

# Is It Living?

Listed below are examples of living (which includes once-living) and nonliving things. Put an X next to the things that could be considered living.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> tree    | <input type="checkbox"/> egg       |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> rock    | <input type="checkbox"/> bacteria  |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> fire    | <input type="checkbox"/> cell      |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> boy     | <input type="checkbox"/> molecule  |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> wind    | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun       |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> rabbit  | <input type="checkbox"/> mushroom  |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> cloud   | <input type="checkbox"/> potato    |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> feather | <input type="checkbox"/> leaf      |   |                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> grass   | <input type="checkbox"/> butterfly | <input type="checkbox"/> fossil           | <input type="checkbox"/> mitochondria |
| <input type="checkbox"/> seed    | <input type="checkbox"/> pupae     | <input type="checkbox"/> hibernating bear | <input type="checkbox"/> river        |



Explain your thinking. What "rule" or reasoning did you use to decide if something could be considered living?

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