

# ***Tuberculosis (TB)***



**TYPE: Microbe**

**THEME: Bacteria**

- ◇ I am a bacteria
- ◇ I live in humans and animal bodies
- ◇ I am too small to see without a microscope but for a microbe I am quite big!
- ◇ I can cause humans serious illness if I get into their lungs
- ◇ I can also cause animals serious illnesses.
- ◇ People and animals need to take antibiotics if TB is making them ill
- ◇ BUT... many antibiotics no longer work against TB because the TB bacteria has become resistant