Vocabulary

Lesson: What do dogs and pigeons have in common?

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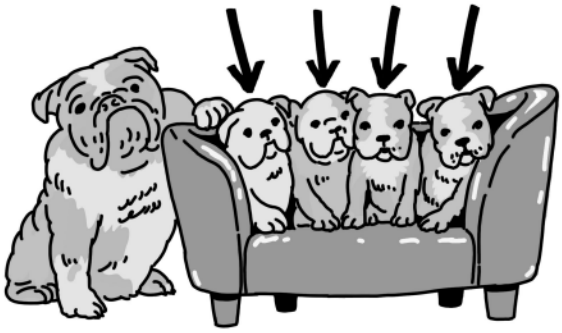
offspring



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babies

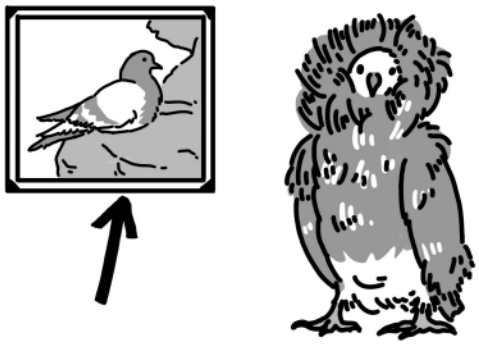
siblings



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offspring that have the same parents

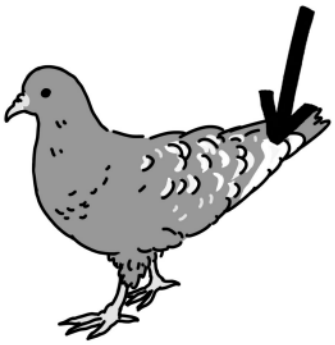
ancestor



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a relative that lived long ago

trait



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something you can observe about a living thing, such as the color of a pigeon's feathers

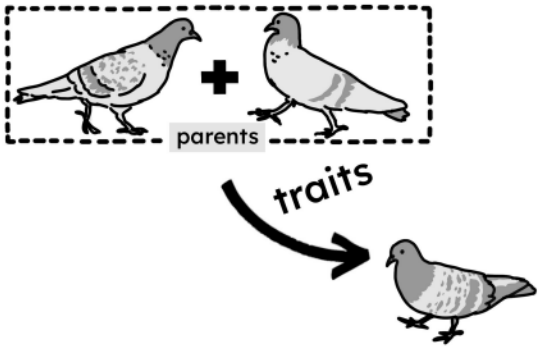
variation



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differences in a trait between living things of the same kind, such as different feather colors of pigeons

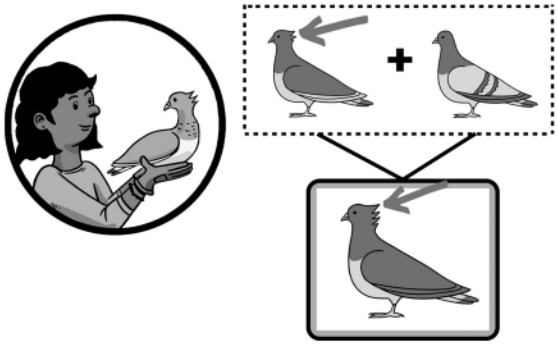
inherit



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to get a trait from parents

artificial selection



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the process of humans choosing certain traits of living things so that they are passed to the offspring

breed



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a group of living things with specific traits that have been selected by people over time; for example, pugs are a breed of dog