

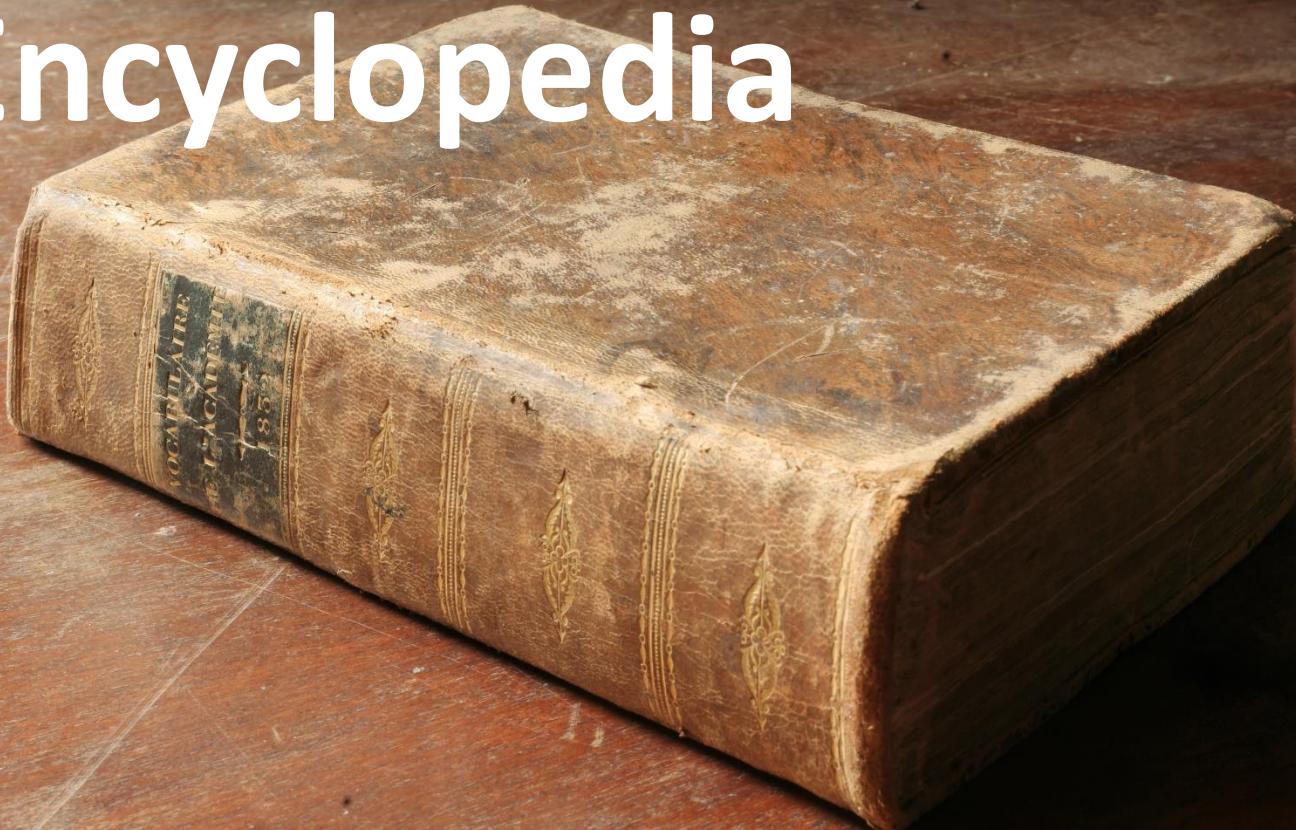


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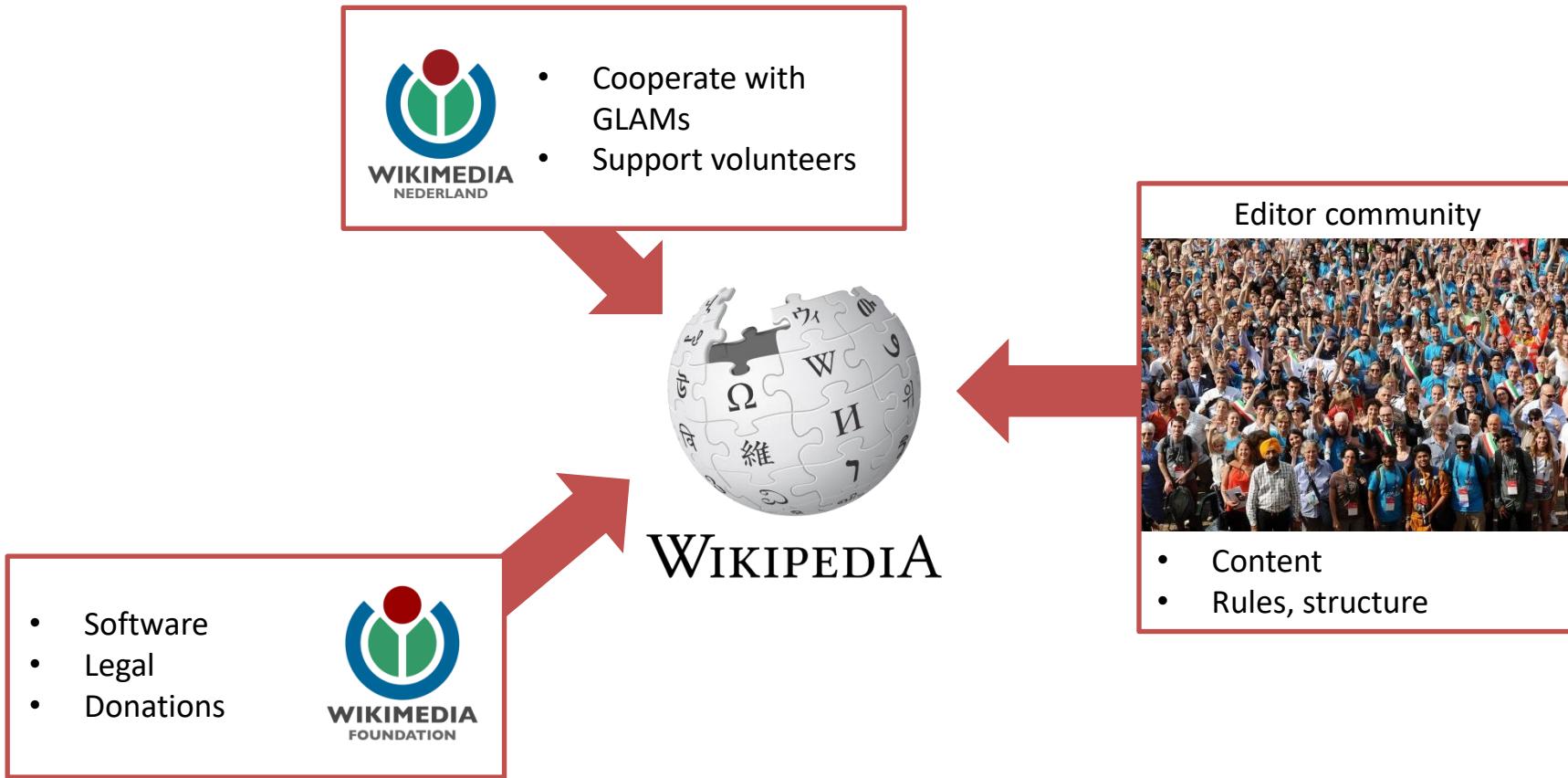


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