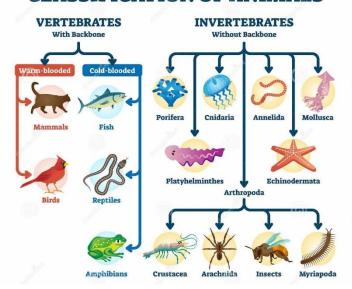


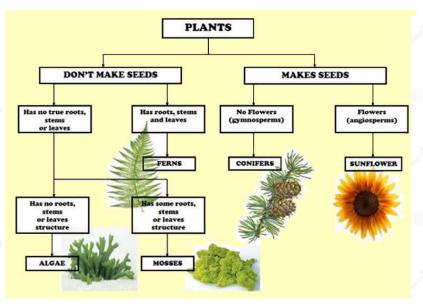
How do we classify living things?

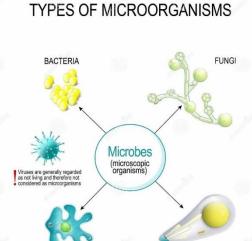


ONE-CELLED EUKARYOTE

CLASSIFICATION OF ANIMALS







Name and date	Picture	Famous for	
Aristotle (384 BC – 322 BC)		First person to try and classify living things into groups.	
Carl Linnaeus (1707 – 1778)		Formalised a system for identifying, naming and classifying organisms.	
Louis Pasteur (1822 – 1895)		Scientist who discovered vaccination. Helped stop bacteria growth in liquids (process known as pasteurization)	
Alexander Fleming (1881 – 1955)		Scientist who discovered penicillin (antibiotic) from the study of mould.	

Key Vocabulary				
Micro- organism	A living thing (organism) that can be seen using a microscope.	Classification	Grouping living things based on common features.	
Virus	A micro-organism that infects cells in other living things.	Vertebrate/ invertebrate	Animals with a backbone / animals without a backbone.	
Thorax	Part of an animal's body between the head and the abdomen.	Jointed limbs	Bones that meet on additional parts to an animal's body that are not the head and trunk, e.g arms and legs.	
Arthropod	Animals that have a hard outside covering called an exoskeleton and no backbone.	Antenna	One of a pair of long, thin body parts on the head of certain animals that help them to feel and smell.	
Abdomen	Part of an animal's body below the thorax.	Arachnid **	An animal family including: spiders, scorpions, ticks and mites.	