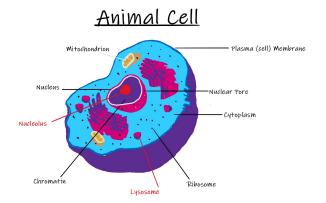
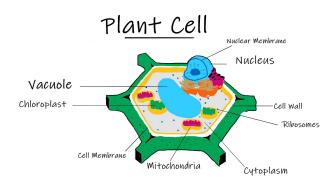
# The Cell

Cell: The Cell is the smallest unit of matter that can carry on all the Processes Of Life.





Prokaryotic Cells: Do not have a membrane-bound nucleus and organelles such as mitochondria and chloroplasts; belong to the Monera Kingdom, e.g. bacteria.

Eukaryotic Cells: Have a nucleus bound by a membrane and mitochondria and chloroplasts; belong to the Protoctista, Fungi, Plant and Animal Kingdoms.

Cells contain a variety of internal structures called Organelles.

Cell Membranes: Made of phospholipids and proteins-constant motion - Role Of Lipids (Food)

- Separate the cell organelles and the cytoplasm from the outside.
- Semi-permeable allows some molecules freely in and out. Osmosis/diffusion
- Membranes recognise molecules that touch them.

Nucleus: Controls the activities of the cell and contains the cell's genetic information.

- Made up of a double membrane with numerous nuclear pores. (Nuclear Envelope)
- Control the movement of substances in and out of the nucleus.
- A Nucleolus which contains RNA, DNA and proteins and it makes ribosomes.
- Chromatin which contains DNA that is arranged into chromosomes which stores genes.
- When the cell is dividing the chromatin in the nucleus unravels into chromosomes. DNA + protein
- 23 chromosomes = haploid (n)

46 chromosomes = Diploid (2n)

Not dividing (interphase)

Mitochondria: The Inner Membranes produce the energy to the cell through respiration. (More Mitochondria, more energy) The more folds in the Mitochondria the more energy it produces + Genetic material

Ribosomes: Can be seen as red dots in the cell. - in a light microscope.

The function is to make proteins - enzymes

<u>Cytoplasm</u>: It is a clear jelly-like fluid that fills the cell. - Chemical Reaction - Glycolysis - the first stage of respiration. It contains all the organelles within the cell.

#### Chloroplast:

The function of the Chloroplast is photosynthesis.

The thylakoids contain the chlorophyll which traps the sun's energy. + Genetic material

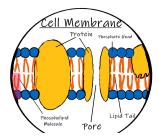
Grana - Light Stage Stroma - Dark Stage

<u>Cell Wall:</u> Gives the plant cell a defined shape, made of cellulose (Polysaccharide) and proteins

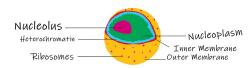
The function is to support and strengthen the cell.

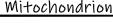
#### Vacuole: Membrane-bound sacs within the cytoplasm.

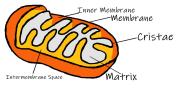
The functions are structural support, storage, waste disposal, protection and growth.



### Nucleus







## Chloroplast





