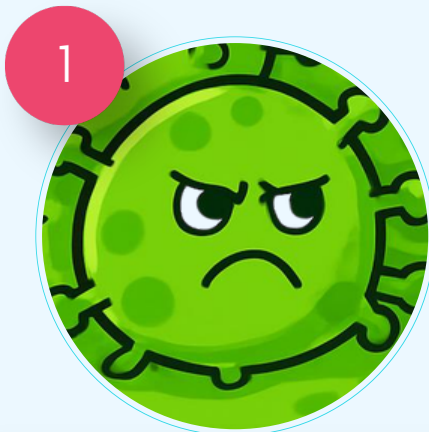


Biofilms: Invisible Invaders



Bacteria can get sad on their own.



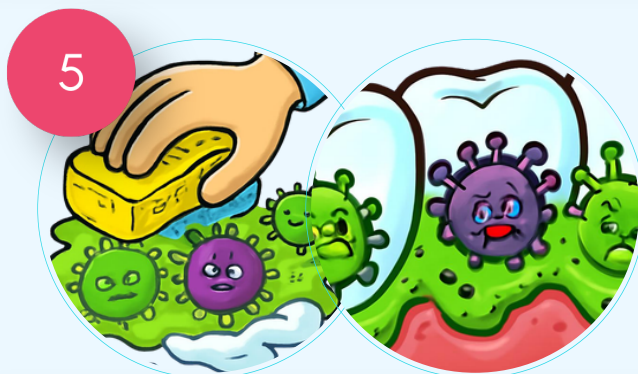
So, they stick together and form slimy 'cities' (biofilms).



These biofilm 'cities' allow the bacteria to work together and become stronger and harder to clean.



The bacteria can then leave the biofilm 'city' to find more bacteria and build new 'cities'.



Biofilms can form on surfaces, and also on your teeth and in your body, which can cause infections.



Biofilms grow stronger and thicker over time, which is why cleaning regularly is so important.