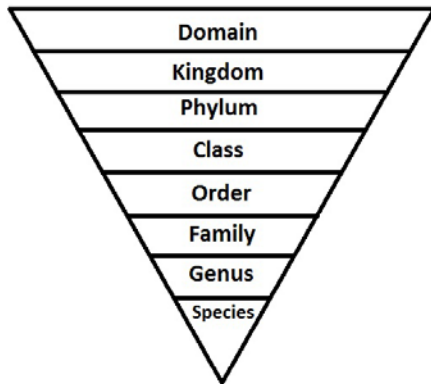


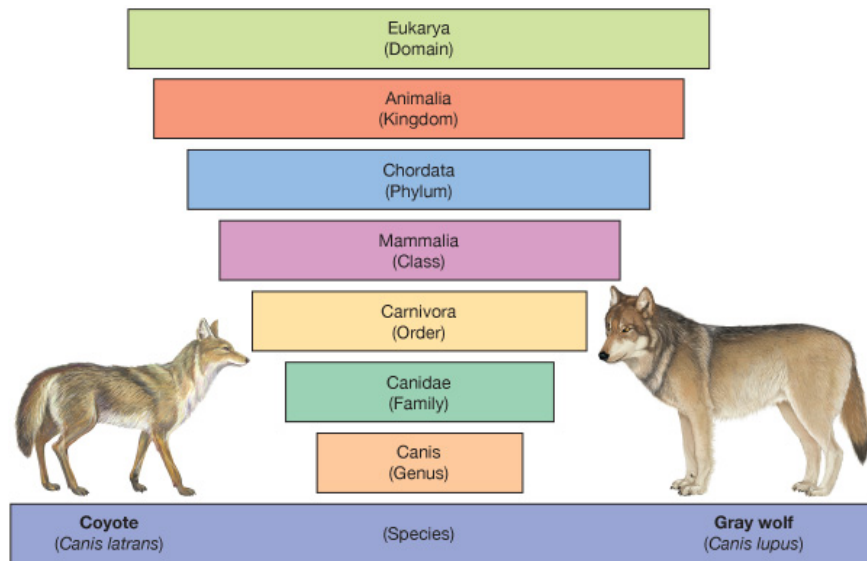
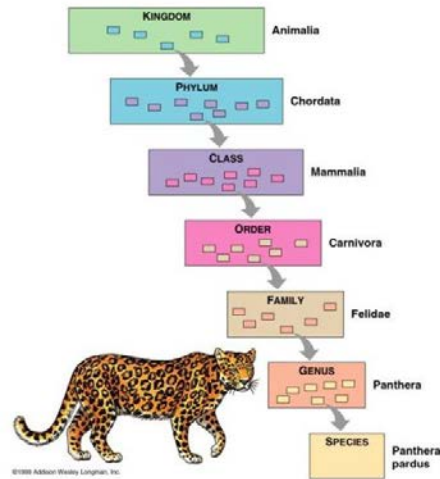
Taxonomy: The science of classifying living organisms into groups

All living things are named using Greek and Latin words. They are given a first name – **Genus**, and a last name – **species**. These include plants, insects, fish and dinosaurs! All living things are also classified into different categories of taxa. Below is an example of the 7 different levels of taxonomy.



- Kingdom
- Phylum
- Class
- Order
- Family
- Genus
- Species

7 levels of taxa



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Example: A wolf and a coyote both have the same genus name, but different species names.



Greek Alphabet

Αα alpha = a

Ββ beta = b

Γγ gamma = g

Δδ delta = d

Εε epsilon = e

Ζζ zeta = z

Ηη eta = e

Θθ theta = th

Ιι iota = i

Κκ kappa = k

Λλ lambda = l

Μμ mu = m

Νν nu = n

Ξξ xi = x, ks

Οο omicron = o

Ππ pi = p

Ρρ rho = r

Σς sigma = s

Ττ tau = t

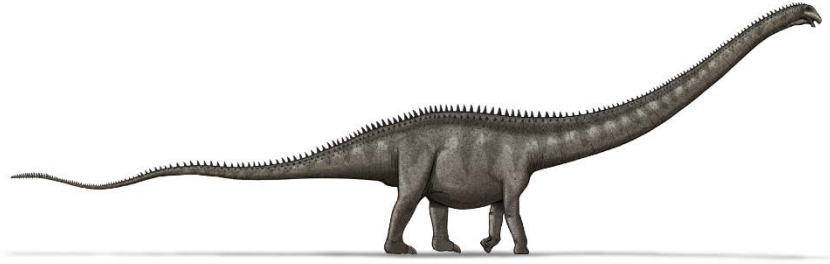
Υυ upsilon = u, y

Φφ phi = ph

Χχ chi = kh, ch

Ψψ psi = ps

Ωω omega = o



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____

Decipher each word from the Greek letters to English.

1. Μαισυρα → _____
2. Τυρνοσυρσ ρηξ → _____
3. Στηγοσυρσ → _____
4. Καμαρασαυρσ → _____
5. Αλλοσαυρσ → _____

