



**Across**

- 2 A salt water ecosystem (5)
- 5 A food chain shows how \_\_\_\_\_ is passed from plants to animals to other animals. (6)
- 6 Animals are \_\_\_\_\_ because they eat plants or other animals (9)
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ break down dead plants and animals. (11)

**9** Many birds

- \_\_\_\_\_ to warmer places during the winter. (7)
- 10 Provides an animal's basic needs, like food, air, water, shelter or cover, and space. (7)
- 12 For protection, some animals look like the the things around them. This is called \_\_\_\_\_. (10)

**Down**

- 1 Deserts, grasslands, rain forests, and forests are all terrestrial (land) \_\_\_\_\_. (10)
- 3 Plants get water and \_\_\_\_\_ from the soil. (9)
- 4 Plants are \_\_\_\_\_ because they get their energy from the sun. (9)
- 7 A dry land ecosystem (6)
- 11 Oceans, lakes, ponds and streams are all \_\_\_\_\_ (water) ecosystems. (7)
- 12 A food \_\_\_\_ shows the feeding relationship between living things. (5)