



• Each step in a food chain or food web is called a **trophic level** (feeding level).

Greek: *trophe* -> food or nourishment

• Producers make up the first trophic level. Consumers make up the second, third or higher trophic levels. Each consumer depend on the trophic level below it for energy.

grass  $\longrightarrow$  grazing antelope  $\longrightarrow$  coyote algae  $\longrightarrow$  zooplankton  $\longrightarrow$  herring  $\longrightarrow$  squid  $\longrightarrow$  shark

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## **LAB:** Barn Owl Pellet Dissection

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DUE: Wednesday, March 27th

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