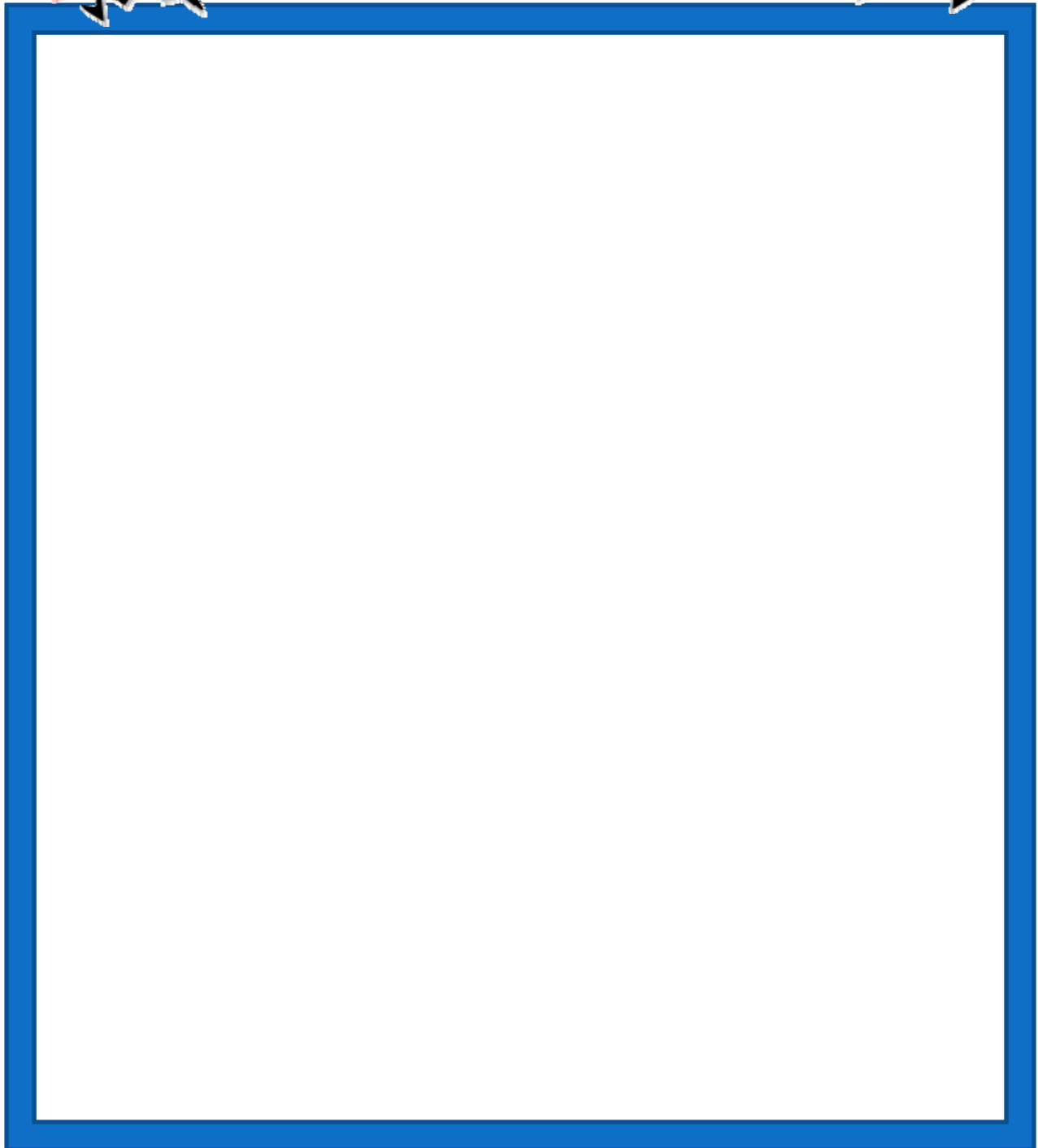


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