

CONCEPTS COVERED

GERMS for terms

Directions: On your turn, choose a vocabulary word from the magnifying glass. Find a germ with the matching definition and have your partner check the key. If it is correct, color the germ. If it is incorrect, your turn is over. Play until all the germs have been colored. The player with the most colored in germs wins!

PRIMARY SUCCESSION
SECONDARY SUCCESSION
COMMUNITY SPECIES POPULATION
ENVIRONMENT NICHE ECOSYSTEM
INTERDEPENDENCE LIMITING FACTOR
HABITAT SYMBIOSIS SUCCESSION
CARRYING CAPACITY COMMENSALISM
ABIOTIC FACTORS MUTUALISM
BIOTIC FACTORS PARASITISM
ORGANISM

- VOCABULARY CONCEPTS RELATED TO THE RELATIONSHIP IN ECOSYSTEMS (SEE PAGE 5 FOR LIST OF TERMS)
- REINFORCEMENT OF SUBJECT SPECIFIC TERMS AND CONCEPTS IN DIFFERENT CONTEXTS
- BUILDING OF A STRONG LANGUAGE FOUNDATION IN BOTH VOCABULARY AND SCIENCE
- PROBLEM SOLVING AND CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS
- COLLABORATION & COMMUNICATION SKILLS

GET STUDENTS EXCITED ABOUT LEARNING

WHY USE THIS?

Lots of Benefits







- CAPTURES STUDENTS' ATTENTION, MOTIVATES THEM IN THE ACTIVE LEARNING PROCESS, AND MAKES VOCABULARY MORE EXCITING
- REINFORCES IMPORTANT SCIENCE CONCEPTS AND VOCABULARY FOR BETTER RETENTION AND UNDERSTANDING
- IMPROVES PROBLEM SOLVING, FOSTERS COMMUNICATION SKILLS, AND PROMOTES TEAMWORK CREATING A POSITIVE CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT
- PROVIDES INSTANT FEEDBACK IN A LOW-PRESSURE ENVIRONMENT, ALLOWING TEACHERS TO IDENTIFY AREAS OF FURTHER INSTRUCTION NEEDED
- TIME-EFFICIENT WAY TO COVER CONTENT

A RACE FOR THE TERMS

Directions: Roll the die and find the matching die column on the board. Choose a space and read its definition. Determine the matching term. If you answer correctly, you can cover that space with your counter. If you do not answer correctly, your turn is over. Continue taking turns until the board is covered. The player with the most complete columns wins.

