




**LITTERA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**CLASS III**

**SCIENCE**

**CHAPTER 3**

**ANIMALS AND THEIR FEEDING HABITS**

<b>Herbivore</b> A plant or animal that eats plants ONLY.	<b>Carnivore</b> A plant or animal that eats animals ONLY.	<b>Omnivore</b> A plant or animal that eats both plants and animals.
		

**Teeth of herbivores:** they have flat and broad front teeth to bite of leaves and swallow their food.



- Some herbivorous bring back the food from the stomach to the mouth and chew it for hours, this is called chewing the cud. Ex-cow, horse, deer, sheep etc.
- Rabbits, rats, and squirrels have sharp front teeth to bite nuts fruits and seeds, this is called gnawing.

**Teeth of carnivores:** they have sharp and pointed front teeth to tear the flesh of other animals.

- Spider weaves a web to trap insects.
- Snakes and frog swallow their food as a whole.
- Leech sucks the blood through suckers present on their body.

**Teeth of omnivores:** they have both sharp pointed teeth like carnivores and flat broad teeth like herbivores.

## Food chain

A chain that shows who eats whom is called food chain. It starts with producers (green plants).