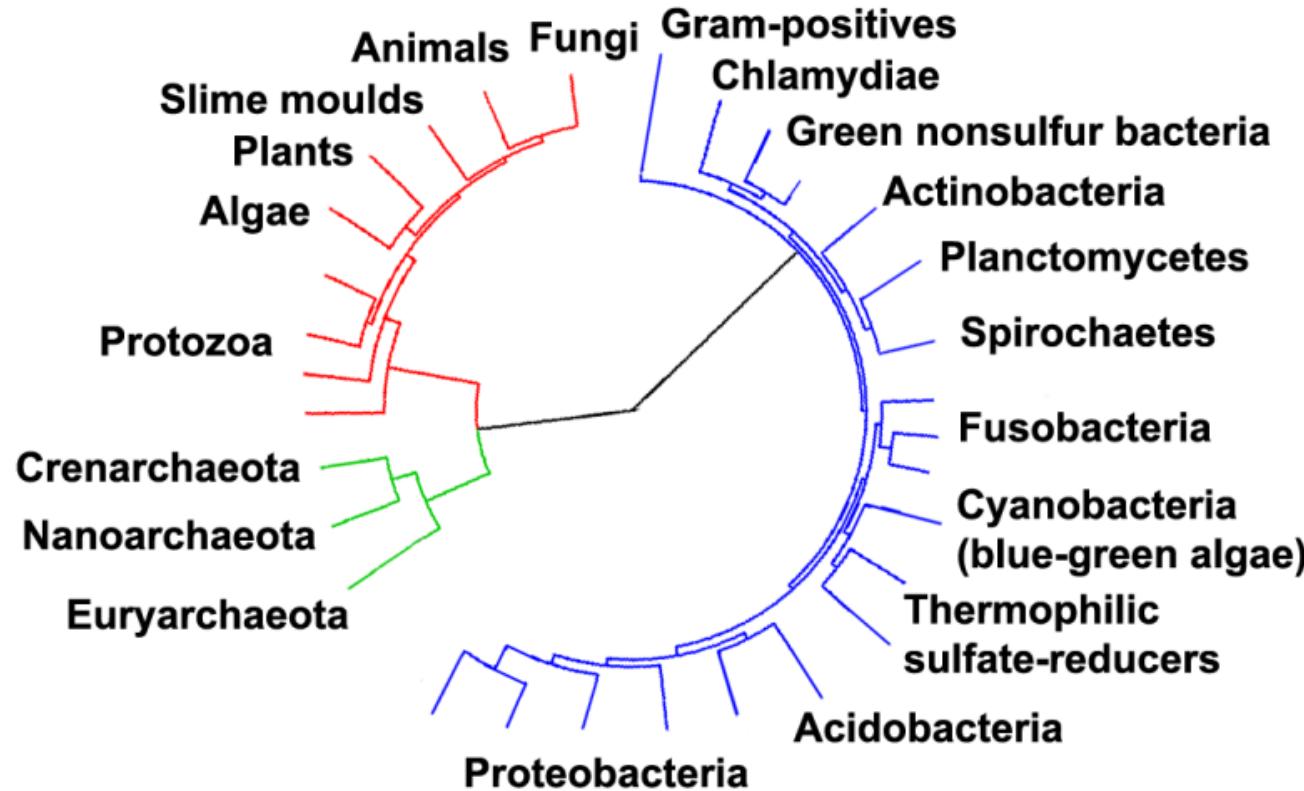
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This article is about evolution in biology. For related articles, see [Outline of evolution](#). For other uses, see [Evolution](#). For a more accessible and less technical introduction to this topic, see [Introduction to evolution](#).

