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# 8<sup>th</sup> Grade DO NOW

WEEK 10

.11A Describe producer/consumer, predator/prey, and parasite/host relationships as they occur in food webs in marine, freshwater and terrestrial ecosystems.

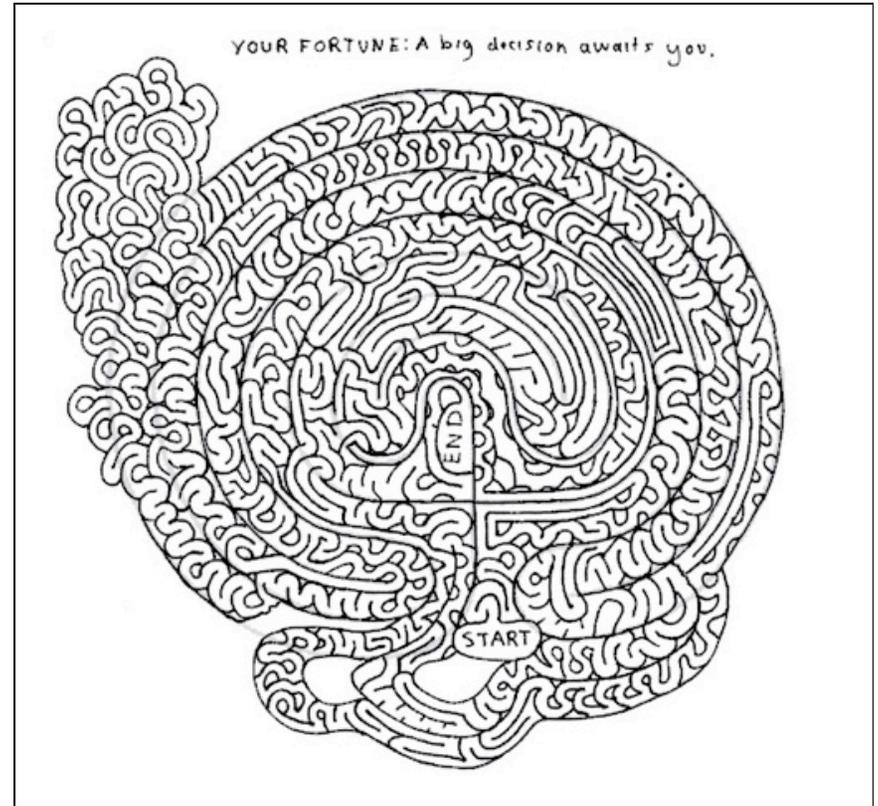
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Match the vocabulary word with its meaning.

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| _____ 1. Predator  | A. All living and nonliving things in an area            |
| _____ 2. Prey      | B. Animal that kills other animals                       |
| _____ 3. Producer  | C. an organism that feeds on other organisms             |
| _____ 4. Consumer  | D. Organism that is killed and eaten by another organism |
| _____ 5. Ecosystem | E. Organism that makes its own food                      |

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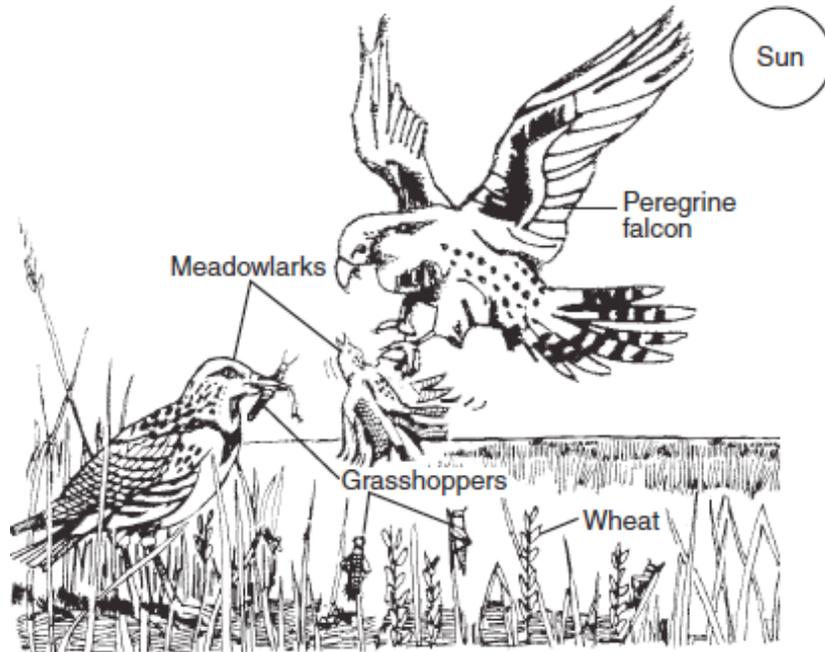
Word	Example
Predator	
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Word	NON-Example
Predator	
Prey	
Producer	
Consumer	
Ecosystem	

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Use the picture to answer the following questions.

1. Give an example of a predator. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Give an example of a prey. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Give an example of a producer. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Give an example of a consumer? \_\_\_\_\_
5. From where does the energy for the ecosystem come? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Can the meadowlarks be considered predators? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Explain your thinking. \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Can the grasshoppers be considered predators? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Explain your thinking. \_\_\_\_\_  
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HAWK	ROTTINGLOG
LION	SCHOOLYARD
POND	TIGER
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