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## Worksheet: Characteristics of Living Things

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### Part A

There are 5 characteristics that make living things different from nonliving things. Write the characteristics on the blanks below.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

### Part B

On the blanks to the left of each statement, write the life characteristic referred to in the statement

	An earthworm turns away from light
	A bean seed produces a bean plant
	A student works math problems
	A person breathes out carbon dioxide
	You become thirsty after exercise
	A green plant grows in the direction of sunlight
	The average American female lives 74 years
	A caterpillar eats the leaves of a plant
	A plant wilts and dies from drying out
	A hummingbird can hover like a helicopter
	Cats mate and produce kittens
	A runner becomes hot during a race
	A cottontail rabbit may live for eight years
	Fireflies produce flashes of light
	A bear hibernates when it is cold