Evolution is change in heritable traits of biological populations over successive generations.^[1] Evolutionary processes occur at all levels of organization, and at the level of molecular evolution.^[2]

All life on Earth originated through common descent from a last universal ancestor that lived approximately 3.5–3.8 billion years ago (anagenesis), and loss of species (extinction) throughout the evolutionary history of life on Earth can be inferred from traits that are more similar among species that share a more recent common ancestor, and can be used to reconstruct a phylogenetic tree of life. Existing patterns of biodiversity have been shaped both by speciation and by extinction.^[3] Although there are currently 10–14 million species of life on Earth,^[4]

In the mid 19th century, Charles Darwin formulated the scientific theory of evolution by natural selection, published in his book "On the Origin of Species".^[5] The theory is based on the observation that more offspring are produced than can possibly survive, along with three facts about populations: 1) traits are passed on to offspring, 2) different traits confer different rates of survival and reproduction (differential fitness), and 3) traits can be passed on to offspring. In this way, traits that are better adapted to survive and reproduce in the environment become more common in the population over time. The process of natural selection creates and preserves traits that are seemingly fitted for the functional roles they perform. Other, nonadaptive causes of microevolution include mutation and genetic drift.^{[1][2]}

In the early 20th century the modern evolutionary synthesis integrated classical genetics with Darwin's theory of evolution. The theory of evolution by natural selection as a cause of evolution was accepted into other branches of biology. Moreover, previously held notions about the direction of evolution, such as orthogenesis, became obsolete scientific theories.^{[1][3]} Scientists continue to study various aspects of theoretical biology and biological theories, using observational data, and performing experiments in both the field and the laboratory. The theory of evolution by natural selection is one of the most reliably established of all the facts and theories in science.