Make a Woodland Food Chain

All living things need nutrients and energy which they get from food.

Some living things – plants – can use energy they get from sunlight to make their own food. They are called PRODUCERS.

Other living things, such as animals, cannot make their food in this way. To get food, some animals eat the plants (herbivores) and are known as PRIMARY CONSUMERS.

These are then eaten by other animals (carnivores), which are known as SECONDARY CONSUMERS. These are also sometimes omnivores – a creature that eats both animals and plants. The energy and nutrients pass through living things – from plant to animal, animal to animal – and this is called a food chain.



PRODUCER

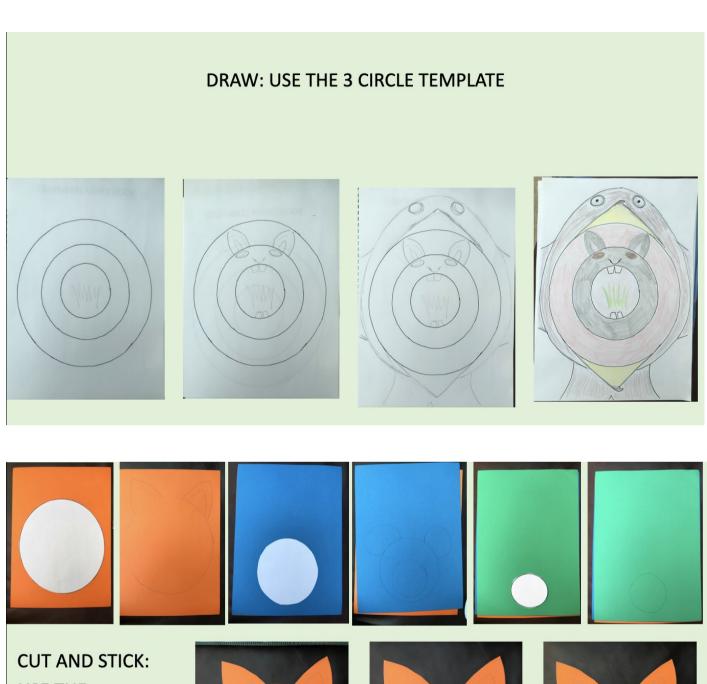


PRIMARY CONSUMER



SECONDARY CONSUMER

Link together animals in a food chain by drawing or collaging them in sequence.

