

## Adaptation Vocabulary

- **Adaptation:** Any variation that aids in an organism's \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ in its environment.
  - **Behavioral Adaptation:** Behavioral adaptations are the things organisms do to survive.
    - Examples:
  - **Structural Adaptation:** A change in the \_\_\_\_\_ of the species.
    - Examples:
  
- **Sexual Selection:** Special form of natural selection where species \_\_\_\_\_ on specific traits that indicate their choice is a \_\_\_\_\_
  - Examples
  
- **Co-Evolution:** When one species \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in response to changes in another species
  
- **Convergent Evolution:** occurs when two different species do not share a common ancestor, but have developed \_\_\_\_\_ characteristics through adaption to similar \_\_\_\_\_ conditions.
  
- **Divergent Evolution:** the process whereby members of a species becomes more and more \_\_\_\_\_, eventually resulting in \_\_\_\_\_ (or more) \_\_\_\_\_ species.