Bacteria occur in various **shapes**:

- ❖ Rod shaped (Bacillus)
- Round/Spherical (Coccus)
- Spiral shaped (Spirillum)
- Comma-shaped (Vibrio)



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#### **DAY 4:**

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## **CHARACTERISTICS:**

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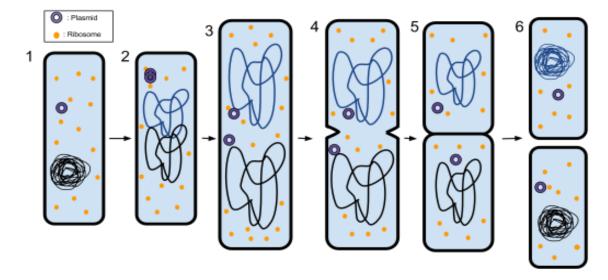
• They are capable of the following life functions: nutrition; death; growth; reproduction; excretion; respiration; movement

In favourable conditions they can reproduce asexually by means of

In unfavourable conditions they become \_\_\_\_\_ and turn into \_\_\_\_ until the conditions are favourable again.

Binary Fission: (\_\_\_\_\_\_)

Cell duplicates its genetic material (DNA) and divides into two identical parts – new cells



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<b>CHARACTERISTICS CONTINU</b>	JE:									
Some bacteria are substances by									anic	
<ul> <li>The majority of bacteria a their own organic substant</li> </ul>						_ and	cann	ot proc	luce	
• Three types:										
1			- obta	ain food	d from	living	orga	anisms		
2			obta	in food	from	dead	orga	nic ma	terial	
3with another organism (b	oth b	 penefit	obta from	in food the re	from lation	a sym ship)	bioti	c relati	onship	)
»Activity 4: Bacteria										
A certain bacterium reproduces number of bacteria if each one		•				e belo	w sh	ows the	9	
1. Complete the table below.										
TIME AFTER START (hours)	0	1/2	1	1½	2	21/2	3	3½	4	4½
TOTAL NUMBER	1	2	4	8	16					
									(	<u> </u> 5)
2. How many bacteria will there	be a	fter 6	hour	s?					(	(1)
3. Give the name for each of the	e folle	owing:								
(a) Structure used for mo	vem	ent in	bacte	eria					(	(1)
(b) Asexual reproduction	in ba	acteria	۱							(1)
(c) Name of the slime cap	osule	e								(1)
4. Provide a function of the slim	e ca <sub>l</sub>	osule.								
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## 2.3 Protists

## **BASIC STRUCTURE:**

Protists can be divided into three main groups according to their basic structures:

1. \_\_\_\_\_: animal-like; unicellular, heterotrophic organisms

#### Amoeba



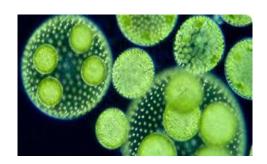
## Paramecium



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2	: plant-like, uni- or multicellular, autrophic organisms
Uni-cellular:	Multi-cellular:
Diatom	Spirogyra





3.\_\_\_\_\_: fungus-like, multicellular, heterotrophic organisms.



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	y 5: Draw the structure of a <i>Amoeba proteus sp.</i> by using slide 24 of chers' guidelines
► Comp 25.	lete page 14 of your Workbook using the Teacher's guidelines slide
CHARAC	CTERISTICS:
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## **DAY 6**:

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, due to their structures:		
: the fleshy fungi with clear	visible fruiting	
: unicellular yeasts or the mzopus); some parts can be see microscope	nulticellular n with the eye	
<i>Rhizopus.</i> (fungi) by using p	age 32 in your	
,	DATE:  due to their structures:: the fleshy fungi with clear: unicellular yeasts or the management of the see microscope	

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ПА	RACTERISTICS:	
•	cells	
•	Cells are arranged in thread-like	·
•	The hyphae often form masses of tissu	ue called,
•	The cell walls of fungi usually contain	, a fibrous carbohydrate.
•	They reproduce asexually viafavourable, OR in	when conditions are unfavourable conditions.

Summary of structural characteristics of the four groups of microorganisms.

GROUP	STRUCTURAL DIFFERENCES
Viruses	
Bacteria	
Protista	
Fungi	

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»Activity 7: Summary of the basic structure and general characteristic of micro-organisms. Use your textbook page 85 to complete the table.

