Producers, consumers and decomposers

Producers
These use the sun's energy to produce food.

Consumers
These eat other living things.

Decomposers
These eat and break down dead plants and animals.

Cut out the statements below and sort them into producers, consumers and decomposers.

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Woodlice
Eat dead wood and plant remains

Beetles
Eat other insects

Magpies
Eat the dead remains of other mammals and the eggs of other birds

Millipedes
Feed on mulch

Mice
Feed on seeds and small plants

Bees
Get their energy from the pollen in flowers

Stoats
Get their energy from eating small mammals and birds eggs

Foxes
Eat small mammals such as rabbits, hares and even rats and mice

Moths
Drink nectar from flowers

Hedgehogs
Feed on slugs, small frogs and beetles

Sparrowhawks
Fast flying birds, which feed on smaller birds

Grass
A common plant that can grow in lots of different places

Owls
Eat small mammals like mice, voles and shrews

Blackberry bushes
Grow in woodland hedges

Song thrushes
Eat worms, snails, beetles, berries and fruit

Spiders
Trap and eat insects

Fungi
Feed on dead plant remains

Woodpeckers
Eat insects on the ground or in trees

Voles
Feed on seeds and small trees

Badgers
Eat beetles, worms and hedgehogs

Centipedes
Kill creepy crawlies

Bluebells
A woodland plant

Hares
Get their energy from seeds and small plants

Butterflies
Feed on flower pollen

Ants
Eat the remains of dead plants

Birch
A quick growing tree

Blackbirds
Eat worms, snails, beetles, berries and fruit

Shrews
Small mammals that eat worms and insects

Worms
Digest all sorts of rotting material

Oak trees
Have seeds called acorns

Snails
Feed on dead plants or the leaves of growing plants

Rabbits
Eat small plants and seeds