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Unit D: Chapter 2.1 – Groups of living things interact within ecosystems.

(D45-D51)

1. What are two characteristics of a population?
2. Order these terms from the simplest to the most complex: biome, community, ecosystem, organism, population.
3. How do the terms habitat and niche relate to each other?
4. Choose a biological community in the area that you live. Describe some of the populations that make up that community.
5. How might the seasonal patterns of insect populations relate to the seasonal patterns of bird populations?

Define these vocabulary words for the next section: (D54-D61)

Predator –

Prey –

Competition-

Cooperation –

Symbiosis –

Mutualism –

Commensalism –

Parasitism -