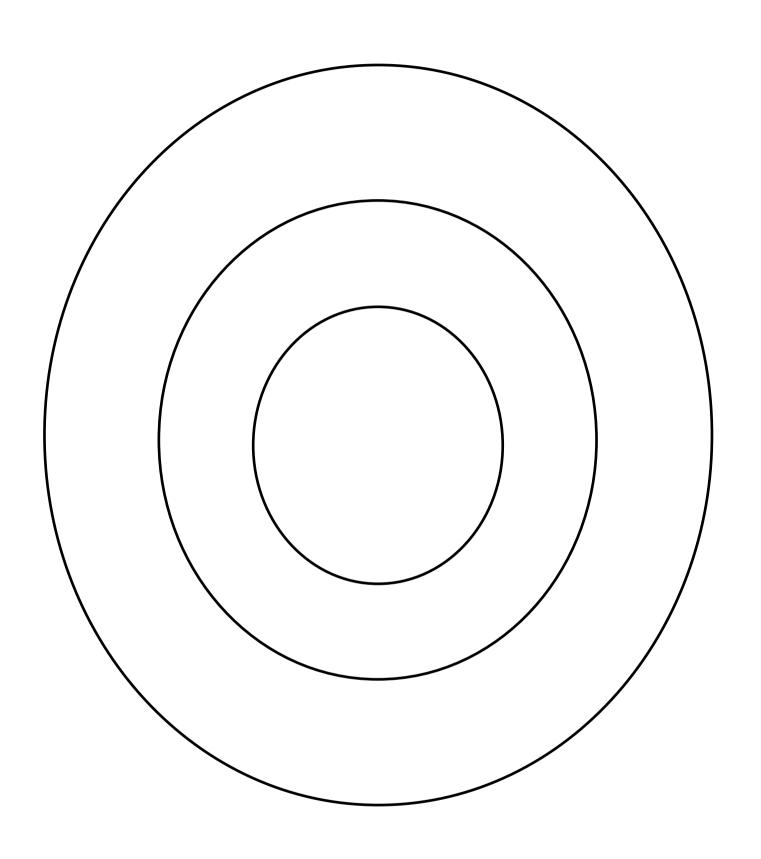


USE THE
INDIVIDUAL CIRCLES
TO CUT OUT THREE
ORGANISMS AND
STICK TOGETHER

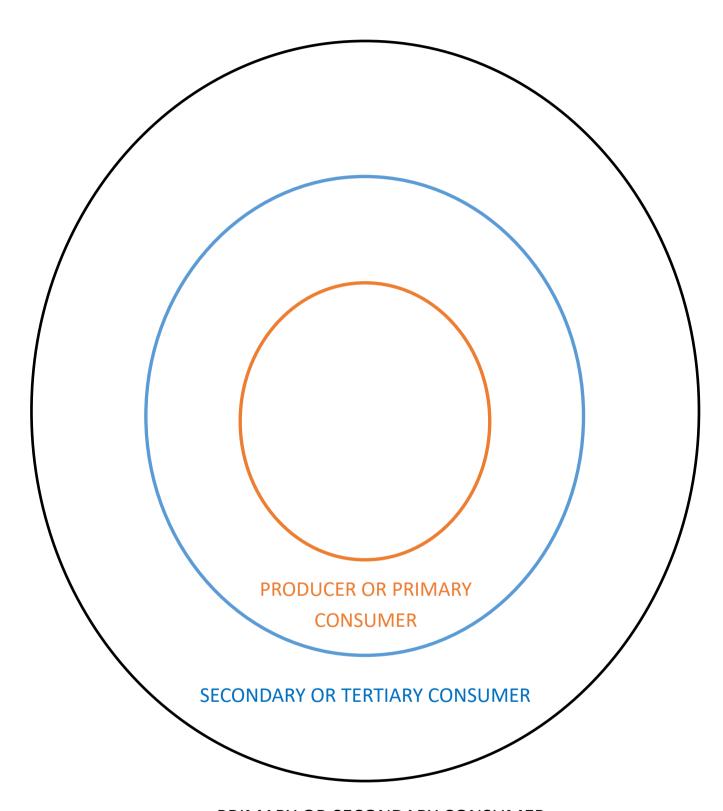




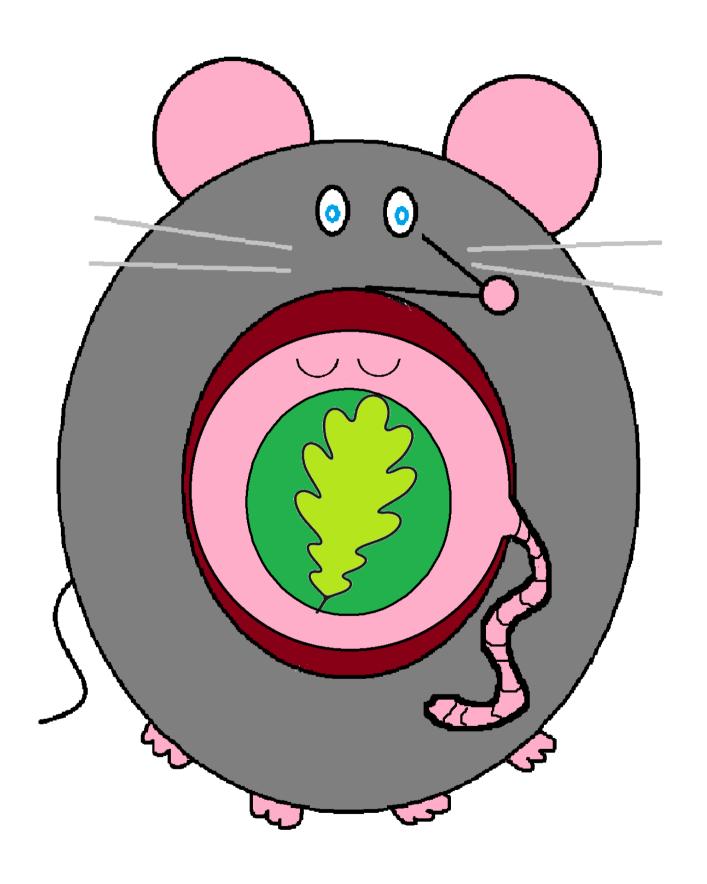




FOOD CHAIN TEMPLATES

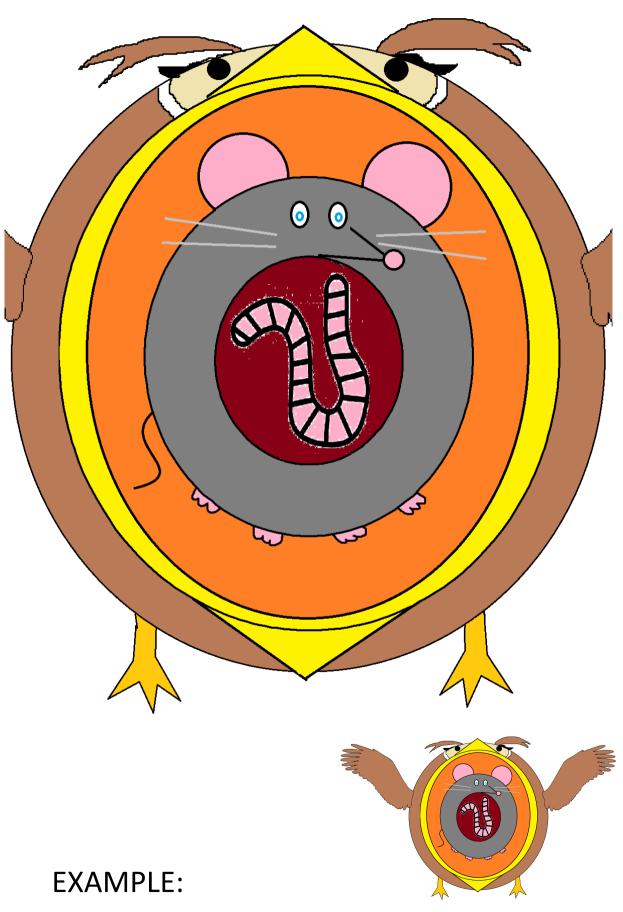


PRIMARY OR SECONDARY CONSUMER



EXAMPLE:

PRODUCER > PRIMARY > SECONDARY



PRIMARY > SECONDARY > TERTIARY