TERM CHOICES

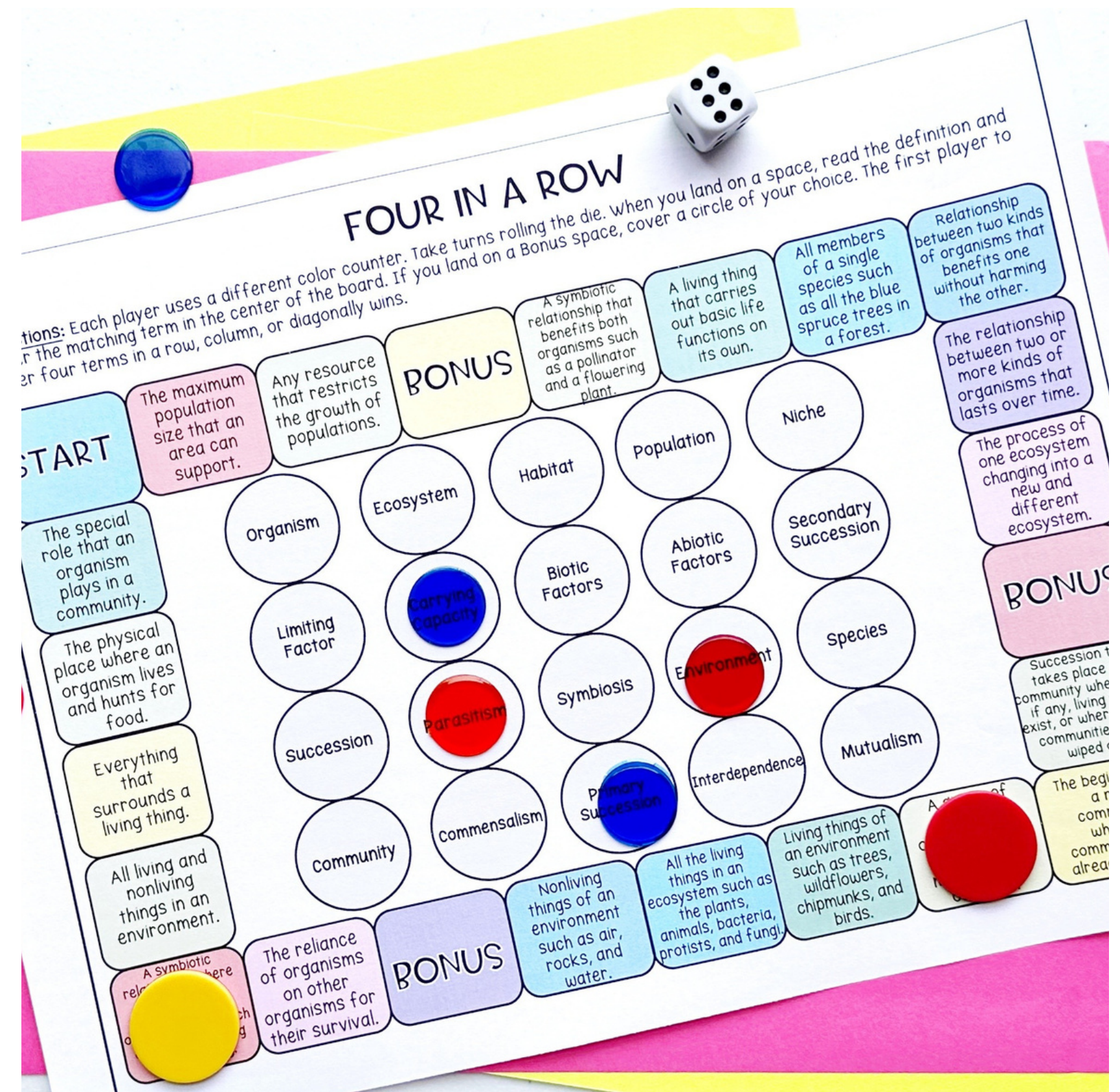
organism	commensalism	population
community	secondary succession	habitat
environment	limiting factor	succession
ecosystem	primary succession	species
symbiosis	interdependence	mutualism
niche	carrying capacity	parasitism

					
A living thing that carries out basic life functions on its own.	A group of similar organisms that reproduce more of their own kind.	All members of a single species such as all the blue spruce trees in a forest.	All the living things in an ecosystem such as the plants, animals, bacteria, protists, and fungi.	Everything that surrounds a living thing.	All living and nonliving things in an environment.
The physical place where an organism lives and hunts for food.	The process of one ecosystem changing into a new and different ecosystem.	Succession that takes place in a community where few, if any, living things exist, or where earlier communities were wiped out.	The beginning of a new community where a community had already existed.	Any resource that restricts the growth of populations.	The special role that an organism plays in a community.
The relationship between two or more kinds of organisms that lasts over time.	The reliance of organisms on other organisms for their survival.	A symbiotic relationship that benefits both organisms such as a pollinator and a flowering plant.	A symbiotic relationship where one organism benefits and the other is harmed such as a tick attaching itself to a dog.	Relationship between two kinds of organisms that benefits one without harming the other.	The maximum population size that an area can support.

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GET HIGH-QUALITY,
ENGAGING RESOURCES

WHAT'S INCLUDED?



