

Lesson 3 Communities

Skim Lesson 3 in your book. Read the headings, and look at the photos and illustrations. Identify three things you want to learn more about as you read the lesson. Write your ideas in your Science Journal.

Main Idea

Communities, Habitats, and Niches

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Energy Flow

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Details

 **Recall** the definition of community.

A community is _____

Identify 4 resources that organisms need from a habitat.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

Describe the relationship between a habitat and a niche.

The place where an organism lives is its _____.
The way a species interacts with abiotic and biotic factors to fulfill needs is its _____.

Compare how producers and consumers get energy. Then summarize how both types of living things use energy.

Producers	Consumers

Both producers and consumers: _____.

Identify three kinds of consumers.

- a. _____ eat _____.
- b. _____ eat _____.
- c. _____ eat _____ and _____.

Define a food chain.

Food chain: _____

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Relationships in Communities

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Analyze the food chain below. Identify the role of each link.

Sun → fruit → squirrel monkey → harpy eagle

Describe a food web.

 **Identify** how populations interact in a community.

Relationship	Description
Predator-prey	
Cooperative	
Symbiotic	3 types: a. b. c.

 **Connect It** Explain how populations in a community interact.
