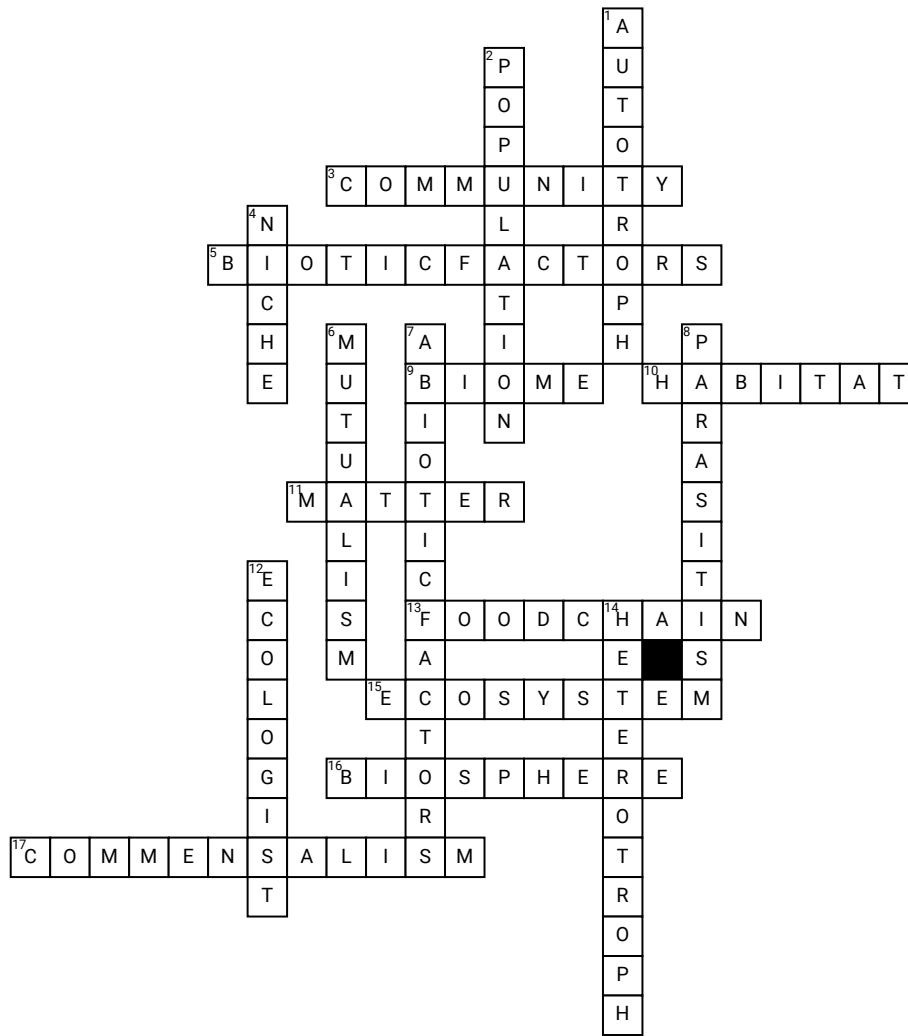


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# Ecology Review Crossword



## Across

3. all the interacting populations of species that live in the same area at the same time
5. the living parts of an ecosystem
9. a group of ecosystems that share the same climate and have similar types of communities
10. where an organism lives
11. the law of conservation of \_\_\_\_\_ states that matter cannot be created or destroyed
13. a simple model that shows how energy flows through an ecosystem

15. a biological community and all of the abiotic factors that affect it

16. the portion of earth that supports life

17. a symbiotic relationship where one organism benefits while the other organism neither benefits nor is harmed

## Down

1. an organism that makes their own food
2. individual organisms of a single species that live in the same place at the same time
4. how an organism lives

6. a symbiotic relationship where both organisms benefit

7. the nonliving parts of an ecosystem

8. a symbiotic relationship where one organism benefits and the other is harmed

12. an individual who studies interactions between organisms and their environments, and attempt to solve problems that are related to the environment

14. an organism that gets its energy from consuming other organisms

## Word Bank

parasitism	heterotroph	habitat	ecologist	commensalism
abiotic factors	biotic factors	matter	niche	biome
autotroph	food chain	population	biosphere	mutualism
ecosystem	community			