An ecosystem is a place where there are living things and things that are not alive. The living things are plants and animals. The nonliving things are rocks, water and air. An ecosystem is a home for the living things. The animals eat food. Some of the animals eat plants and some of the animals eat other animals. This is called a food chain. The living things in the ecosystem find a place to live. Plants grow where there is light and water. Animals live where there is food, water and shelter or someplace to stay safe. Everything that plants and animals need is in the ecosystem.

Place

Nonliving

Food chain

Shelter

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