Science Grade 3 Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Ch 2 Vocabulary terms Section \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Copy the words and definitions for the vocabulary terms.

1. Amphibian – a vertebrate that starts life in the water and lives on land as an adult.
2. Backbone – a series of bones that runs down the back of some animals.
3. Bird – a vertebrate that has feathers, lungs, and two legs.
4. Fish – a vertebrate that lives in water and has scales, fins, and gills.
5. Mammal – a vertebrate that has hair or fur and produces milk for its young.
6. Reptile – a vertebrate that has dry, scaly skin and lays eggs on land.
7. Vertebrate – an animal that has a backbone.
8. Arthropod – an invertebrate that has jointed legs, a body with two or more sections, and a hard outer covering.
9. Invertebrate – an animal that does not have a backbone.
10. Endangered species – a species that has so few individuals that the species is in danger of dying out.
11. Extinct species – a species that has disappeared.
12. Fossil – the very old remains of a plant or animal.
13. Habitat – the place where a plant or animal lives.