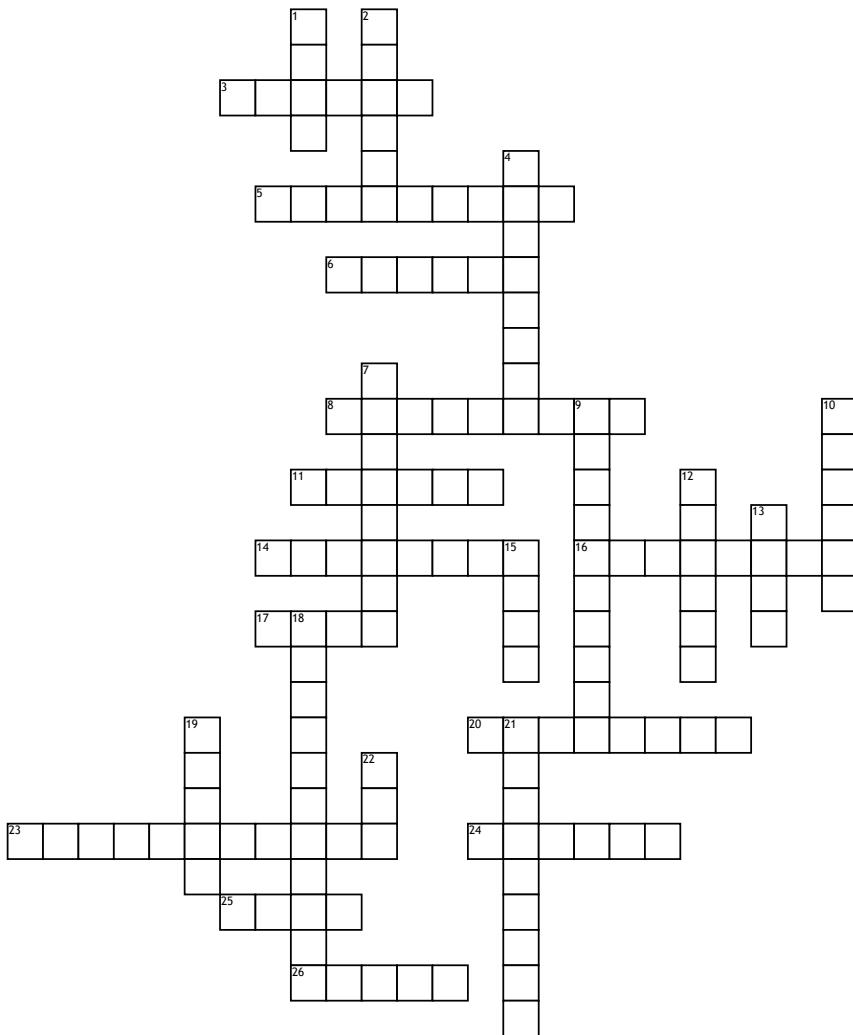


Ecosystems crossword

**Across**

3. scavenger - an animal or other organism that feeds on dead organic
 5. trophic levels / any class of organisms that occupy the same position in a food chain as primary , consumers , secondary consumers and tertiary
 6. detivore - consumes dead matters scavengers leave
 8. organism - a form of life composed of mutually interdependent parts that maintain various vital
 11. food web- a system of interlocking and independent food
 14. decomposes - an organism such as soil bacteria fungus or invertebrate that decomposes organic
 16. habitat - the natural environment of an organism ; place that is natural for the life and growth of an
 17. omnivore - someone or something that eats plants and

20. consumer - a person or thing that eats or uses
 23. extinct - no longer

24. community - a particular area or place considered together with its in

25. population - a total number of persons inhabiting a country or

26. biotic - a living

Down

1. symbiosis - interaction between two different organisms living in close physical association , typically to the advantage of

2. succession - the coming of one person or thing after another in order , sequence or in the course of

4. producer - a living organism who

7. niche - a shallow recess in a wall to display a statue or other

9. biodiversity - diversity among and within plant and animal species in an

10. biomass - the total mass of organisms in a given area or

12. herbivore - an animal that feeds on

13. biosphere - the part of the earth's crust , waters , and atmosphere that support

15. runoff - the draining away of water from the surface of an area of

18. ecosystems - a biological or something community interacting organisms and their physical

19. carnivore - an animal that eats

21. abiotic - of or characterized by the absence of life or living

22. food chain - a series of organisms interrelated in their feeding habits the smallest being fed upon larger one which in turn feeds another

Word Bank

volume	both	land	consumers	material	meat	chains
inexistence	ornament	environment	organisms	flesh	area	matter
something	behind	plants	habits	processes	organism	produces
one	thing	events	environment	life		