

"Kindergarten – Second Grade Summer STEM Project"

FOOD CHAIN COLLAGE

Food Chain has...	3	0
The sun as the first component		
Four additional living things		
All living things are labeled with their names		
All living things are labeled with producer/consumer		
Arrows are included AND facing the right direction		

Total Points: _____/15

START WITH YOUR LARGEST ANIMAL (THE TOP PREDATOR, THEN MAKE ALL THE OTHER ANIMALS SLIGHTLY SMALLER...

ONCE YOU HAVE ALL THE ANIMALS (3 ANIMALS PLUS A PLANT) IT'S TIME TO LAYER THEM AND GLUE IT ALL TOGETHER.

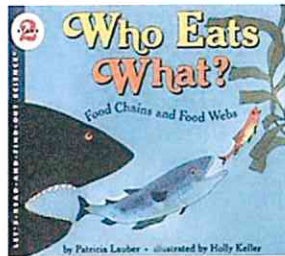
DON'T FORGET TO ADD THE SUN AS THE FIRST COMPONENT.

EXAMPLES BELOW MAY NOT FOLLOW RUBRIC EXACTLY; PLEASE READ AND FOLLOW RUBRIC DIRECTIONS FOR AN EXCELLENT SCORE.



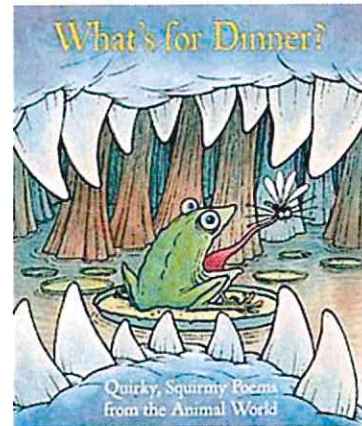


BOOKS ON FOOD CHAINS FOR KIDS



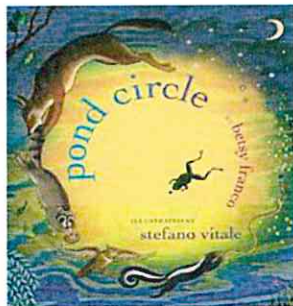
Who Eats What

Food Chains and Food Webs
by Patricia Lauber
Kindergarten - 3rd grade



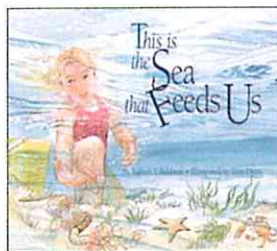
What's for Dinner?

Quirky Poems from the
Animal World
3rd grade & Up



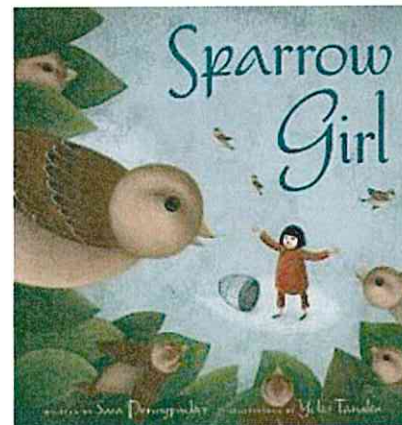
Pond Circle

(rhyming story of a pond
food chain-- from algae all
the way up to coyote)
by Betsy Franco
Preschool - 2nd grade



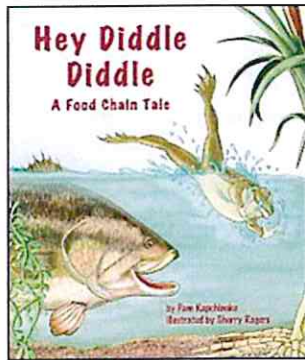
This is the Sea that Feeds Us

(shows an ocean food
chain in action, plus
details on food chains)
by Robert Baldwin
Preschool - 2nd grade

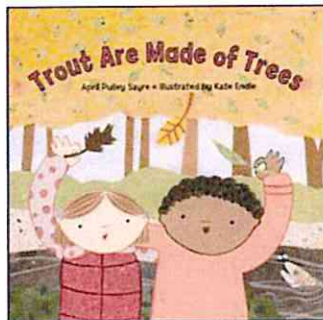


Sparrow Girl

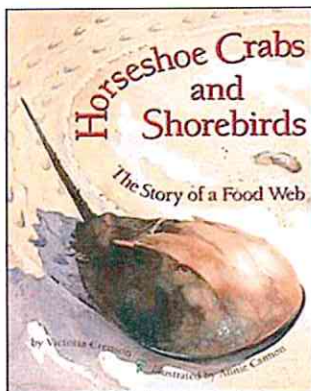
(true story from China
about when a food
chain is disrupted)
by Sara Pennypacker
Kindergarten - 3rd grade



