

Tonic:

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Suggest two reasons why biomass is lost from a food

How could you improve the accuracy of your sampling

NUMBER of organisms in a food chain?

amount of LIVING MASS in a food chain?

When would random sampling be used?

When would transect\_sampling be used?

Name two sampling methods

chain

method?

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## Year 8 - Summer 1

Interdenendence 1 (R 2)

	Topic:	Interdependence 1 (B.2)
1	Define "habitat"	The environment that an organism lives in
2	Define "population"	Group of the same species living in an area
3	Define "species"	Organisms that have similar characteristics and can reproduce to produce FERTILE offspring
4	Define "competition"	Organisms trying to gain a share of limited resources
5	Define "interdependence"	Organisms relying on each other for food and shelter
6	Define "ecosystem"	The living and non-living things in a given area
7	Define "producer"	A green plant or algae that makes its own food using sunlight
8	Define "consumer"	An organism that eats another organism
9	Define "decomposer"	Organisms that break down dead plant and animal material
10	Define "food chain"	A diagram to show the direction of energy transfer between organisms
	Topic:	Interdependence 2 (B.3)
1	State three things that plants compete with each other for	Light, space, water and mineral ions
2	State three things that animals compete with each other for	Food, mates, territory
3	State three things that organisms depend on each other for	Food, shelter and pollination
4	State the type of organism that all food chains start with	Producer
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10%

A pyramid of numbers

A pyramid of biomass

in a large area

change along a line

Collect more data sets

Not all of the material is eaten (e.g. bones and

To calculate the approximate number of organisms

Random sampling and transect sampling

To investigate how the number of organisms

teeth) and energy is lost as faeces

	Topic:	The Carbon cycle (C.19)
1	How are fossil fuels formed?	Dead plant and animal material trapped under rocks millions of years ago
2	Name three fossil fuels	Coal, oil, natural gas
3	Name 3 greenhouse gases	Water, carbon dioxide and methane
4	Describe 2 ways that humans are contributing to climate change	Burning fossil fuels and deforestation
5	Describe the greenhouse effect (extension only)	Greenhouse gases prevent heat from escaping from the Earth into space
6	How does photosynthesis has an effect on the carbon cycle?	Plants absorb carbon dioxide for photosynthesis so reduce carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere
7	How does respiration has an effect on the carbon cycle?	Respiration releases carbon dioxide so increases carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere
8	How does combustion has an effect on the carbon cycle?	Combustion releases carbon dioxide so increases carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere
9	Define "finite" resource	A resource that will run out
10	Give 2 reasons why humans should recycle?	So that we don't run out of finite resources 2) so waste isn't burnt producing carbon dioxide