- 10 LOW TO NO PREP DIFFERENT PRINTABLE GAMES, INCLUDING FAMILIAR GAMES LIKE "BUMP", "SHOOT OR POUR" (LIKE CHUTES & LADDERS), AND "TERM CAPTURE"

- VOCABULARY WORDS SHEET
- VOCABULARY WORDS & DEFINITIONS SHEET

- PRINTER VERSION CHOICES - COLOR FOR LAMINATING OR PRINT AND GO B/W

- STUDENT FRIENDLY DIRECTIONS

TAKE YOUR WEEKENDS BACK TO DO WHAT YOU LOVE

PERFECT FOR:

- CENTERS
- SUPPLEMENTING YOUR CURRENT LESSONS
- WARM UP ACTIVITIES
- SMALL GROUPS
- WHOLE GROUP ACTIVITIES
- SUBSTITUTES

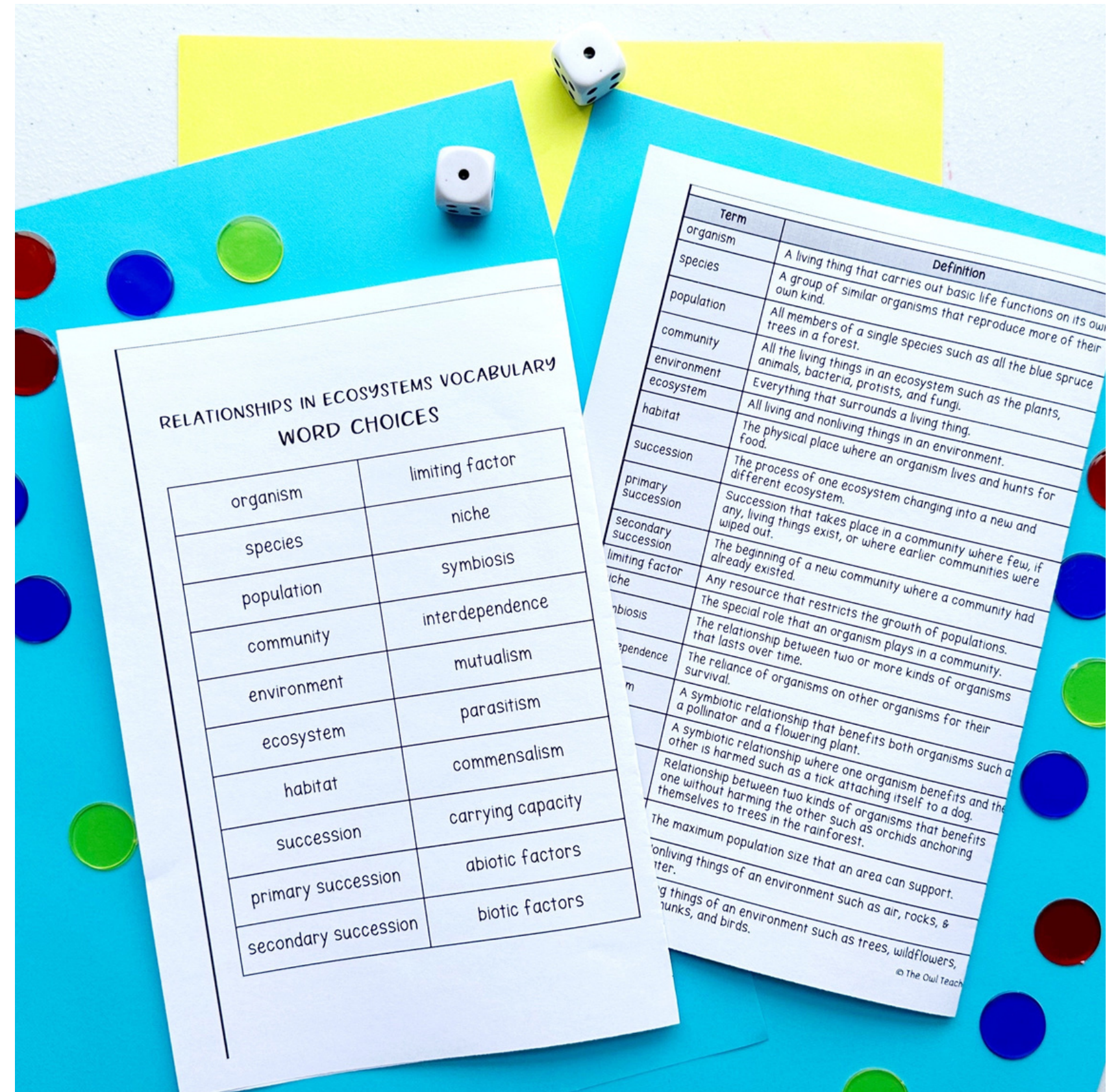
- SUBSTITUTES
- REVIEW & PRACTICE
- PARTNER WORK
- EARLY FINISHERS
- COOPERATIVE LEARNING
- WHOLE GROUP ACTIVITIES

