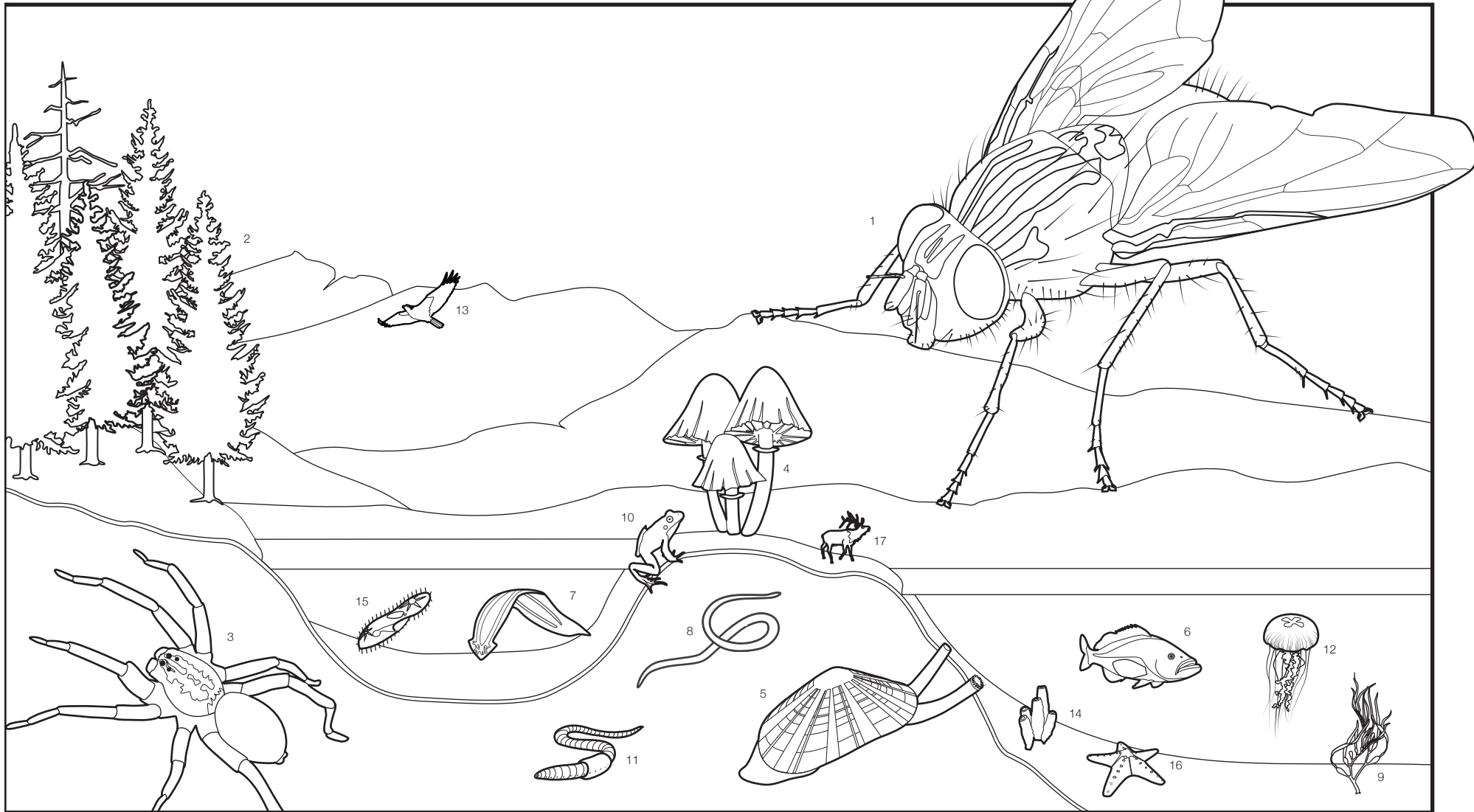


Species Scape



	Described species		Described species		Described species		Described species
1. Insects	1,053,578	6. Fish	32,834	11. Segmented worms (Annelida)	17,388	16. Echinoderms	7,550
2. Plants	422,000	7. Flatworms (Platyhelminthes)	29,487	12. Cnidarians	10,183	17. Mammals	5,898
3. Non-insect arthropods	203,462	8. Roundworms (Nematoda)	25,033	13. Birds	10,055		
4. Fungi	100,000	9. Chromista (Algae and allies)	17,892	14. Sponges	8,659		
5. Mollusks	84,977	10. Reptiles & Amphibians	17,782	15. Protozoans	8,118		