

# Food Chains

b b t i c g a k n i k a n c a  
 a o j c e g g r e n e n i a u  
 d l d r a r h h a t r e o a d  
 n p p l a n t i t a b o h l e  
 e r o v i t e e n i g e a c  
 e j e r m e w g e v f d w e  
 n i c o e e n g e r o m o y m  
 e a r c a r n i v o r e o a p  
 g n a n l e r o k u e e f e e  
 c o n s u m e r d h p i l e s  
 q i l i t p r e d a t o r i e  
 c a m r e w a g j e d x l r  
 f l a p r o d u c e r e h m e  
 p h i h g u r p h a b i t a t  
 m e b c u r k e y d e r t b p e

carnivore	herbivore	omnivore
predator	prey	insectivore
decomposer	producer	consumer
habitat	food chain	plant
animal	scavenger	energy



# Food Chain Vocabulary

Use the words below to complete the sentences.

consumers	producer	omnivore	herbivore
carnivores	predator	prey	insectivore
decomposer	scavenger	habitats	energy

Food chains show us how \_\_\_\_\_ is transferred between plants and animals.

Food chains in different \_\_\_\_\_ contain different plants and animals.

A food chain always begins with a \_\_\_\_\_. This may be a green plant or phytoplankton.

Food chains end with a \_\_\_\_\_ that digests dead animals and plants and returns the nutrients to the soil.

In a food chain there may be primary, secondary and tertiary \_\_\_\_\_.

A primary consumer eats plants and will be either a \_\_\_\_\_ or an \_\_\_\_\_.

Animals that only eat other animals are called \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ are animals that capture and eat their \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ search out dead plants and animals and feed off them.

Some animals only eat insects. They are called \_\_\_\_\_.