Glossary

Plants

Decomposer
An organism that breaks down organic material to obtain energy
Endosymbiosis
An animal that hosts a microorganism
Camouflage
A strategy used in the animal kingdom to blend in with surroundings

Habitat
An animal that eats only plants

Hemipteran
A group of insects that feed on plant sap

Caromorous plants
Plants that have special features to attract insects and other animals for nutrients

Human benefits
Bees and other insects help plants in pollination and seed dispersal

Nutrients
Plants provide necessary nutrients to the human body

Parasites
Animals that live off of another living thing without providing any benefits to the host