**WITHOUT HAVING TO
SACRIFICE YOUR LESSON PLANS**

VOCABULARY

Terms Included:

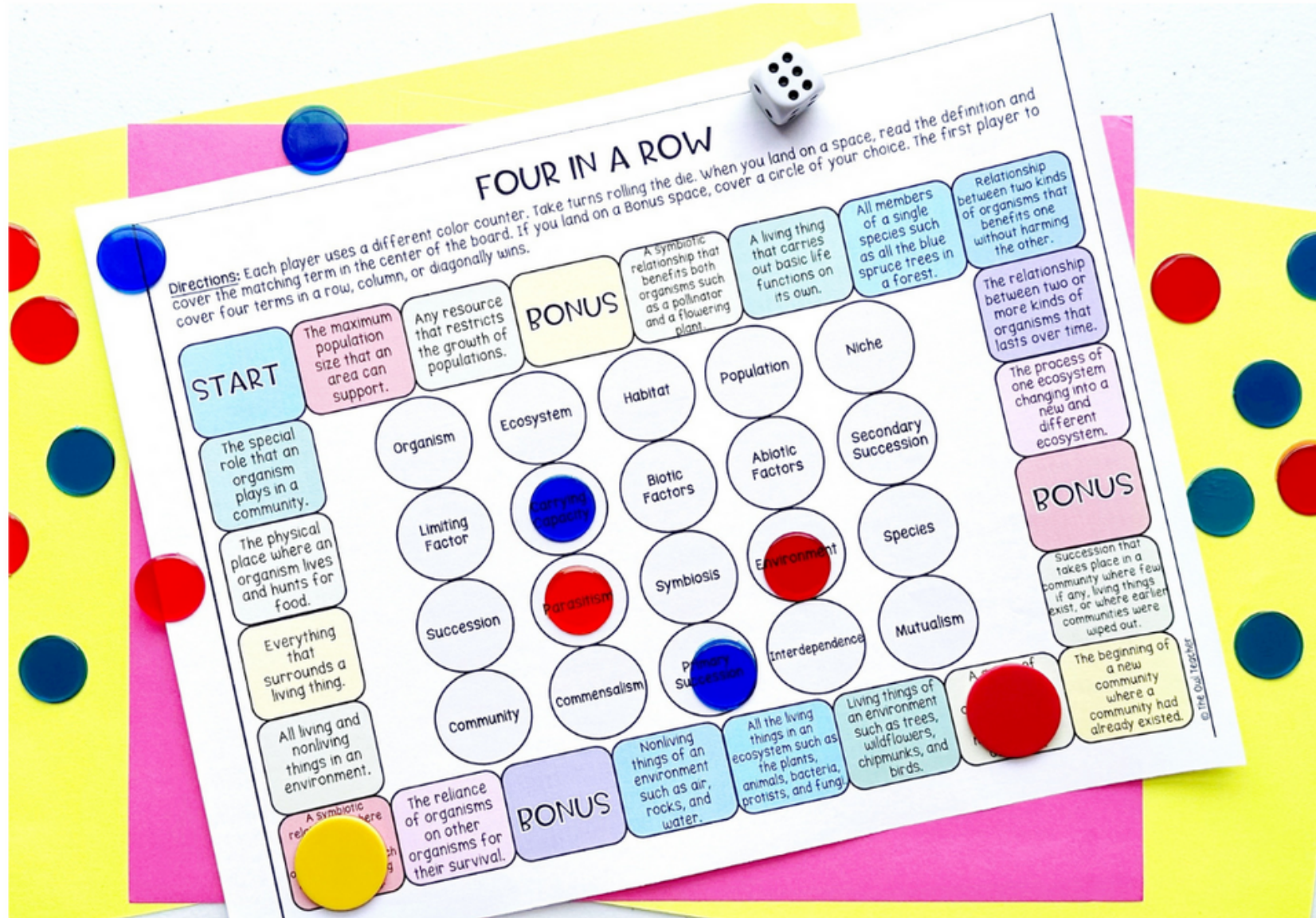
- ORGANISM
- SPECIES
- POPULATION
- COMMUNITY
- ENVIRONMENT
- ECOSYSTEM
- HABITAT
- SUCCESSION
- PRIMARY SUCCESSION
- SECONDARY SUCCESSION
- LIMITING FACTOR
- NICHE
- SYMBIOSIS
- INTERDEPENDENCE
- MUTUALISM
- PARASITISM
- COMMENSALISM
- CARRYING CAPACITY
- ABIOTIC FACTORS
- BIOTIC FACTORS



