Section 1.3b Adapted notes

**Relationships**

Organisms sometimes depend on each other for safety, a place to live, or for food.

**Symbiosis** – When two different species closely depend on each other over time.

**Parasitism** – When one of the ‘partners’ benefits (*parasite*) at the expense of the other species (*host*)

**Mutualism** – When two species both benefit from their relationship (everyone wins)

**Commensalism** – when one of the species benefits, and the other is NOT hurt in any way.