



The Morton Arboretum

Vocabulary Activity – No Child Left Inside: 2nd – 3rd Grade Crossword Puzzle

Name _____

Find the vocabulary words in the word search.

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Habitat – The place in nature where a plant or animal usually lives

Life Cycle – The phases, changes, or stages through which a plant or animal passes during its lifetime

Adaptation – A body part or behavior that helps a living thing survive in an environment

Survival – continuing to live through dangerous or hard conditions

Food Web – The interlocking food chains within an ecological community

Ecosystem – A community of living and non-living things in an environment working together