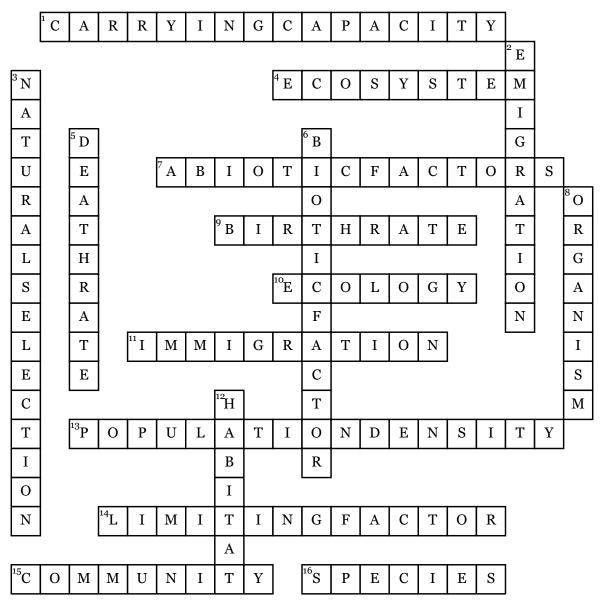
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Chapter 3 Crossword



Across

- **1.** largest number of individuals of a population that a environment can support
- **4.** the community of organisms that live in a particular area, along with their nonliving environment.
- 7. nonliving parts of an organism's habitat; examples: sunlight, soil. temperature, oxygen, and water
- **9.** the number of births per 1,000 individuals for a given time period
- **10.** the study of how organisms interact with each other and with their environment
- 11. moving into a population

- **13.** number of individuals in an area of a specific size
- **14.** an environmental factor that causes a population to stop growing or decrease in size (may include: weather conditions, space, food, and water)
- **15.** all the different populations that live together in an area
- **16.** a group of organisms that can mate with each other and produce offspring that can also mate and reproduce.

Down

2. leaving a population

- **3.** A process in which individuals that have certain inherited traits tend to survive and reproduce at higher rates than other individuals because of those traits.
- **5.** the number of deaths per 1,000 individuals for a given time period
- **6.** the parts of a habitat that are living, or once living, and interact with an organism
- 8. a Living Thing
- **12.** an environment that provides the things a specific organism needs to live, grow, and reproduce.