SAVE TIME PLANNING
WITH DETAILED ACTIVITIES

ADDITIONAL INFO

RELATIONSHIPS IN ECOSYSTEMS



TO HELP YOU SAVE INSTRUCTION TIME, THE GAMES ARE REPEATED IN OTHER VERSIONS SO THAT YOU DON'T HAVE TO TEACH THE STUDENTS HOW TO PLAY THE GAMES EACH TIME. THE ONLY THING DIFFERENT IS THE TERMS!

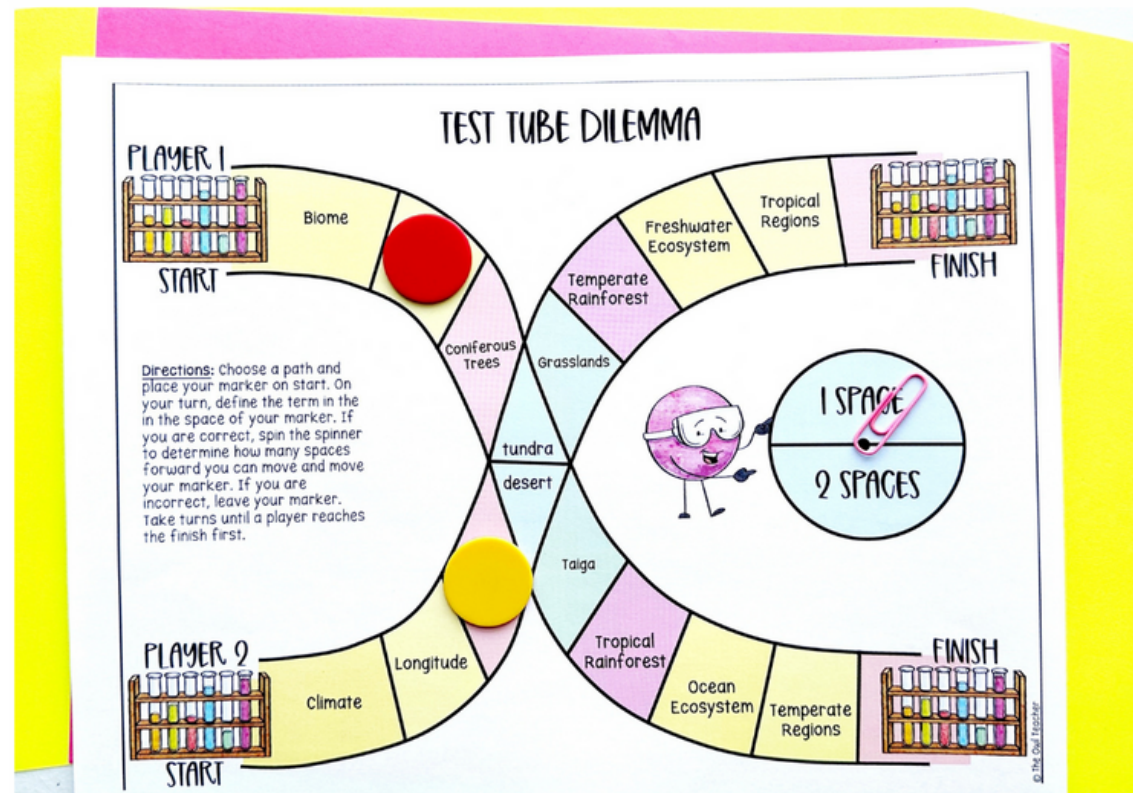
PERFECT FOR SCIENCE CENTERS!

