

## Chapter 24: Web of Life

### Question 1:

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By now, you must have read almost the complete book. You have read about trees, water, houses, animals, vehicles and many other things. You must have thought about them as well. Can you tell, why did we try to know and think about all these things?

### Answer:

All the mentioned things are essential for our life on this planet. Trees give us wood, fruits, and a variety of other things. Shelter is important for humans as well as animals also. Water is essential to remain alive, and we need water for our daily activities. Vehicles are required for transportation. Animals and birds play a vital role in our lives because they help us in many ways. Therefore, we tried to know more about these things.

*[Students should mention their experience based on the above lines.]*

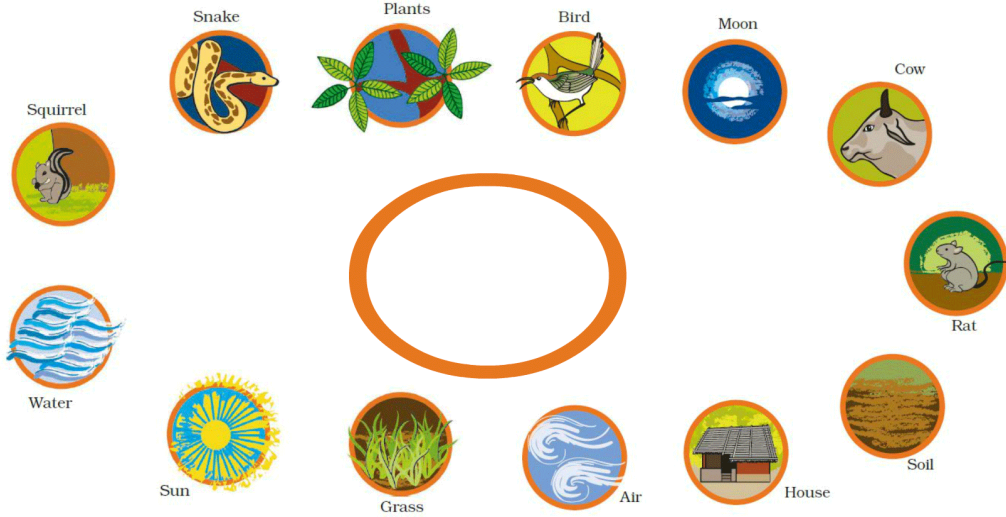
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### Question 2:

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How are we linked to the things shown in the picture? Come, let us find out—

First of all, draw your picture in the blank space.



**Answer:**



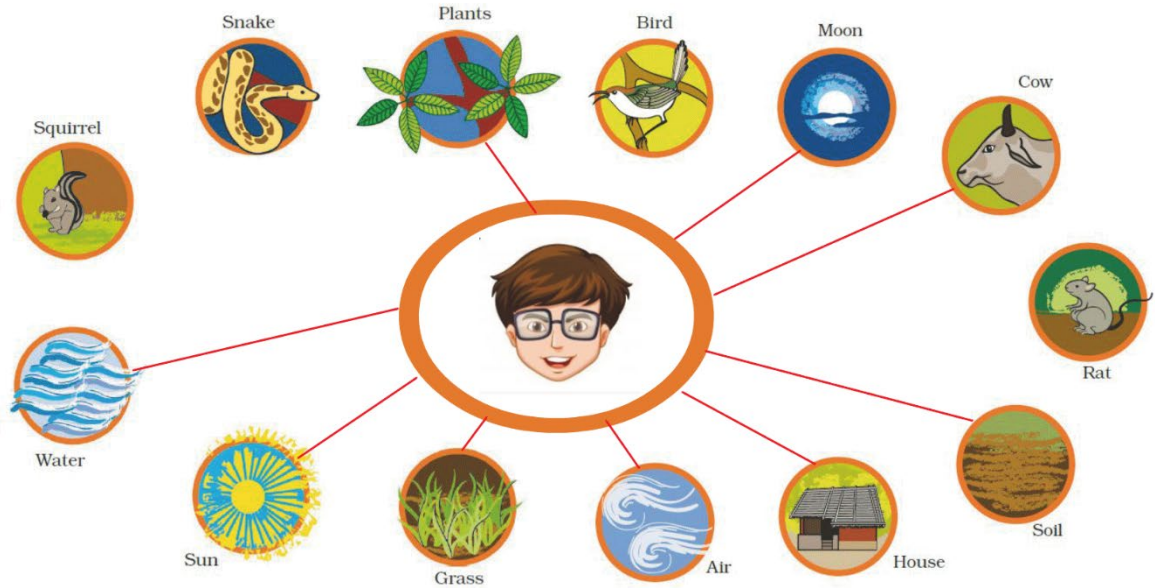
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Now, join your picture with lines to all those things which you feel are needed for you to live. Have you joined your picture to the house?