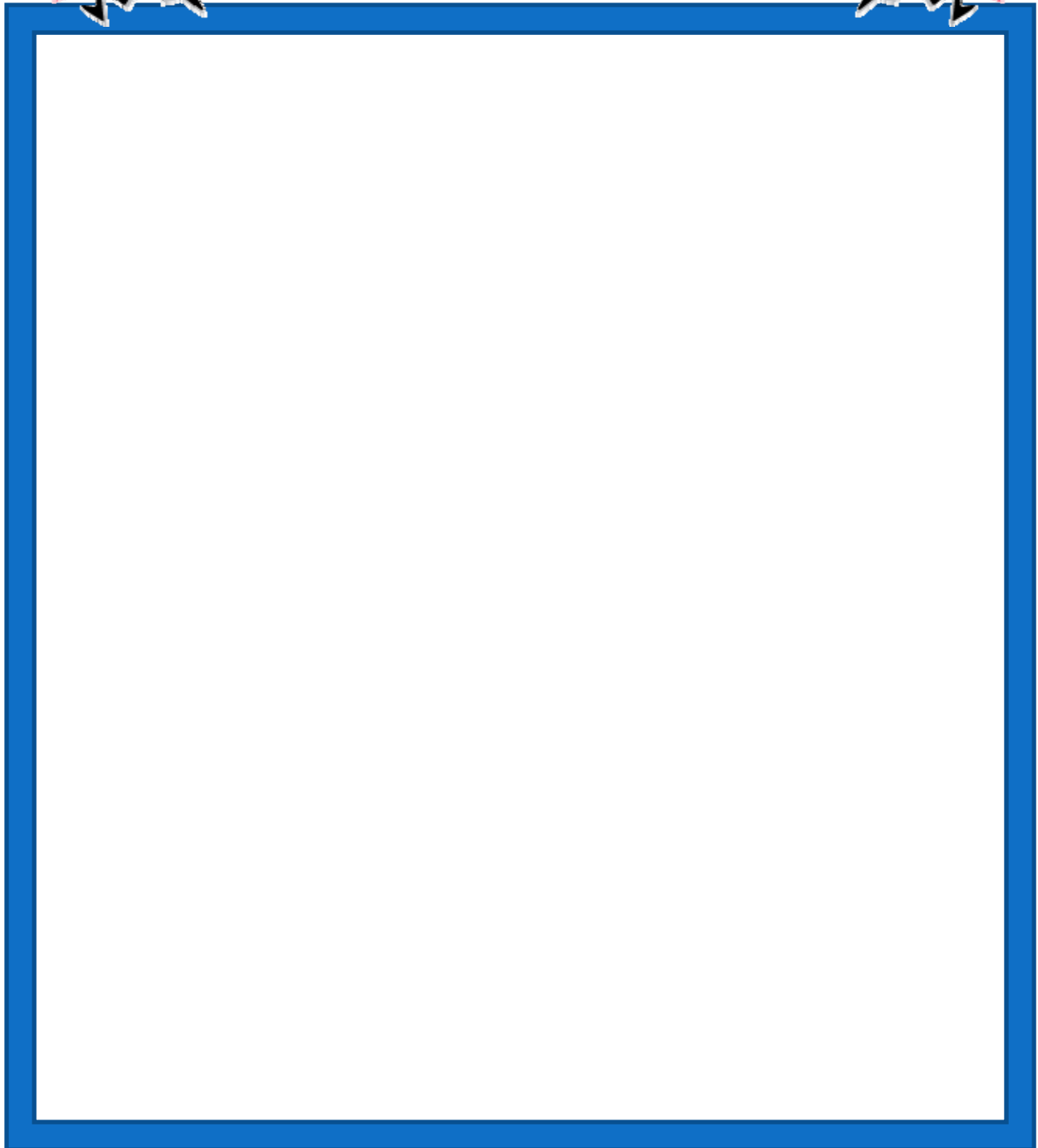
Draw a picture of a plant and an animal that both live in the Sierra Foothills.



