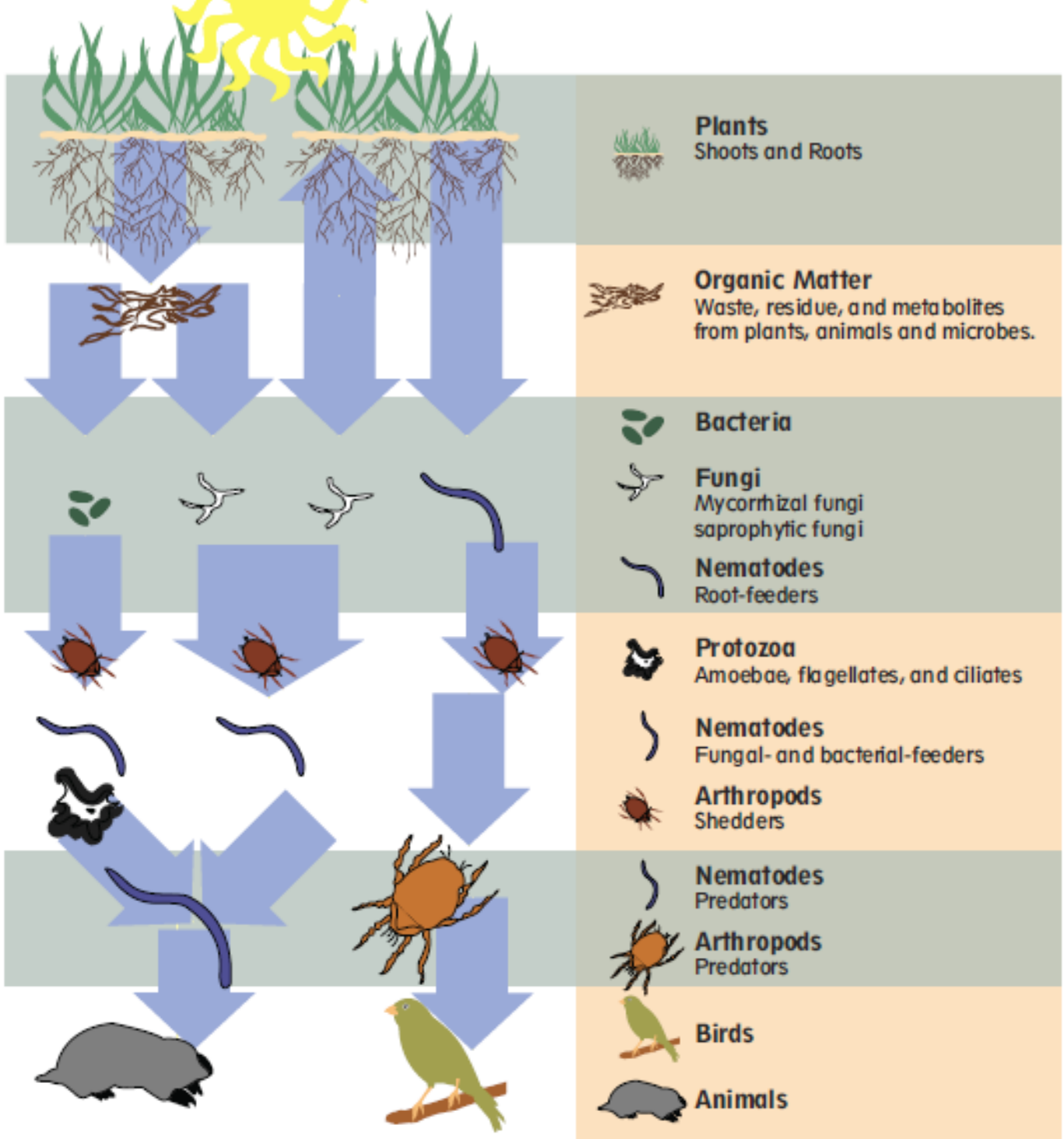


Soil Community

Including Both Abiotic and Biotic Components



Plants
Shoots and Roots

Organic Matter
Waste, residue, and metabolites from plants, animals and microbes.

Bacteria
Fungi
Mycorrhizal fungi
saprophytic fungi

Nematodes
Root-feeders

Protozoa
Amoebae, flagellates, and ciliates

Nematodes
Fungal- and bacterial-feeders

Arthropods
Shedders

Nematodes
Predators

Arthropods
Predators

Birds

Animals