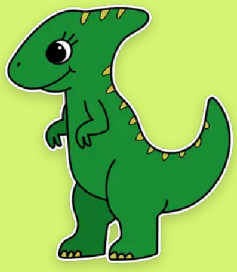
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Build a Food Chain

Draw a four-link food chain for a habitat you choose, then label the levels of an energy pyramid.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____



My habitat: ☐ ocean ☐ forest ☐ desert ☐ pond ☐ grassland

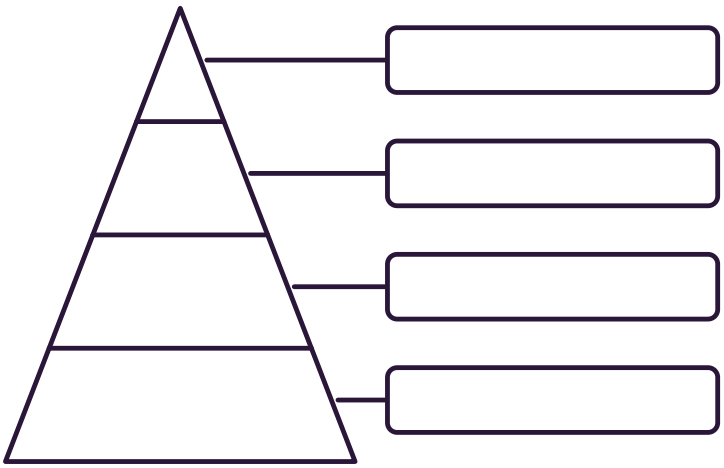
Draw a food chain with four living things. Label each one: producer or consumer.

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Word bank

producers · primary consumers · secondary consumers · tertiary consumers

Label the energy pyramid.



Only about **one tenth** of the energy at each level moves up to the next. That is why there are lots of plants, fewer plant eaters and only a few top predators.

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