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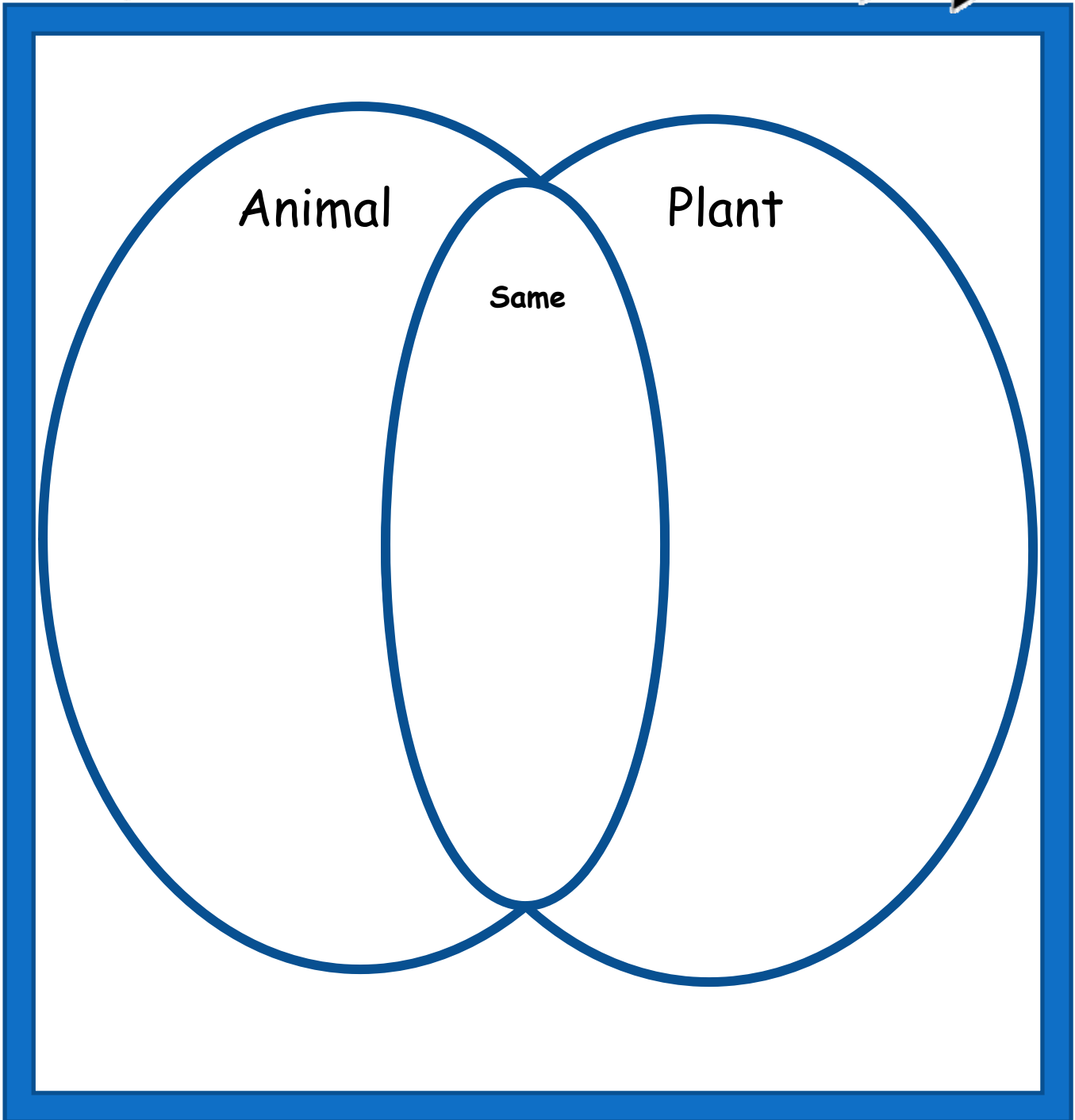
Draw a picture of a fish swimming in the Yuba River.