^{[1][4]} Discoveries in evolutionary biology have made significant contributions to many disciplines (e.g., biological anthropology and evolutionary psychology) and on society at large.^{[1][2][3]}

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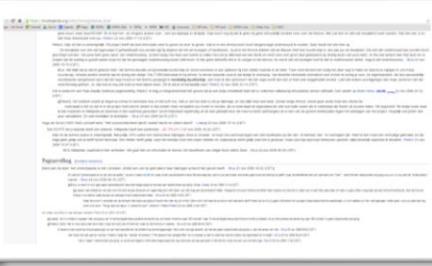
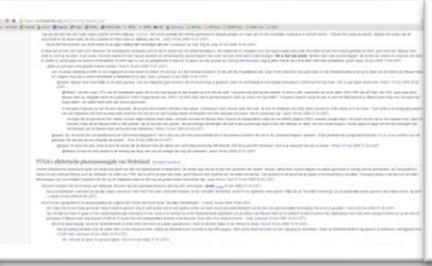
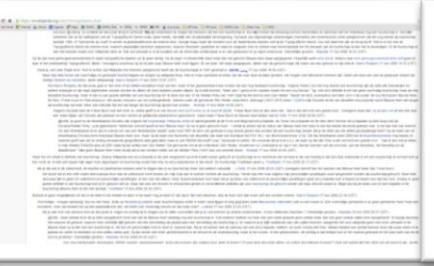
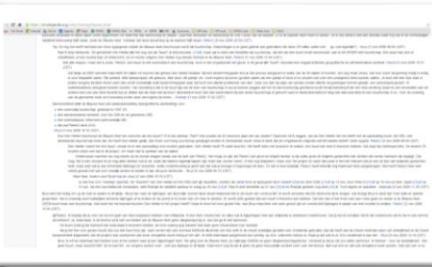
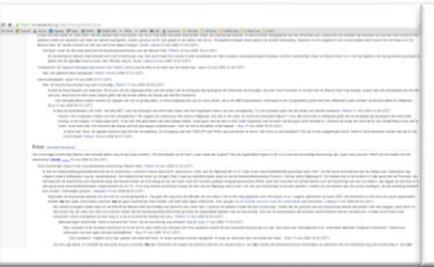
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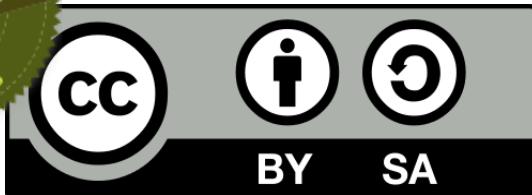


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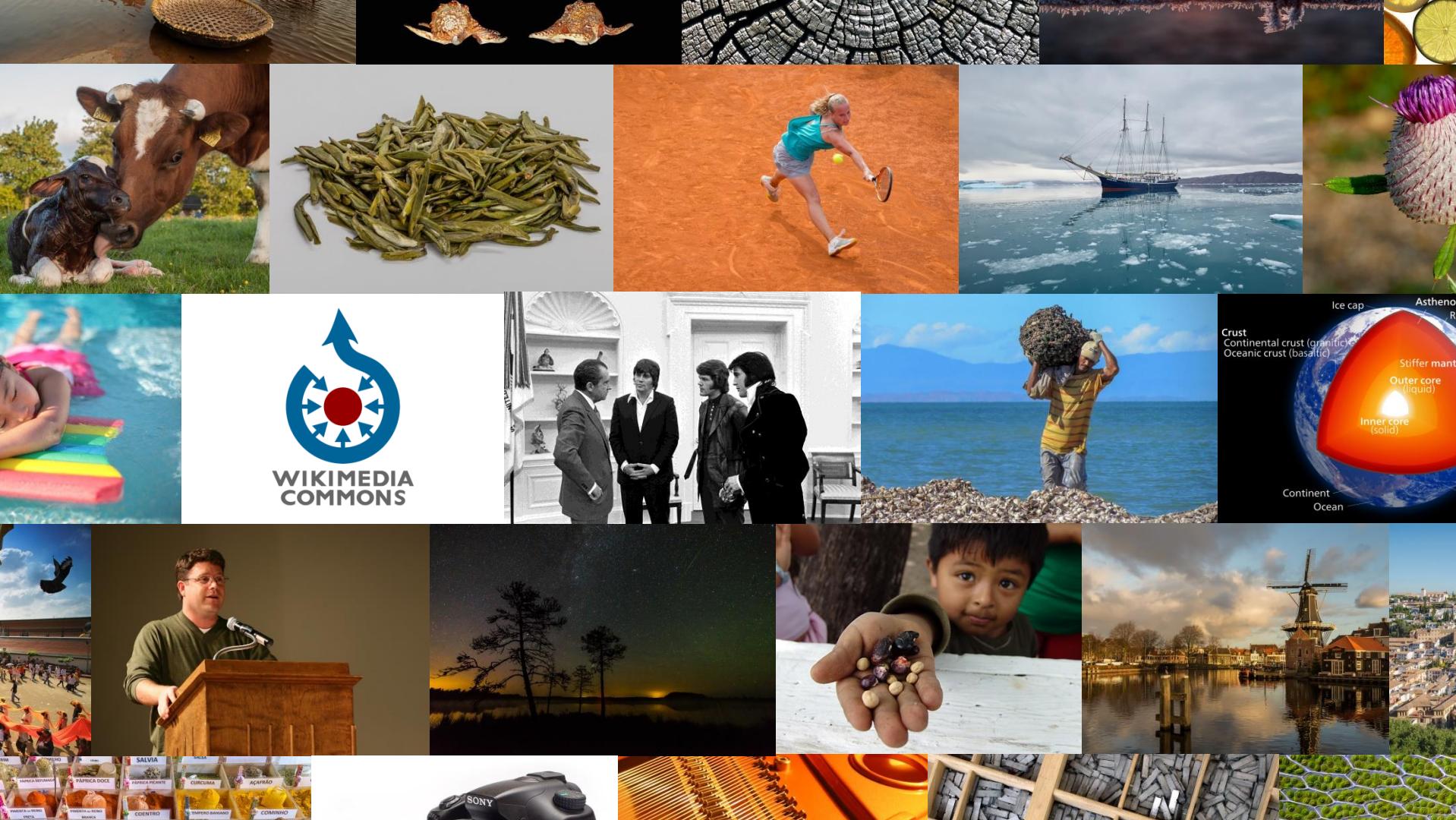
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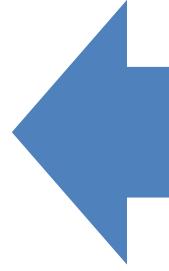
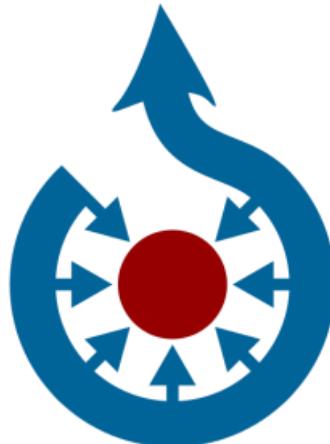
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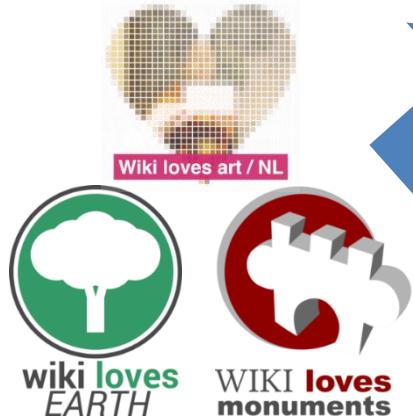
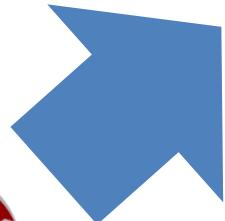




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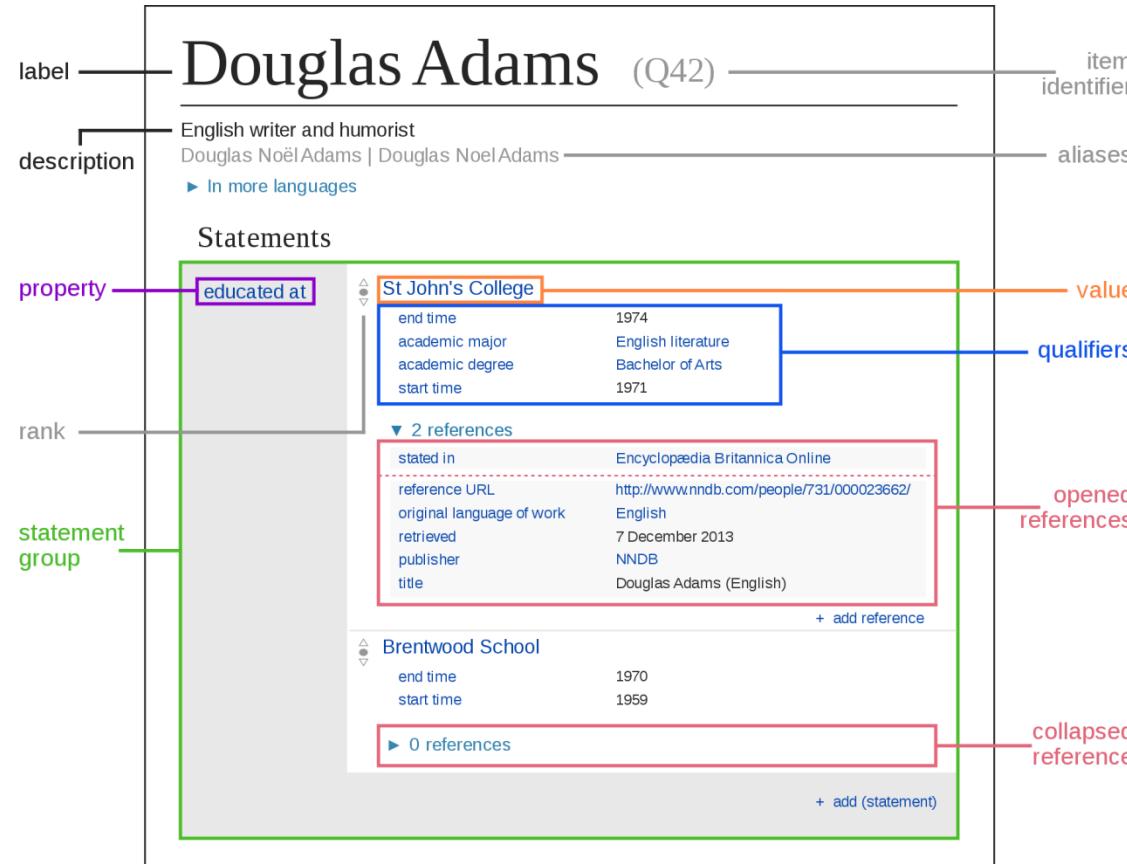
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