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# MICROBES

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Zara first did tests with microbes as a kid in class.



Now she works with  
microbes in a lab.





There is a  
bad smell in  
the work  
fridge. She  
will test it.



Zara wants to find the microbes that make the smell.



She gives a big  
sniff. The smell hits  
her.



She gets a  
bit of the  
flesh and  
starts her  
tests.



Zara takes notes on her tests. She starts to rule out some microbes.

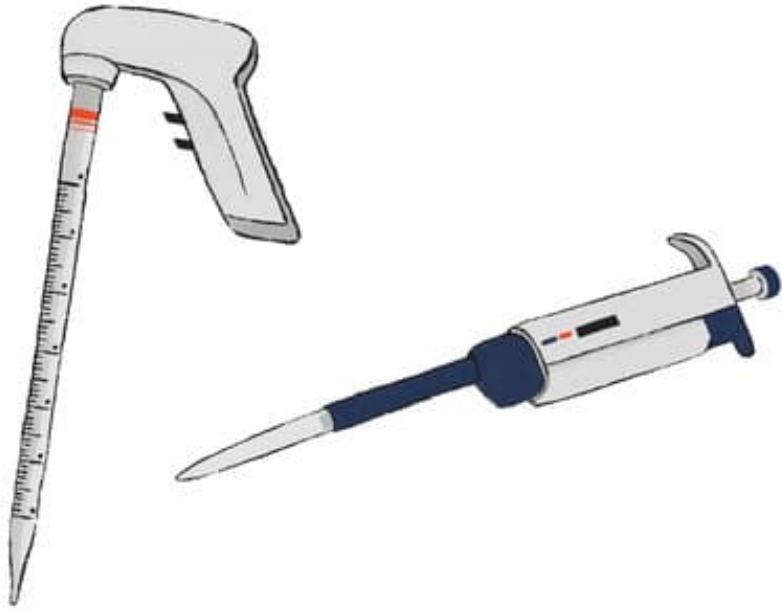




She plates  
some of it.  
There is  
mold on the  
plate the  
next day.



She does a  
host of tests.  
The list of  
microbes gets  
thin.



Is it a new microbe? She does  
her tests a few times.

She talks to a work pal. He will do her tests as well to make sure.





It is a new microbe! How will this microbe help us?



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