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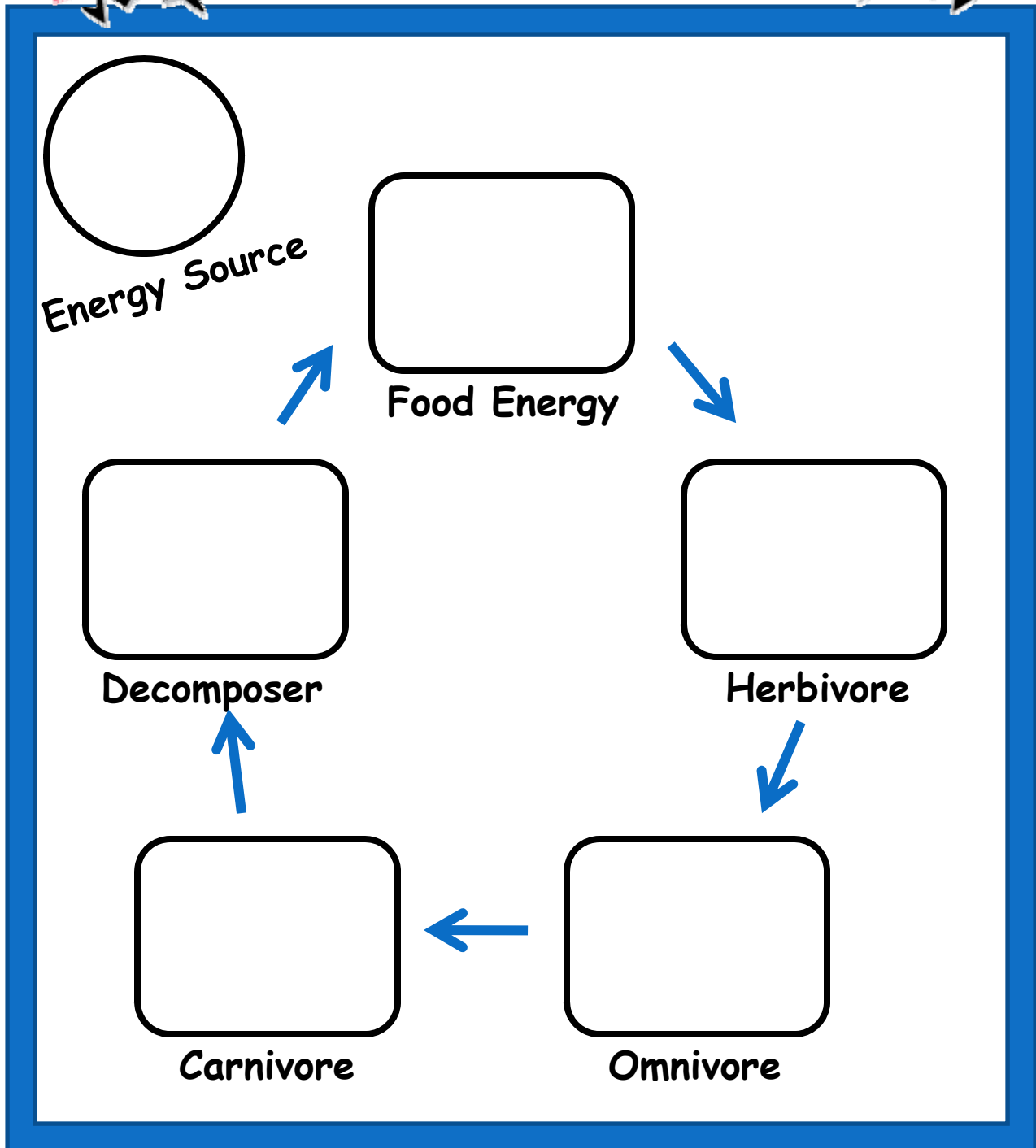
Make a Venn Diagram that compares animals and plants.



Name _____



Draw pictures to make a Food Chain.