**Answer:**



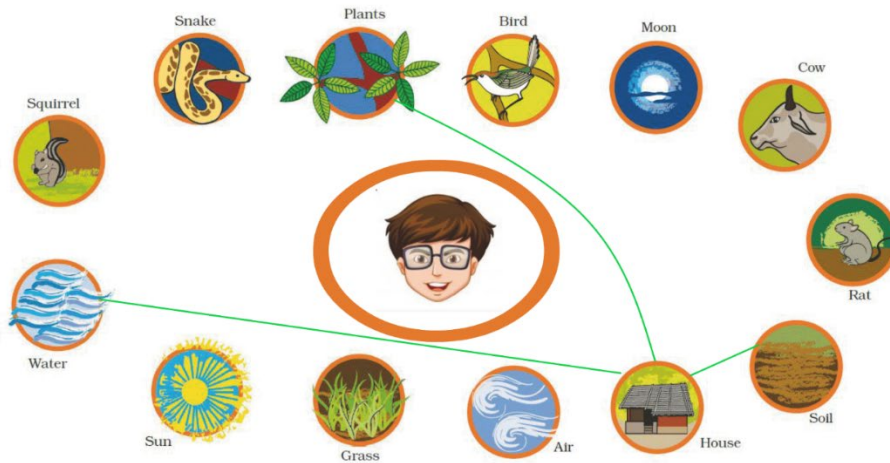
All the connected things in the picture are necessary for my life.

**Question 3:**

Let's see, with what other things can we join the house to. Think – What is a house made of?

- Wood – Which comes from trees.
- Bricks – Which are made from water and clay.
- Clay – We get from the soil, and
- Water – we get it from rivers, ponds, wells or rain.

**Answer:**



The raw materials required for making the house are soil, water, and wood (tree).

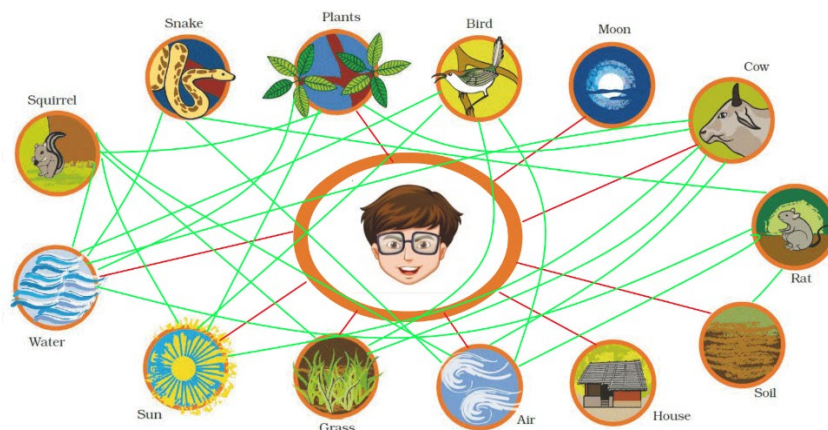
**Question 4:**

In the same way, join all the things with other things related to them. While doing so, you might need to write the names of a few more things.

What have you finally got? A big web! Isn't it?

What can you understand from this web?

**Answer:**



From this big web, we can conclude that the things around us are interconnected. Man, animals, plants, etc. all depend on another.

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**Question 5:**

Share your web with your friends. Also, have a look at the web made by your friends.

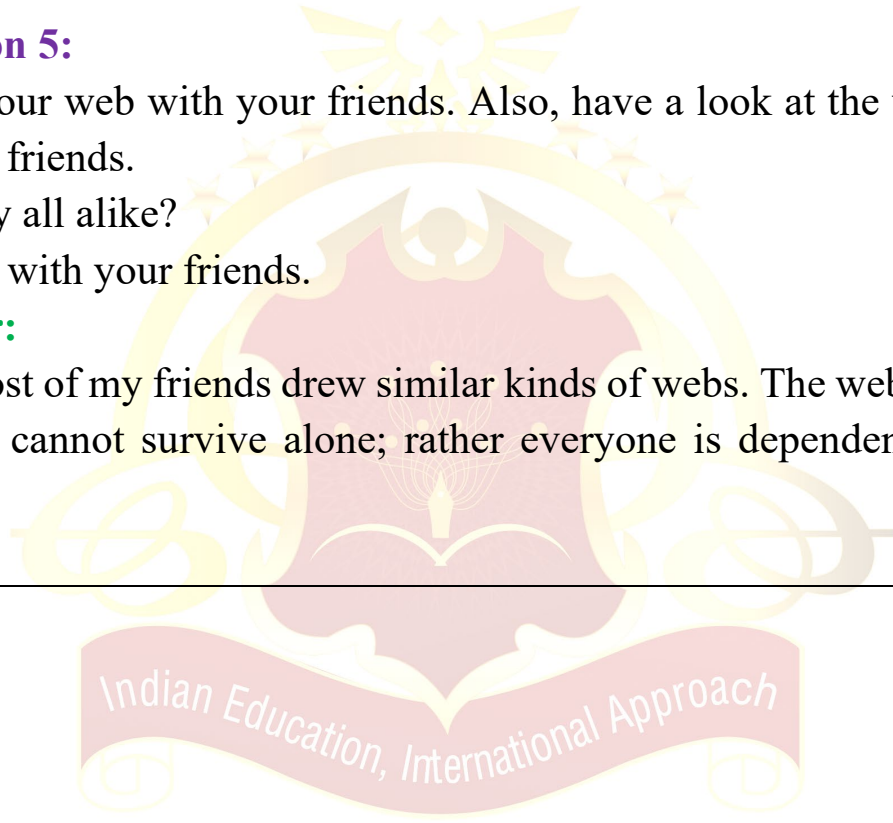
Are they all alike?

Discuss with your friends.

**Answer:**

Yes, most of my friends drew similar kinds of webs. The web indicates that we cannot survive alone; rather everyone is dependent on each other.

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