

# Living and Non-Living Things

## Diagram Based Easy Notes (Class 5–8)

**Living Things:** Things which have life. They grow, breathe, move, need food and reproduce.

Plant

Human

Animal

### Characteristics of Living Things:

- They grow with time.
- They need food for energy.
- They breathe (respiration).
- They move on their own.
- They reproduce young ones.
- They respond to changes.
- They have a life span.

**Non-Living Things:** Things which do not have life.

Stone

Chair

Car

### Characteristics of Non-Living Things:

- They do not grow.
- They do not need food.
- They do not breathe.
- They cannot move on their own.
- They do not reproduce.
- They do not respond to changes.

### Difference Between Living and Non-Living

Living Things	Non-Living Things
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Grow	Do not grow
Need food	Do not need food
Breathe	Do not breathe
Reproduce	Do not reproduce