10 VOCABULARY GAMES

BEST PRACTICES & RESEARCH BASED RESOURCES

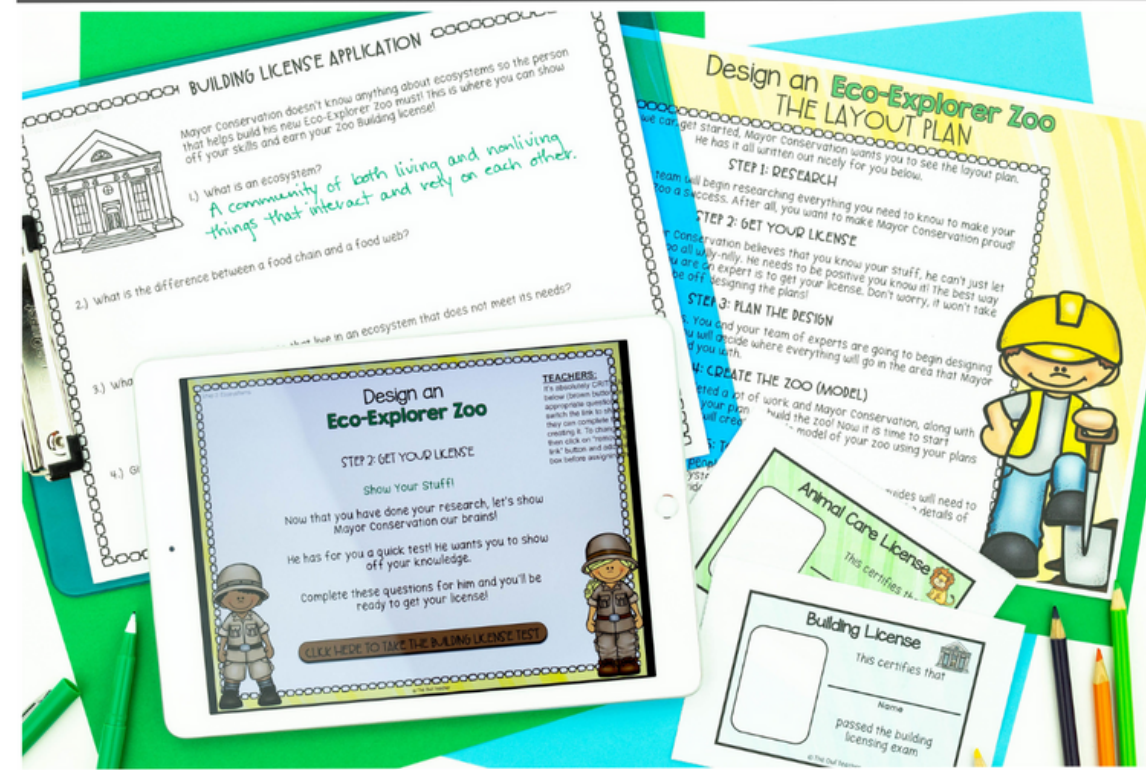
EXPLORE THESE RELATED ITEMS

