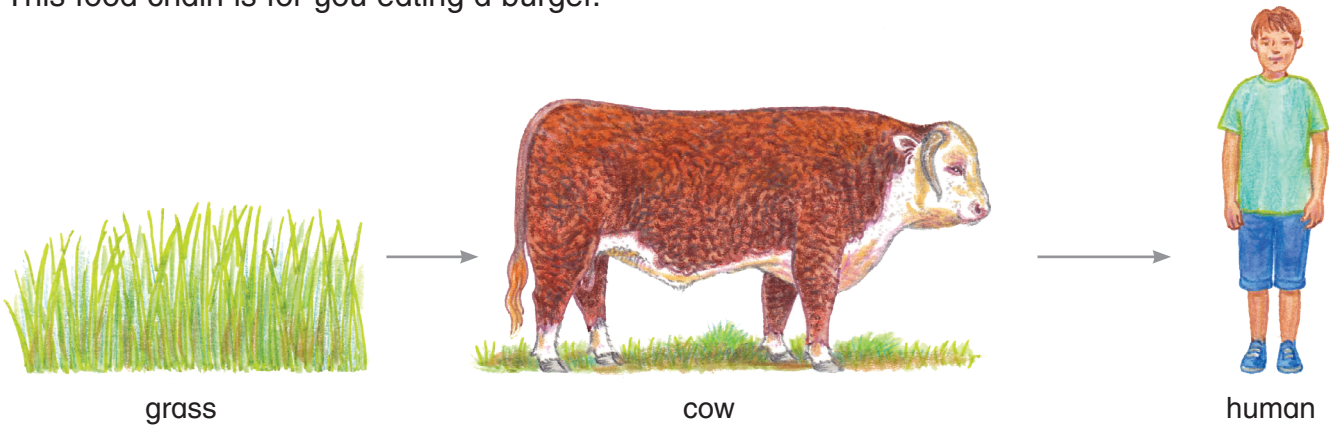


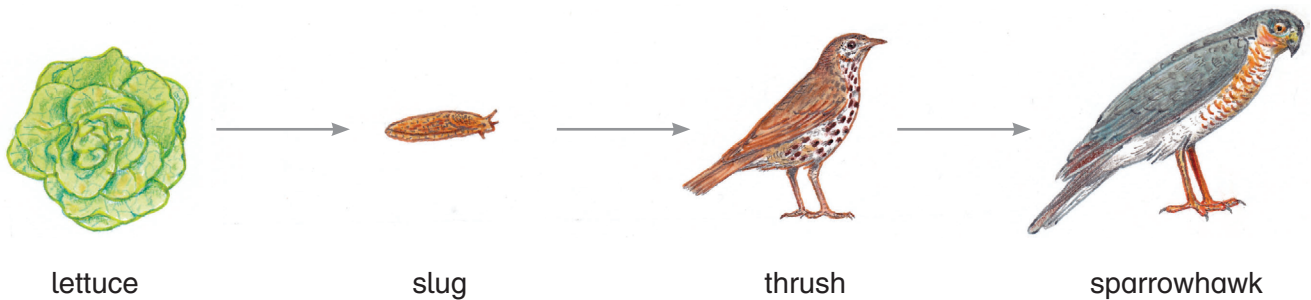
Food chains

Animals need food to stay alive. Some animals only eat plants and some animals eat other animals. We can show different animals that eat each other in a **food chain**. A food chain always starts with a plant. The arrows show the direction that food goes through the chain.

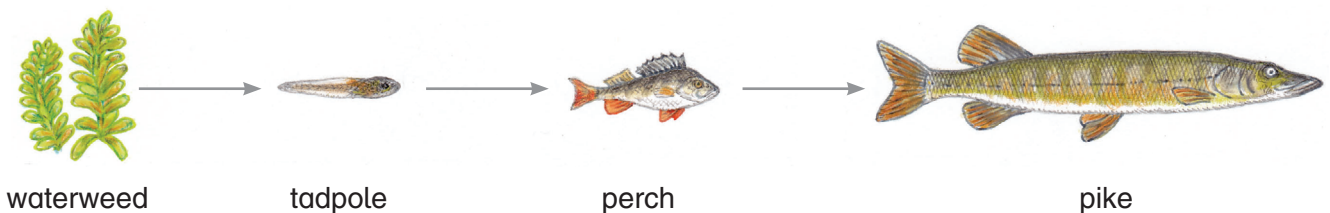
This food chain is for you eating a burger.



There are different food chains in different habitats. This food chain is for a garden.



This food chain is for a pond.



Test yourself

1. Name the plant in the food chain for a pond.
2. Which animal in the pond eats plants?
3. Which animals in the pond eat other animals?
4. Wheat is a plant that is used to bake bread. Draw a food chain for you eating a slice of bread.

Remember

Animals eat **plants** or other animals.

A **food chain** shows what different animals eat.