- 1. What inorganic molecule is carbon normally found in? CO2
- 2. Name an organic molecule that carbon is found in. GLUCOSE, CARBOHYDRATES, LIPIDS, PROTEINS, DNA
- 3. What molecule do trees get their carbon from? CO2
- 4. Where do primary consumers get their carbon from? EATING PLANTS
- 5. What process adds carbon to the atmosphere? CELLULAR RESPIRATION
- 6. What process removes carbon from the atmosphere? PHOTOSYNTHESIS
- 7. How does oxygen get into the water? PHOTOSYNTHESIS MOVEMENT OF WATER
- 8. What do producers produce? GLUCOSE (CARBOHYDRATES)
- 9. List 3 groups of producers? PLANTS ALGAE SOME BACTERIA
- 10. What group eats producers? PRIMARY CONSUMERS
- 11. How does carbon get back into the atmosphere from the food we eat? CELLULAR RESPRATION
- 12. Where do secondary consumers get their carbon from? PRIMARY CONSUMERS
- 13. Where does an animal's or plant's carbon go when it dies? GROUND
- 14. Why should the amount of carbon in the atmosphere stay the same? PHOTSYNTHESIS AND RESPIRATION SHOULD BALANCE EACH OTHER OUT.
  - 15. How is extra carbon getting into the atmosphere today? BURNING FOSSIL FUELS
  - 16. List 3 ways that we could reduce the extra carbon that is getting into the atmosphere.
    - 1. PLANT TREES 2. USE LESS FOSSIL FUELS
    - 3. REMOVE CO<sub>2</sub> FROM EMISSIONS 4. CONSERVE ELECTRICITY
    - 5. ELECTRIC CARS

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## **Carbon Cycle Worksheet**



In the space below, draw your own version of the carbon cycle. Use arrows to show which way the carbon is going.

Label:

Producers
Primary Consumers
Secondary Consumers