BIOMES & CLIMATE



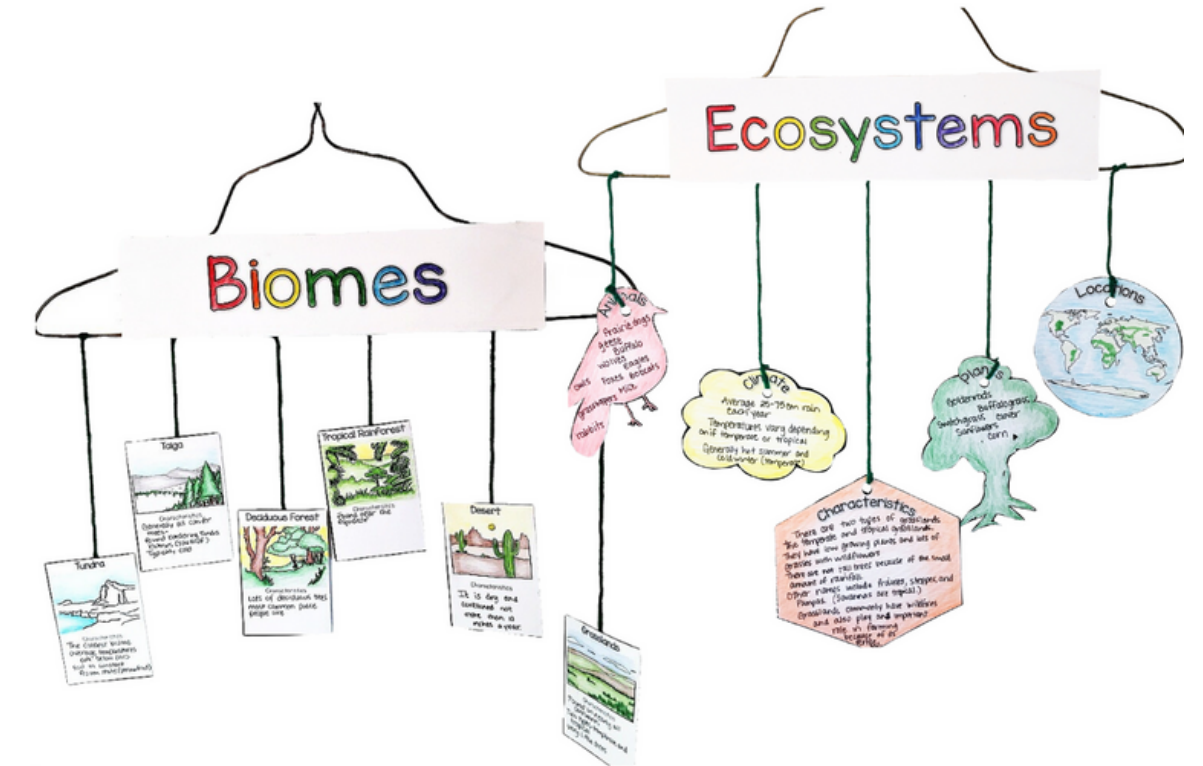
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ECOSYSTEM AREA & PERIMETER



