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Line 2 two words describing its **structure**; can be literal or figurative

descriptions

Line 3 three words describing the organelle’s **function**

Line 4 four additional **descriptors**

Line 5 one word that could be a **synonym** for this organelle

A word (or a derivative) can only be used **once**. For example, if you use “life” you

cannot use the word “life” again, nor its derivative words “living”, “alive”, “live”.

A bit of creative license will be allotted… if you MUST use more than 11 words

(with the exception of line 1 – the organelle’s name), you may hyphenate the

words. YOU MUST understand the meaning of all terms that you use.

Examples:

Cell wall Chromosome

Security fence thread-like, rod-shaped

Protects and supports carries hereditary information

Not found in animals usable during cell division

Defender DNA

Cytoplasm chloroplast

Constant motion oval, green

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It carries different organelles factory of food production

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