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- **1.** A type of consumer that eats plant material
- **4.** An animal killed for food
- 7. organisms that get nutrients by eating other organisms
- **11.** Network or related food chains
- **14.** change of water from a liquid to a gas state
- **15.** non-living factors that affect organism survival, such as water availability, pollution, and temperature range

- **16.** Plants and animals in an area, functioning together with their surroundings
- **17.** water vapor forms clouds and returns to Earth
- **18.** Organisms that produce their own food

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- **2.** water lost to the atmosphere by the activities of plants
- **3.** natural home of a plant or animal
- 5. the process plants use to make food from sunlight, water and carbon dioxide

- **6.** the number of different organisms in an ecosystem
- **8.** Tiny plants and animals that break down dead materials into nutrients
- **9.** a partnership between organisms that helps one or both of them survive
- 10. an animal that kills other animals for food
- 12. living factors that directly or indirectly affect an organism in its environment, such as disease, predators, and parasites
- **13.** A type of consumer that eats animal material