

Flora and Fauna



Vocabulary

Indigenous: Originating or occurring naturally in a particular place; native.

Propagate: To produce a new plant using a parent plant.

Pernicious: Having a harmful effect, especially in a gradual or subtle way.

Autotroph: An organism that is able to form nutritional organic substances from simple inorganic substances such as carbon dioxide.

Heterotroph: An organism deriving its nutritional requirements from complex organic substances.

Feces: Solid waste passed out of the body of a human or animal through the bowels.

Forsake: To renounce or give up (something valued or pleasant).

Introduction

Fauna basically is a group of **indigenous** animals of any geographical region. And similarly flora is a group of indigenous plants in an ecosystem of a geographical region.

The flora and fauna help in creating a balance of life that enables the life cycle to survive.

