

# Word List: bio = life

| Vocabulary           | Definitions                                                                                                       |
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| antibiotic (n)       | a medicine used to save <b>lives</b> because it destroys harmful bacteria and cures infections                    |
| autobiography (n)    | a piece of writing written by a person about his or her own <b>life</b>                                           |
| biography (n)        | a piece of writing about a person's <b>life</b> written by someone else                                           |
| biologist (n)        | a person who studies <b>living</b> things                                                                         |
| biology (n)          | the study of <b>living</b> things                                                                                 |
| biopsy (n)           | the removal of <b>living</b> tissue from the body for diagnostic examination                                      |
| biosphere (n)        | the zone of planet Earth where there is <b>life</b> (between the deep crust and the lower atmosphere)             |
| macrobiotic diet (n) | a diet thought to help people <b>live</b> longer because it focuses on natural foods                              |
| neurobiology (n)     | the study of the nervous system of <b>living</b> things and how it helps the <b>living</b> things learn and react |
| symbiosis (n)        | how two different <b>living</b> organisms <b>live</b> together and depend on each other                           |