Name _____

Springtime Wildflowers

R C H R H A A E V E A M H R C
E R C E A N P C P Y D I A A Y
V I T V H E Z A R K X N L T W
O M E O T B T L C I J I C S H
L S V L R R G S I E F A H G I
C O N C X E V E C O Q T I N T
T N O D R V J N R C Z U C I E
A C M E U U P N H O Q R K T C
C L M R D V I A W I J E L O L
M O O J V A Z N D D I L U O O
O V C C P X T E D X C U P H V
T E N O Y P F E X V A P I S E
S R P I E P K U D I M I N A R
Z P A V Z G S Q N S U N E I E
Y A E A I D O R B P B E F A W

BRODIAEA
COMMONVETCH
QUEENANNESLACE
TOMCATCLOVER



CALIFORNIAPOPPY
CRIMSONCLOVER
REDCLOVER
VERBENA



CHICKLUPINE
MINIATURELUPINE
SHOOTINGSTAR
WHITECLOVER



Name _____

Springtime Flowers - Scavenger Hunt

How many of these flowers can you spy with your little eye today?

____ Brodiaea

____ California Poppy

____ Chick Lupine

____ Common Vetch

____ Crimson Clover

____ Miniature Lupine

____ Red Clover
Anne's Lace

____ Queen

____ Shooting Star

____ Tom Cat Clover

____ Verbena

____ White Clover

Name _____

Look For the Birds - Scavenger Hunt

How many of these birds can you spy with your little eye today?

____ Killdeer

____ Acorn Woodpecker

____ Wild Turkey

____ Turkey Vulture

____ Western Bluebird

____ Bald Eagle

____ Osprey

____ California Quail

____ Cooper's Hawk

____ Golden Eagle

____ Mallard Duck

____ Red Tailed Hawk

Name _____

A Tree Ring of Your Life

Directions: Draw additional circles to make a “Tree Ring of Your Life.” Then, write a few words to highlight important events in your life. Remember to start from the center and work your way out. Just for fun, make this a family project and challenge your mom and dad to make a Tree Ring of their life.

I was born in
_____.

Name _____



Chinook Salmon



Z C B A I C I X I N T R S F P
A N A D R O M O U S E T M I A
M B B H R J V R J D Q Z O N R
R V F O S N T P D G B X L G R
D R W P D E Z D F Z V U T E M
Y S F Y F N Z H M D I A I R A
C H I N O O K S A L M O N L R
M I G R A T I O N E E G G I K
M C Z S I L E W L Z F N P N S
I U A D M S E I V U I I E G F
R Z P S T O N V A C E N R W L
R U Z U K E L D I A W W U T H
D A A E V L G T F N A A R V J
J R O U K J O R Z I S P U F D
Y R J R A C E Y R H F S U D Z

ALEVINS
ESTUARY
JUVENILE
RACE
RUN
SPAWNING

ANADROMOUS
FINGERLING
MIGRATION
REDD
SMOLT
YOLKSAC

CHINOOKSALMON
FRY
PARRMARKS
ROE
SMOLTING

Helping the Chinook "King" Salmon

Many people, animals, and ecosystems depend on the salmon. Take a good look at the picture below. What do you think would happen if the Chinook salmon became extinct? Research what you can do to help the salmon and make a list of your findings on the back of this paper.



Name _____

- What is an idiom? An idiom is a phrase whose meaning cannot
- be determined by the literal definition of the phrase itself. In
- other words, you say one thing, but really mean something
- else.

Some of Nature's Idioms . . .

Up the creek without a paddle.

(Translation: You are in big trouble.)

Don't rock the boat.

(Translation: Don't cause problems.)

The apple doesn't fall far from the tree.

(Translation: People act and think like their parents.)

Now it's your turn. Write a few idioms that you know.

