



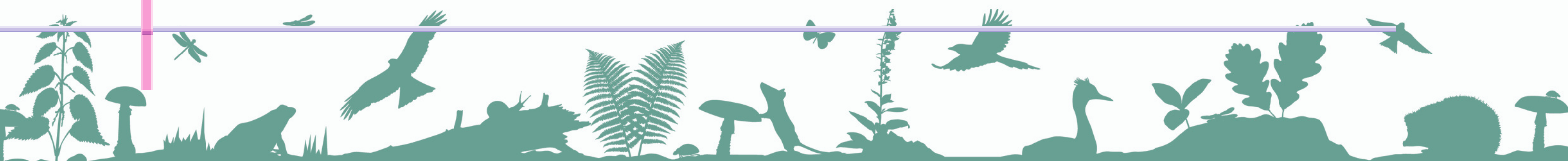
Relationships in an Ecosystem

Edgehills Bog is a wet healthland nature reserve in the Forest of Dean

What do the Highland Cattle do at Edgehills and how does that support biodiversity in this ecosystem?

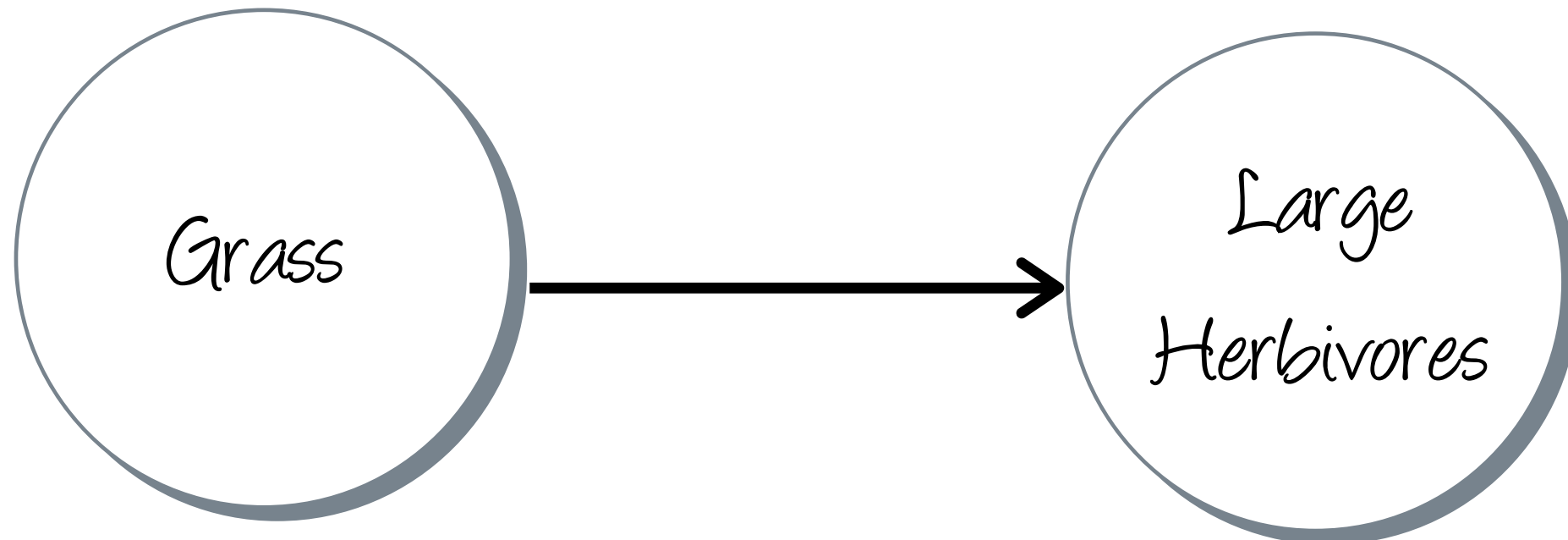


Can you give three reasons why Highland Cattle are the best form of managing the healthland in this setting ?

