Key Vocabulary

life processes These are the things that all living things do. They move, breathe, sense, grow, make babies, get rid of waste and get their energy from food. Things that are living have all the life living processes. dead. Things that are dead were once living. They did have all the life processes but don't now. Things made out of metal, plastic or rock never living were never living. They never had the life processes. load chain A load chain shows how each animal gets its food. Food chains are one of the ways that living things depend on each other to stay alive. load sources This is the place a living thing's food comes from.

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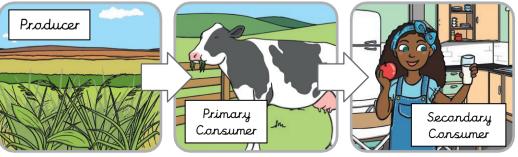






Food chains. The arrows mean 'is eaten by'.







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habitat

A habitat is the natural place something lives. A habitat provides living things with everything they need to survive such as food, shelter and water.

microhabitat

A microhabitat is a very small habitat in places like under a rock, under leaves or on a branch. Minibeasts live in microhabitats. The microhabitats have everything they need to survive.

depend

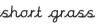
Many living things in a habitat depend on each other. This means they need each other for different things.

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This means to stay alive.

Examples of microhabitats:







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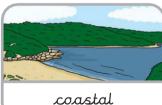
Examples of habitats:







urban









arctic



desert



inside rotting wood



mountain

Soil

under leaves

Minibeasts live in microhabitats. These creatures are a range of invertebrates. This means that they do not have a backbone, for example worms, spiders