

## Backyard Naturalist

# Food Chain Stacks



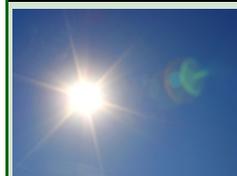
### Directions

1. Print out pictures of things in a food web.
2. Cut the images out and glue onto the cups.
3. Write the name of the organism on the cup.
4. Mix them up and have your kids put them in order and stack them.
5. For older kids, have them make a pyramid.
6. Brain storm other food chains.

### Questions to Ask

- What is the start of all food chains?
- Is this the only food chain we could make?
- What are multiple food chains that are connected called?
- What happens if one of the animals in your food chain goes extinct?

### Food Chain Example



Sun



Duckweed



Caddisfly



Brook trout



Osprey

### Things Needed

- Foam cups
- Scissors
- Glue
- Pictures of things in food chains