PROJECT-BASED LEARNING

BIOMES & ECOSYSTEMS

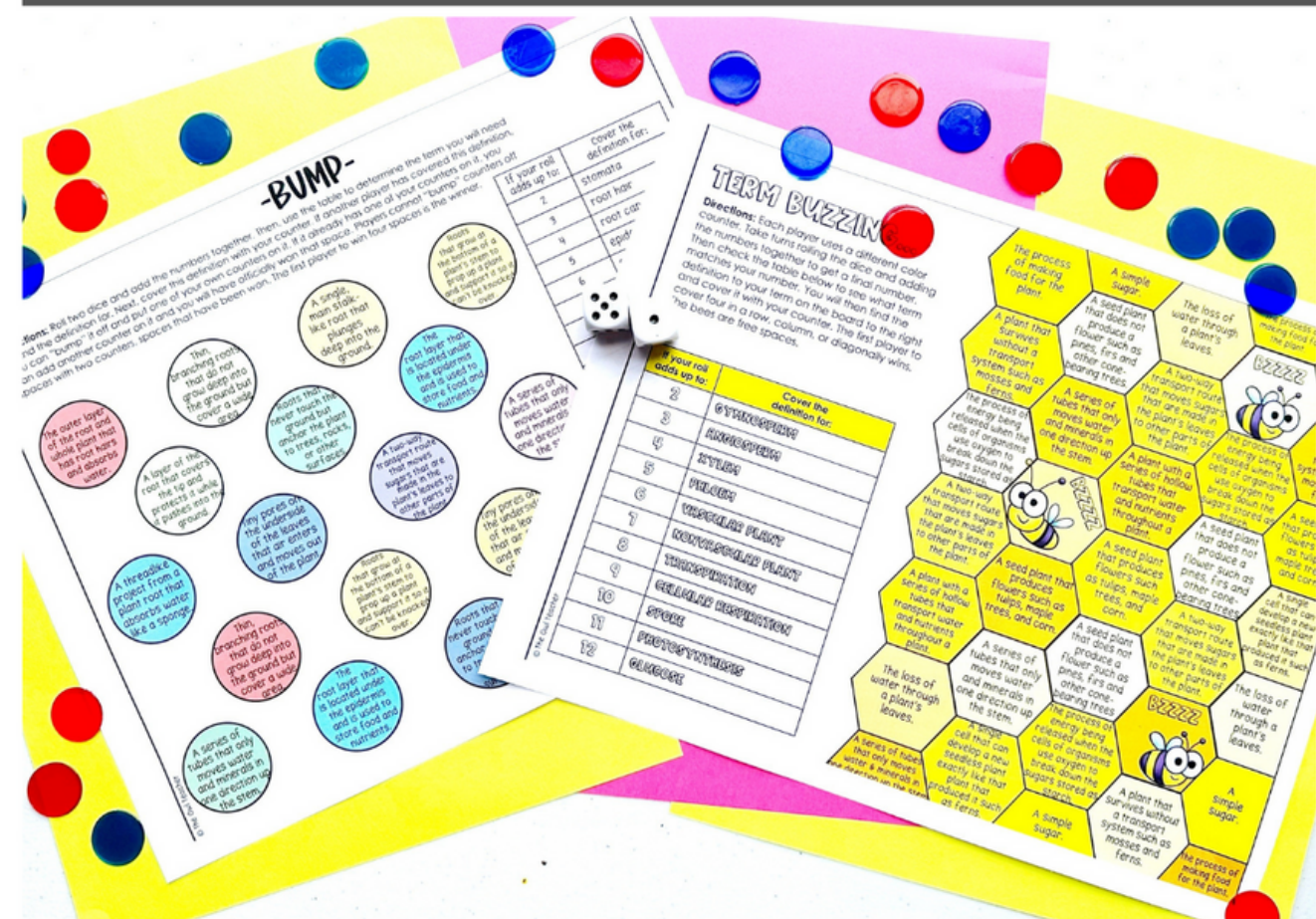


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SCIENCE VOCABULARY GAMES



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- SOLAR SYSTEM
- WEATHER
- ANIMAL KINGDOM
- MOON
- FOSSILS & SOIL
- HUMAN BODY SYSTEMS
- EARTH'S CHANGES
- FORCE AND MOTION
- WATER CYCLE
- FOOD CHAINS
- ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
- OCEAN
- MATTER
- MIXTURES & SOLUTION
- LIFE CYCLES
- AND SO MUCH MORE!

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TO CHECK IT OUT!



Take **BACK YOUR WEEKENDS** without
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high-quality
RESOURCES!

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TO TAKE THOSE
WEEKENDS BACK!**

