

Producers, consumers, and decomposers

Grade 3 Science Worksheet



All living things need energy. Depending on how they get their energy, living things are either producers, consumers, or decomposers.

Producers make their own energy from sunlight, air, and soil.

Consumers cannot make their own energy. They must eat other living things.

Decomposers break down and eat dead plants and animals.

Write producer, consumer, or decomposer for each living thing.



1. grass



6. earthworm



2. elephant



7. mushroom



3. bacteria



8. blackberry plant



4. tiger



9. grizzly bear



5. acacia tree



10. rattlesnake

Answers

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