HABITATS ADAPTATION & INTERDEPENDENCE

| Wherever animals and plants live |
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| they have to to their This means |
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| indi they over time to make themselves |
| fit in with the in the place where they |
| live. Those who live in the, where it is |
| very hot and dry and those who live in the, where it is very |
| cold and bleak, are very well adapted to their harsh environments. If |
| they were not they would be unable to survive. |
| An animal that is theof another will hide from its |
| This helps it to survive. The fur colour of some |
| animals is adapted to its habitat. This is called |
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| Animals and plants living in a need each other. |
| We call this We show this relationship using a |
| special diagram called a At the beginning of each |
| food chain is a plant. Plants can produce their own food by |
| Plants are called the in a food |
| chain. Then come the animals. Animals are called consumers in a food |
| chain. Some of the animals only eat plants, they are called |
| Others may eat both plants and animals; these |
| are called omnivores, while others eat only meat; these are called |
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| Habitats are very delicate places and we need to take care to protect |
| them because when one organism comes under threat, the balance is |
| lost. |
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| interdependence, prey, Arctic, predator, change, food chain, |
| producers, adapt, environment, desert, habitat, producers, o |
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No place like home

Look at the five habitats in the table below. Write the name of each plant and animal in the correct column.

| sea/ deep water | forest/ wood | garden | urban (town) | desert |
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| squir | rel | dandelion | woodlouse | owl | deer |
| pigeon | rat | oak tree | lobster | shark | worm |