	VIRUSES	BACTERIA	PROTISTA	FUNGI
General structure				
Size				
Prokaryote of eukaryote				
Unicellular of multicellular				
Specialised tissue present				
Reproduction				
Feeding				
Environment				

## ► Complete page 19 of your Workbook using the Teacher's guidelines slides 30 - 32.

# 3. Symbiotic Relationships

Micro-organisms plays a role in different areas in the biosphere:
1
2
3
4
(1) Role as producers in food chains:
Autotrophic bacteria and protists produce organic nutrients by means of
∞ link in food chain =
(2) Role as decomposers:
Decomposition bacteria, fungi and protists break down dead
∞ Water, carbon dioxide, ammonia and heat energy are released into the soil.
(3) Role in the Nitrogen cycle:
Free living soil bacteria and nodule bacteria convert freeintoand makes it accessible to plants.
∞ bacteria = release nitrates in soil.
∞ bacteria = release nitrates in atmosphere.
(4) Marinating balance between oxygen and carbon dioxide:
Autotrophic bacteria and protists use carbon dioxide and release
∞ = responsible for more than 50% of oxygen that is produced by photosynthesis.

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DAY 8				
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4. Effect and Management of diseases				
Each group of Micro-organisms has many o	different diseases it may cause:			
• : rabies: F	HV/Aids: influenza			

\_\_\_\_\_: Thrush; ringworm; athlete's foot; Rusts

\_\_\_\_\_: cholera, TB; anthrax; Blight

\_\_\_\_\_: Malaria

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# »Activity 8: Effect and management of diseases (Use your textbook page 39 – 65)

Disease	Cause	Method of spread	Treatment	Textbook number
		VIRUSES	8	
Rabies				39 - 40
AIDS				41 - 43
Influenza				45 – 47
		BACTERI	A	
Cholera				48 - 49
Tuberculosis				51- 54
Anthrax				55 – 57
		PROTIST	S	
Malaria				58 - 61
FUNGI				
Thrush				65

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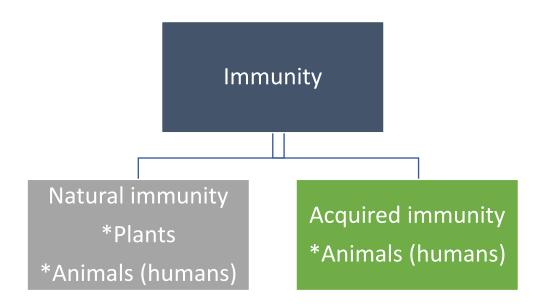
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#### DAY 9

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## 5. Immunity

DEFINITION:



## **Natural Immunity:**

- \_\_\_\_ of defence
- Not aimed at \_\_\_\_\_pathogen
- \_\_\_\_\_ of pathogens Can destroy \_\_\_\_\_
- Occurs because the body/plant is \_\_\_\_\_immune to illness.

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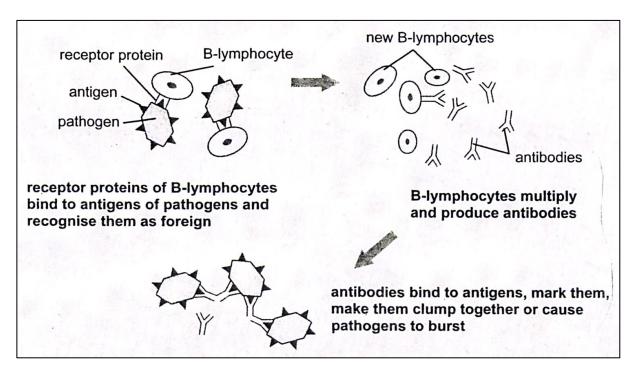
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# Acquired Immunity:Acquired immunity actively \_\_\_\_\_\_

•	Acquired immunity acti	vely	pathogens	
•	Store a	of response		
•	Gets acquired once it hantibodies in response the pathogens.	to proteins, called _	on t	the surface of
·				
<u>TWO</u>	types of leucocytes:			
*		= B-lymphocytes	and T-lymphocytes	
*				
	PHOCYTES:			
•	Have receptors on their	r surface which attac	ch to a	
•	It lymphocytes and it's re	_ and produces mill leased into the	ions of (	B- )
•	The antibodies bind to surface of the pathoger		antigens. (found	on the
	- they mark the pathog	ens for ingestion by	·	
	- cause the pathogen to	o tog	gether, which	them.
	- this causes the patho	gens to		

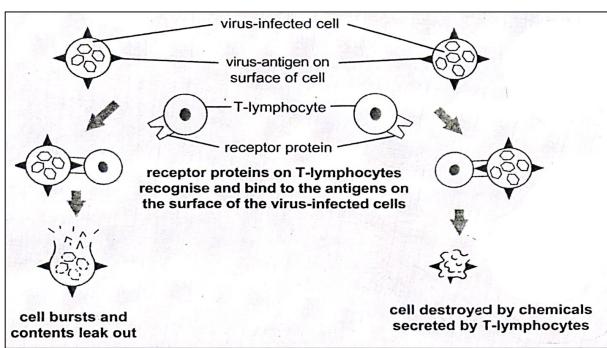
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## ► Complete page 24 of your Workbook using the Teacher's guidelines slides 39 - 41.