Name _____

WATERSHED

Use the following words to draw and label your own watershed:

Confluence

Mouth

Tributary

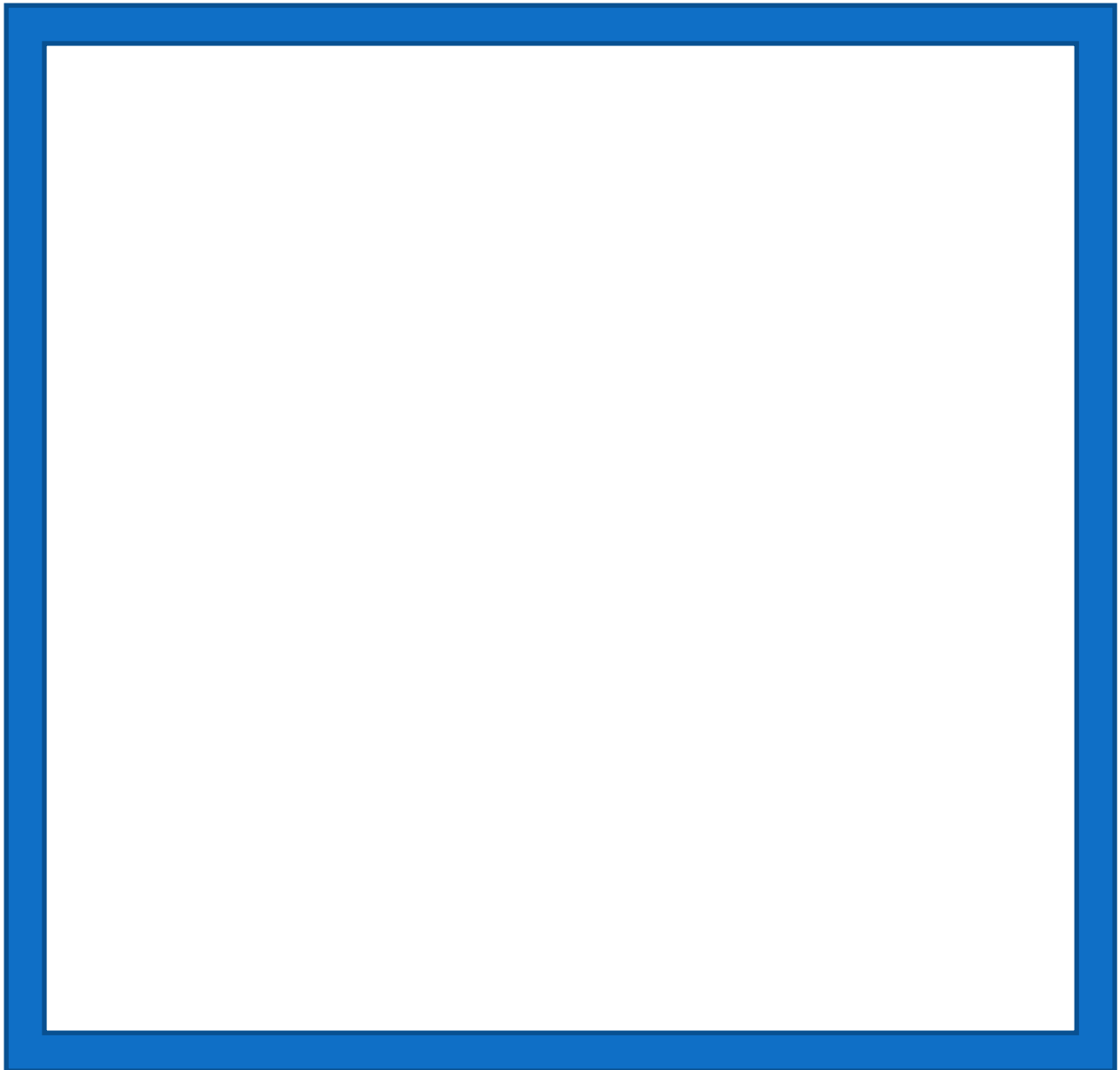
Source

Watershed



Name _____

Draw a picture of a river as it flows through a canyon. Show how the rocks of the canyon are weathered.



Name _____

Draw a picture of a river as it flows downstream. Show how the banks of the river have eroded.

