## CHARACTERISTICS OF LIFE POSTER

Directions: Using the pages 17-21 in your book Miller and Levine Biology identify, describe and explain the 8 characteristics of life. For each Characteristic YOU MUST create **a drawing**, as an **example** and an **explanation describing** what each are. One has been done for you.

CELLS are the smallest unit of a living thing that is	
considered fully alive. They are complex and highly	
organized.	
Example: plant and animal cells	
Below: Nerve Cell	
Cell body Schwann cell nucleus node of Ranvier myelin sheath  Motor Neuron  motor end plates on muscle fibers	