





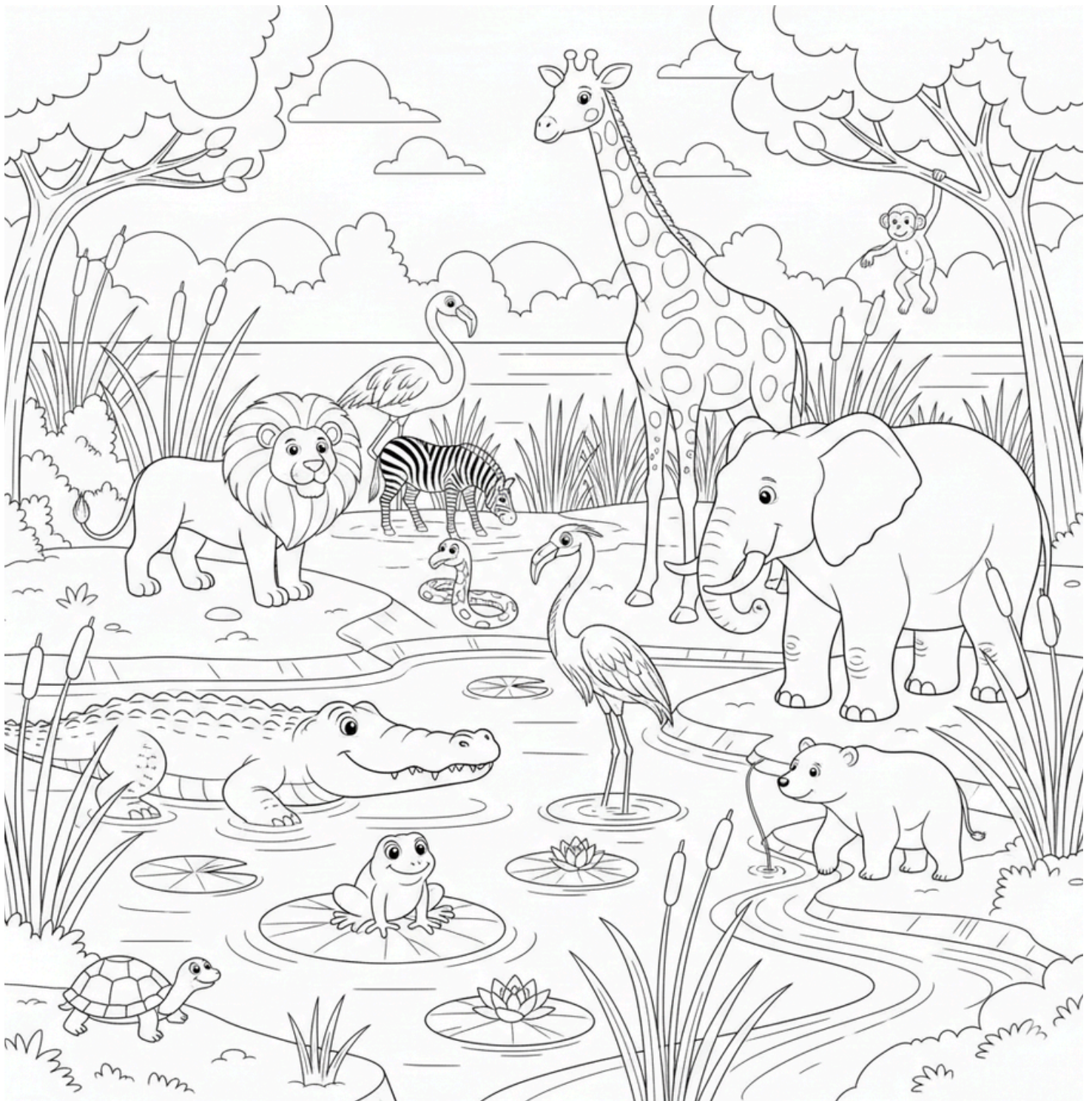
**WELCOME TO THE WORLD
OF WETLAND WONDER!**

**COME ALONG AND DIVE
INTO THESE ACTIVITIES.**



WHO LIVES IN A WETLAND?

With your pencil crayons, colour only the animals
that live in wetland habitats



WHAT IS A WETLAND?



Complete by filling in the blanks below using the words from the word bank.

WORD BANK

water
animals

plants
flooding

clean
wet

A wetland is a place where the land is covered with
_____ for at least part of the year.

Wetlands can be _____, muddy, or soggy.