## **T-lymphocytes:**

•	and	_ the body's cells that are infected
	by the pathogen.	•
•	Pathogen inside body cells	s = antibodies can't reach them.
•	But the T-lymphocytes caninfected body cell and thenthe pathogen as well.	the antigens on the outside of thethe whole cell and in that manner



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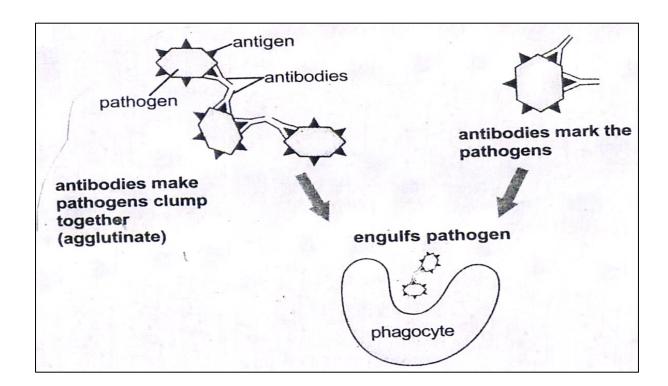
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## Please note:

Some B- and T-lymphocytes become blood.	that remains in the
When the body is infected by the and	pathogen, the memory cells will more antibodies.
This response will be	than the original infection and more
The pathogen will be killed to that specific path	<del></del>

#### PHAGOCYTES:

- Large white blood cells that can \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- Are produced in the \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- The cells \_\_\_\_\_ pathogens by the process of phagocytosis.
- Antibodies, produced by B-lymphocytes, facilitate the process of phagocytosis.



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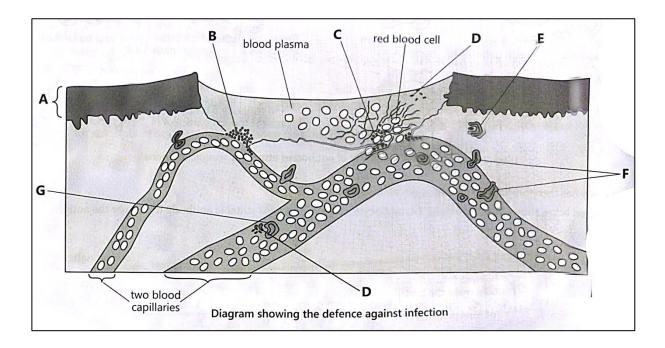
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## **DAY 10**

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## »Activity 9: Immune response.

Examine the diagram below which shows an area of skin that has been damaged and two capillaries are broken open and answer the questions that follow.



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Match the letters w correct statement.	rith the statements. Write the letter form the diagram next to the
(1)	Some bacteria have entered the wound.
(2)	Phagocytic cell engulfing a bacterium.
(3)	Small wound plugged with platelets clumping together.
(4)	Bacteria (clumped together by antibodies) and about to be
	engulfed by phagocytic cell.
(5)	Network of fibres across the wound trapping red blood cells.
(6)	Epidermis of skin (first line of defence).
(7)	Phagocytic white blood cells escaping from a capillary.
► Complete page 45.	e 27 of your Workbook using the Teacher's guidelines slide
6. Treat	ment and use of micro- ms
Treatment:	
Drugs that are use	d against micro-organism are called antimicrobial drugs.
Antibiotics are used	d to treat only:
<ul> <li>Bacterial inf</li> </ul>	ections
<ul> <li>Infections ca</li> </ul>	aused by Protista for example: Malaria
<ul> <li>Fungal infed</li> </ul>	ctions
Please note:	
	and should ne treatment of the common cold of influenza. However, doctors if there is a secondary bacterial infection.
Use of Micro-orga	<u>anisms</u>
» Activity 10: (Sel about the use of r	f Study) Please use your textbook page 83 and 84 to read micro-organisms.

