

Ecosystem Connections

2EVHUYH WKH QDWXUDO ZRUOG DURXQG \RX WR GLVFR
DQG -QRLQJ WKLQJV LQWHUDFW ZLWK HDFK RWKHU

'LUHFWLRQV

)LQG D VSRW WR REVHUYH D QDWXUDO RXWVLGH LQ \RXU \DUG LQ D SDUN D LQVLGH ORRNLQJ RXW D ZLQGRZ

6LW DQG REVHUYH DOO WKHQ JOWKLQJ \RX :KDW GR \RX VHH" :KDW FDQ \RX K \RXU REVHUYDWLRQV EH ORZ

 /LYLQJ	 1R-QLYLQJ
<i>Spruce tree, squirrel, eagle</i>	<i>Stream, wind, large rocks, sun</i>

Materials

Questions

x 3DSHU DQG ZULWLQJ YH

x +RZ GR KXP DQV DQG KXP DQGH LWHPV LP HFRV\WHPV"

x :KDW LV VRPHWKLQJ FRXOG FDXVH DQ HF WR EH RXW RI EDOD

x +RZ GR GHFRPSRVHU FRQQHFW WKH FRPSI DQ HFRV\WHP"

1R-QLYLQJ ([DPSOHV

Water

Air



Soil

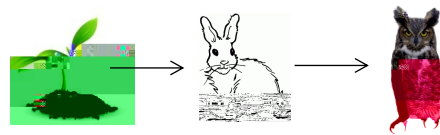
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'LUHFWLRQV FRQWLQXHG)RRG &KDLQV

)RRG FKDLQV GHVFULEH WKH RUGHU LQ ZKLFK OLYLQJ WKLQJV
FKDLQ RU PRUH PDNHV XS HYHU\ HFRV\ VWHP

Example of a Food Chain



Example of a nonliving component
connected to a food chain.