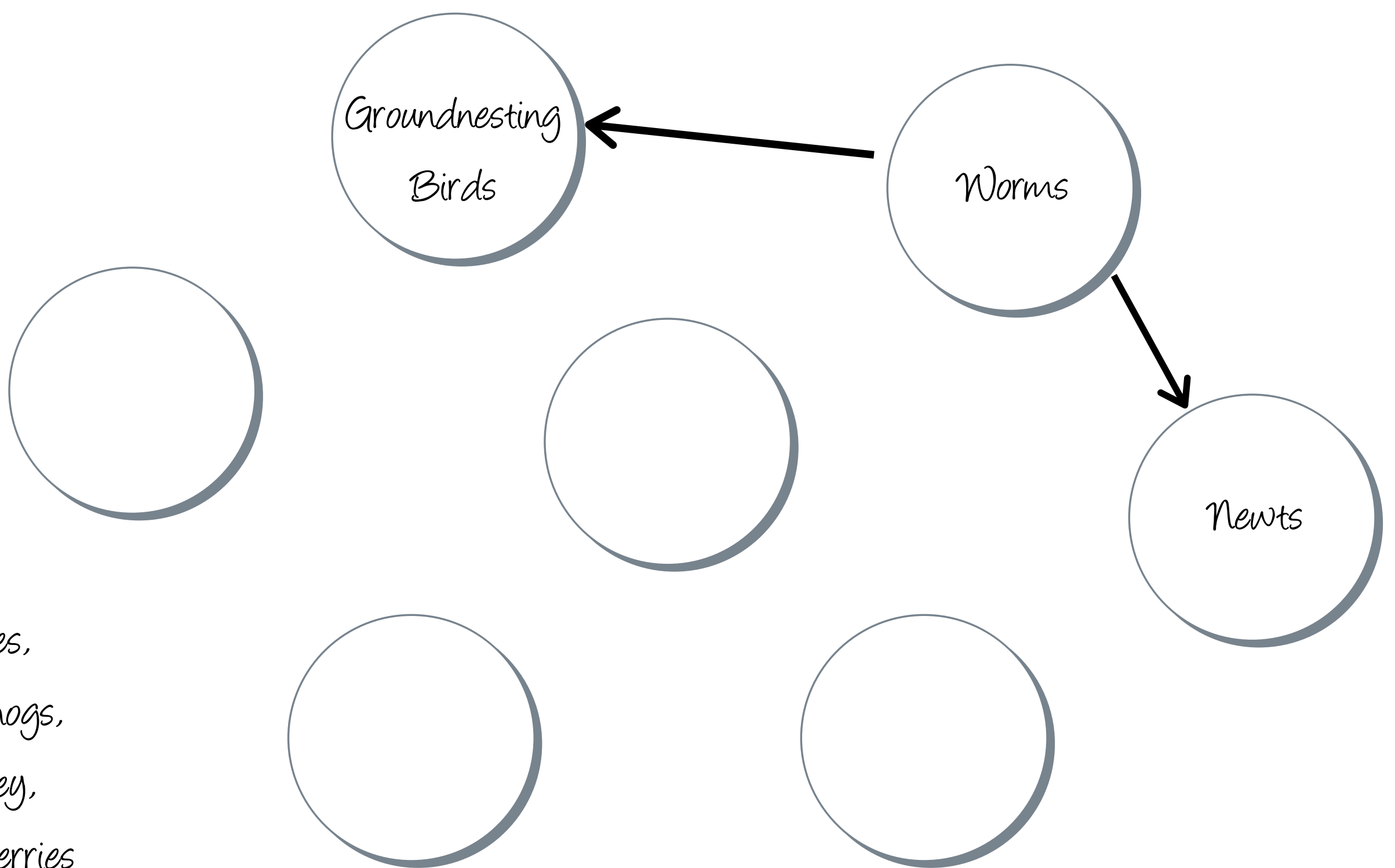




The grazing cattle keep the nature reserve as healthland and prevent it from returning to forest



Large herbivores are the main consumer of the grass in this healthland but there are other living organisms that benefit from healthland too. Some are named below. Have go at creating a food web of things that might eat them?



Ideas: foxes,
slugs, hedgehogs,
birds of prey,
frogs, flies, berries

