Insect Ecology-Study Guide

Section 4

**Terms**

Food chain-

Producer-

Ecology-

Consumer-

Pollinator-

Decomposer-

Pesticide-

Biological control-

Explain how some insects are consumers of plants. Be able to give examples.

Explain how some insects are prey. Be able to give examples.

Explain how some insects are decomposers. Be able to give examples.

Insects as food for humans. Give examples.

Name two ways insects interact with other living things.-pollen/disease

Pollen Carriers-

Disease Carriers-

Malaria/West Nile

How do people try to control pests?

What are some alternatives to pesticides?

Biological control-Lady bugs/bats