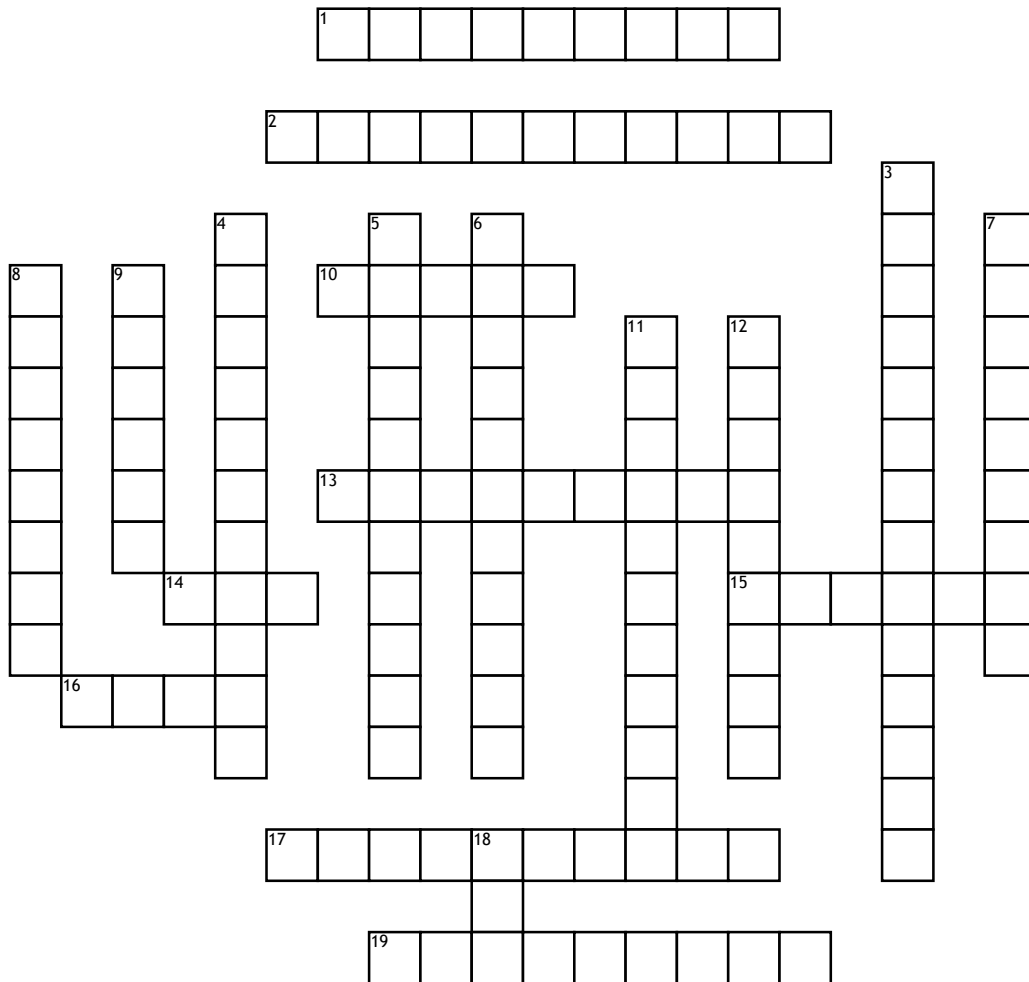


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# Ecosystems Vocabulary Review Lessons 1-4



## Across

1. Means "stomach foot"
2. An organism that is born live and fully formed (two words)
10. Latin word for land
13. Makes food that animals need to live
14. Young mosquito fish
15. An organ that secretes the snail's shell
16. Latin word for water
17. The "clean-up crew" of the environment

19. A system in which plants and animals feed upon other organisms (two words)

## Down

3. Process in which the sun's energy, water, and carbon dioxide help plants make their own food
4. Of or relating to territory
5. Helps organisms get energy by providing oxygen
6. Black spots on each side above the tail on a pregnant mosquito fish (two words)

7. Community of living organisms and nonliving elements

8. Scientific name for mosquito fish
9. Tongue with tiny teeth that files down the snail's food to bits
11. Dark line running the length of the fish, made of nerve endings that detect pressure in water (two words)
12. Organisms that eat other organisms to get energy
18. Greek word for house, habitat, or environment

## Word Bank

producers	eco	live bearers	ecosystem	lateral line
gastropod	photosynthesis	consumers	territorial	aqua
fry	terra	radula	mantle	respiration
gravid spots	scavengers	food chain	Gambusia	