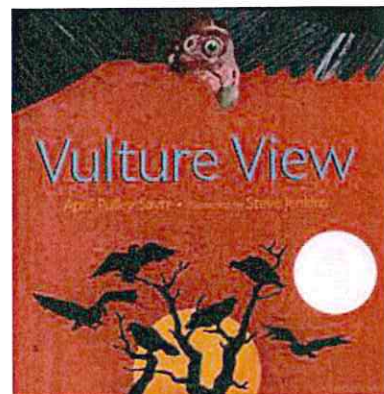
Hey Diddle Diddle
A Food Chain Tale
by Pam Kapchinske
Kindergarten - 3rd grade



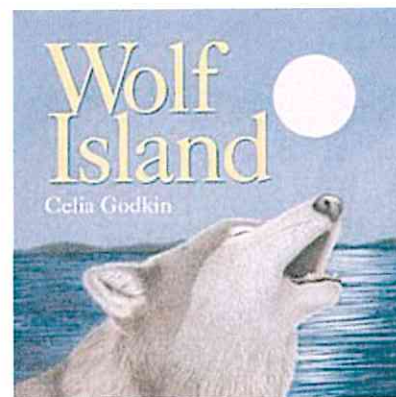
Trout Are Made of Trees
by April Pulley Sayre
Kindergarten - 1st grade



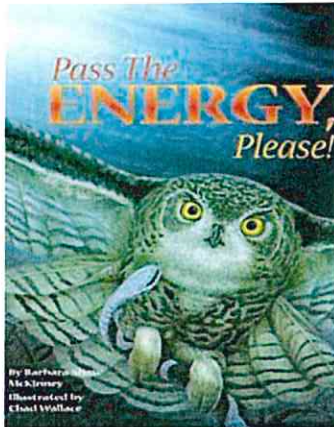
Horseshoe Crabs and Shorebirds
2nd grade - 4th grade



Vulture View
(role of scavengers in the food chain)
by April Pulley Sayre
Kindergarten - 2nd grade

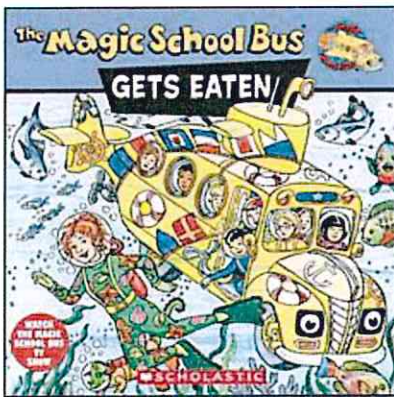


Wolf Island
(what happens when an ecosystem's food chain is disrupted)
by Celia Godkin
1st grade - 5th grade



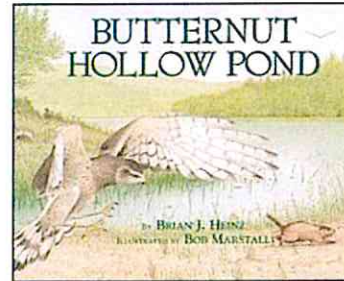
**Pass the Energy,
Please!**

(rhyming couplets about food chains. Includes advanced topics like decomposers)
2nd grade - 5th grade



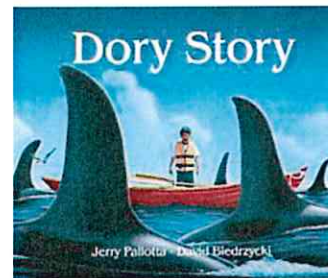
**The Magic School
Bus Gets Eaten**

(class field trip to the beach teaches a range of food chain/web topics)
Kindergarten - 3rd grade



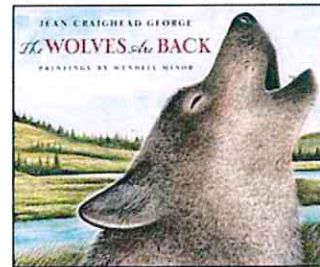
**Butternut
Hollow Pond**

(interconnectedness & food chains in a pond habitat)
by Brian Heinz
2nd grade - 4th grade



Dory Story

(a fictional story that also teaches ocean food chains and food webs)
by Jerry Pallotta
Kindergarten - 2nd grade



The Wolves are Back

(ecological damage when an animal is removed from an environment)
by Jean Craighead George
1st grade - 4th grade