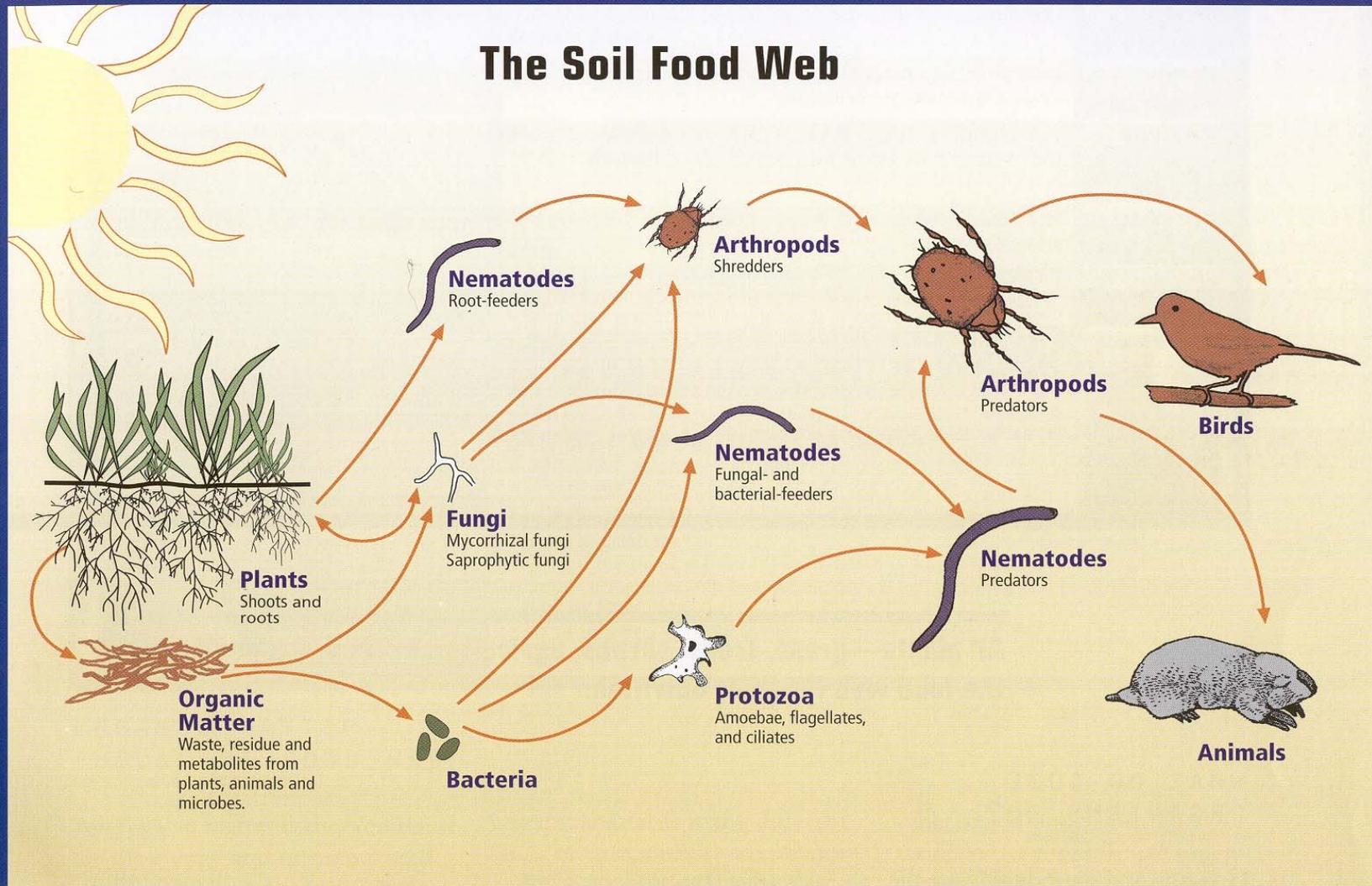




## River-Friendly Landscape Resources

1. [www.ecolandscape.org](http://www.ecolandscape.org) The web home of EcoLandscape California. Information on eco-friendly landscapes including water conservation and more.
2. [www.riverfriendly.org](http://www.riverfriendly.org) Visit the River Friendly Landscape Guidelines webpage.
3. [www.sacgardens.org](http://www.sacgardens.org) Great info on organic gardening and vegetable growing.
4. [www.sacramentogardening.com](http://www.sacramentogardening.com) Lots of useful info on gardening.
5. [www.farmerfred.com](http://www.farmerfred.com) Farmer Fred has more useful info on gardening in Sacramento.
6. [www.cnps.org](http://www.cnps.org) Website of the California Native Plant Society. Learn about native plants. For the local Sacramento Valley chapter go to [www.sacvalleycnps.org](http://www.sacvalleycnps.org).
7. *Soil Biology Primer* [http://soils.usda.gov/sqi/concepts/soil\\_biology/biology.html](http://soils.usda.gov/sqi/concepts/soil_biology/biology.html)
8. *Teaming with Microbes—A Gardener's Guide to the Soil Food Web*  
By Jeff Lowenfels and Wayne Lewis  
Timber Press
9. *Natural Capitalism—Creating the Next Industrial Revolution*  
By Paul Hawken, Amory Lovins, L. Hunter Lovins  
Publisher: Little, Brown and Company 1999
10. *Cradle to Cradle—Remaking the Way We Make Things*  
By William McDonough and Michael Braungart  
North Point Press
11. *Sustainable Landscape Construction—A Guide to Green Building Outdoors*  
By J. William Thomson and Kim Sorvig  
Island Press
12. *Gaia's Garden—A Guide to Home Scale Permaculture*  
By Toby Hemenway  
Chelsea Green Publishing Company
13. *Native Treasures—Gardening with the Plants of California*  
By M. Nevin Smith  
University of California Press
14. *Plants and Landscapes for Summer Dry Climates of the San Francisco Bay Region*  
East Bay Municipal Utility District  
This book is also useful in the Sacramento Region.
15. *The Encyclopedia of Ornamental Grasses*  
By John Greenlee  
Rodale Press
16. *California Native Plants for the Garden*  
By Carol Bornstein, David Fross, Bart O'Brien  
Cachuma Press
17. *Attracting Birds, Butterflies and Other Winged Wonders to Your Garden*  
By Kris Wetherbee  
Lark Books
18. *Butterfly Gardening*  
The Xerces Society Sierra Club Books
19. *Rainwater Harvesting for Drylands*  
Brad Landcaster [www.HarvestingRainwater.com](http://www.HarvestingRainwater.com)
20. *Create an Oasis with Greywater*  
Art Ludwig [www.oasisdesign.net/greywater](http://www.oasisdesign.net/greywater)

# The Soil Food Web



**First trophic level:**  
Photosynthesizers

**Second trophic level:**  
Decomposers Mutualists  
Pathogens, Parasites  
Root-feeders

**Third trophic level:**  
Shredders  
Predators  
Grazers

**Fourth trophic level:**  
Higher level predators

**Fifth and higher trophic levels:**  
Higher level predators