Spelling list: B1 Cells and Transport

Key terminology on cells and transport.

Cytoplasm The material within a living cell, excluding the nucleus is called **cytoplasm**.

A chromosome is a thread-like structure of nucleic acids and protein found in

Nucleus the **nucleus** of most living cells, carrying genetic information in the form of

genes.

The movement of water across cell membranes down a concentration Osmosis

gradient.

Chloroplast Plant cells have green **chloroplast** .

Chlorophyll is the substance inside plant cells that turn sunlight into

carbohydrates.

Ribosome Where proteins are made in a cell.

The **synthesis** of organic compounds by bacteria or other living organisms Synthesis

typically in the absence of sunlight.

mitochondria Mitochondria contain enzymes for energy production.

Vacuole Plant cells contain a **vacuole**.

Palisade The scientific term for a leaf cell.