Spelling list: GCSE Biology: Cells and Cell Transport 2

Key words for GCSE Biology.

feature A **feature** is an important or unusual characteristic of something.

function Function is another word for job.

eukaryotic Eukaryotic cells are plant and animal cells with a nucleus.

Cells without a nucleus or a membrane bound organelle are called prokaryotic

prokaryotic cells.

nucleus The **nucleus** controls what a cell does.

The **cell** membrane is a partially permeable barrier which controls what goes cell

in and out of the cell.

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goes in and out of the cell.

partially **Partially** means only a part.

permeable If something is **permeable**, it allows things to pass through it.

absorb If you **absorb** something, it means you soak it up.

cytoplasm is where chemical reactions happen in a cell.

mitochondria In a cell, aerobic respiration happens in the **mitochondria**.

In plant cells, **chloroplasts** contain chlorophyll which absorb light for chloroplasts

photosynthesis.

cell The **cell** wall is made of cellulose and provides support to the plant **cell** .

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