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## **DAY 11:**

## » Activity 11: Test yourself: Biodiversity and classification of micro-organisms.

1.	On	e reason that viruses are considered non-living is that th	ey:	
	A B	cannot adapt to changes in their environment cannot reproduce on their own	DATE:	
	C	lack nucleic acids		
	D	have a protein coat	E.	
	E	have RNA instead of DNA.		(2)
2.	An	organism can be placed in the kingdom Monera if it:		
	Α	consists of a single cell		
	В	has a cell wall		
	C	is surrounded by a capsule		
	D	lacks a nuclear membrane separating its genetic materi	al from the cytoplasm	
	Ε	causes diseases.		(2)

- 3. Although fungi were for a long time regarded as plants, biologists now prefer to place them in a separate. kingdom. The diagram alongside shows a longitudinal section through a highly magnified yeast cell. Yeast is a fungus and has both plant-like and animal-like features.
  - a. Draw a section through the cell at the position of the A-B line in the diagram. Use the same magnification. There is no need to label the parts of the cell.
  - (2) b. Eight parts are labelled in the diagram. Copy the table below and write the name of the eight parts in the most suitable column. (8)

Found in both animal and plant cells	Found in plant cells but not in animal cells	Found in animal cells but not in plant cells

cell wall

vacuole

endoplasmic

reticulum

cytoplasm

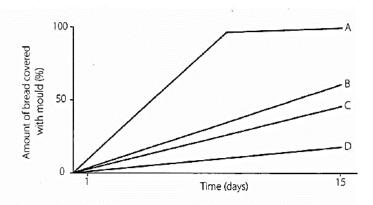
glycogen

oil droplets

mitochondria

nucleus

Copywrite: S NIEMAN (HS Birchleigh) Page 28 of 31 4. Joyce left four slices of different kinds of bread uncovered in her cupboard for 15 days. The four breads are: bread made with whole-wheat flour; bread made with rye flour; white bread made with farm flour; and pre-sliced white bread made by a city bakery. All four breads were baked on the same day. Each day, Joyce looks to see how much bread mould is on each of the four slices of bread. Joyce's results are



shown alongside. Explain which of the breads A, B, C or D, was the whole-wheat bread and which was the white bread baked at a factory. (6)

5. Describe in detail the effect of one virus-caused disease that you studied, and how it is treated and managed.

[Total marks: 30]

(10)

Activity 11: My mark \_\_\_\_\_

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#### **DAY 12:**

»Use the completed "My workbook", the Teacher's guidelines and page 20 – 87 in your textbook to complete the terminology list below.

- 1.2.1 Very small life forms that cannot be seen with the naked eye.
- 1.2.2 A population of identical micro-organisms all derived by asexual production from a single cell.
- 1.2.3 The process that involves the introduction of a tiny sample of cells into a container of nutrient medium in order to prepare a pure culture.
- 1.2.4 The process of viral multiplication within a host cell.
- 1.2.5 The vegetative filaments found in fungi.

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- 1.2.6 The name of the bacterium that causes tuberculosis.
- 1.2.7 Chemicals that activate the immune response.
- 1.2.8 The type of cells that are responsible for antibody-mediated immunity.
- 1.2.9 The type of immunity that is short-lived.
- 1.2.10 An organism that consists of a nucleic acid surrounded by a shield of protein.
- 1.2.11 A disease-causing parasite such as bacteria.
- **1.2.12** A nutritional relationship in which two different organisms live together.
- 1.2.13 The mass of hyphae that constitutes the vegetative part of a fungus.
- **1.2.14** The process by which ammonia and nitrites are converted into nitrates by bacteria.
- 1.2.15 The protein coat of a virus.
- 1.2.16 The cell envelope of a bacterium.
- **1.2.17** The reproductive process in bacteria in which there is partial transfer or DNA from one cell to another.
- **1.2.18** The term used for diseases that are spread from one person or host to another.
- 1.2.19 The term used for a treatment such as an antibiotic that is offered to a person to prevent a disease.
- **1.2.20** The type of immunity that provides protection against a particular pathogen.

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- 1.2.21 The cells found just below the surface of the skin or membranes in tissues that produce chemicals such as histamines.
- 1.2.22 The type of white blood cells that are involved in specific (acquired) immunity.
- 1.2.23 The type of immunity that is carried out by T-cells.
- 1.2.24 The antibacterial and antiviral substances that are part of immunity in plants.
- 1.2.25 The process that is used on an industrial scale to produce antibacterial drugs.
- 1.2.26 Traditional biotechnology used to produce alcoholic drinks.

Terminology: My mark \_\_\_\_\_ out of 30

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