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**Match each of the following terms to its definition:**

Decomposer

Consumer

Carnivore

Energy

Energy pyramid

Food web

Food chain

Ecosystem

1. \_\_\_\_\_ - a consumer that eats other animals

2. \_\_\_\_\_ - an organism that obtains energy from eating other organisms

3. \_\_\_\_\_ nutrients

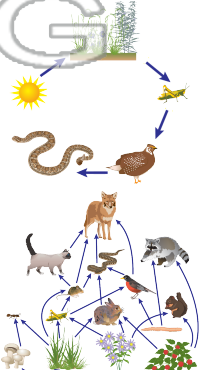
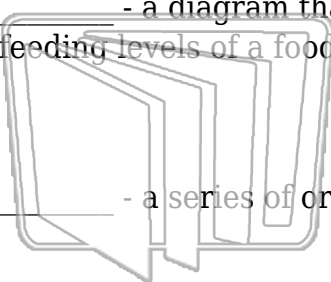
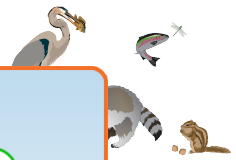
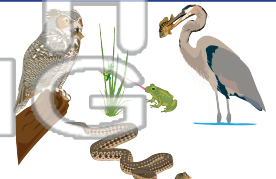
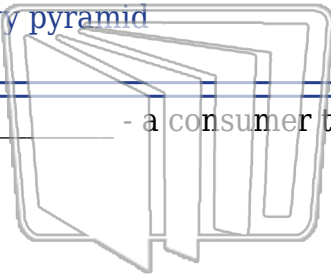
4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_ - a diagram that shows the amount of energy that moves through feeding levels of a food web

7. \_\_\_\_\_ - a series of organisms that eat other organisms to obtain energy

8. \_\_\_\_\_ - a diagram made up of many different food chains in an ecosystem





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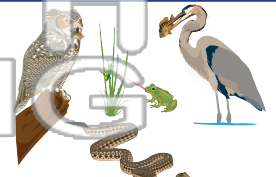
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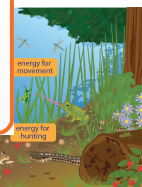
3. **decomposers** - organisms that break down dead organic matter



4. **ecosystem** - a community of living organisms interacting with their physical environment



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