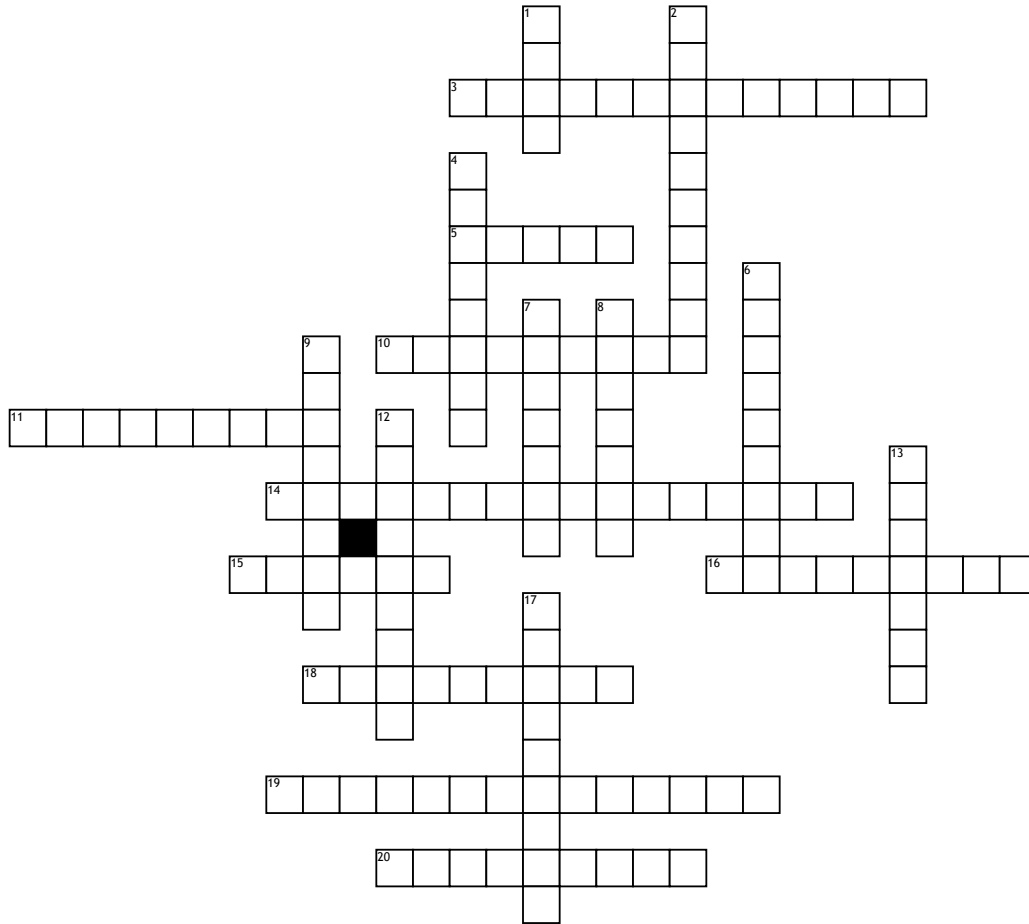


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Ecology



Across

- 3. shows a loss of energy
- 5. organism's way of life
- 10. represents how energy goes from one thing to another
- 11. part of Earth where life exists
- 14. environment supports large population for a long period of time
- 15. living

- 16. close, long term association between 2 or more species
- 18. eats plants
- 19. first organisms to live in an environment
- 20. feeds on the bodies of dead animals

Down

- 1. organism that is eaten
- 2. group of individuals of the same species that live together

- 4. eats plants and meat
- 6. all populations
- 7. study of interactions between organisms and their environment
- 8. environment it lives
- 9. organism that eats prey
- 12. eats meat
- 13. nonliving
- 17. community of organisms

Word Bank

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|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|----------------|-----------|
| pioneer species | predator | niche | biosphere | community |
| omnivore | herbivore | ecosystem | food chain | ecology |
| prey | symbiosis | carrying capacity | energy pyramid | abiotic |
| carnivore | scavenger | biotic | population | habitat |