Wetlands are homes for many _____ like
frogs, birds, fish, and insects.

Plants that grow in wetlands like having lots of
_____.

Wetlands help keep water _____ by
filtering dirt and pollution.

They also help protect the land from
_____ by soaking up extra water.

PUT YOUR COLOURING SKILLS TO THE TEST

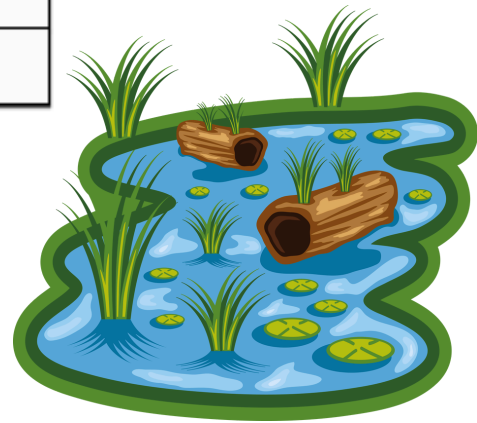
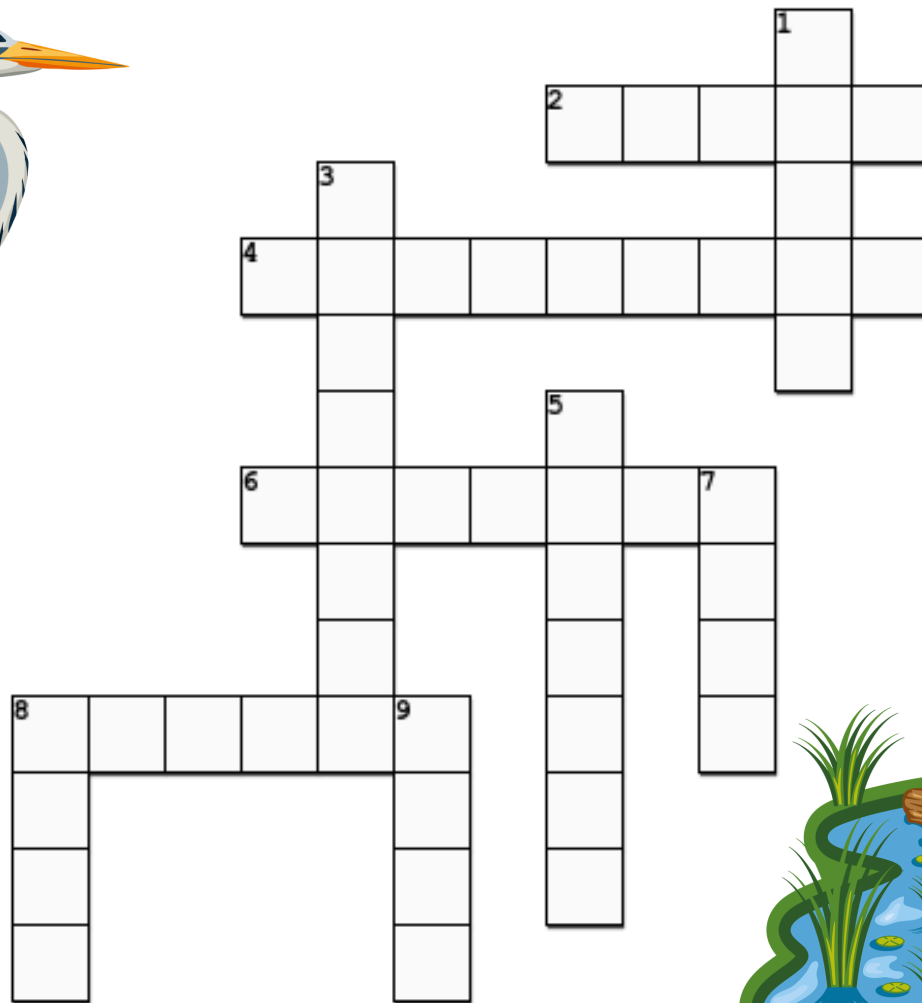




Intaka Island
The natural heart of the city

WETLANDS CROSSWORD

Work through the clues below to solve the crossword puzzle



ACROSS

2. The most important part of a wetland ecosystem
4. Harmful waste that can damage wetlands
6. An area of land that is often wet and helps to clean water
8. What wetlands do to dirty water to help clean it

DOWN

1. A tall bird, native to Intaka Island, with long legs that hunts fish
3. To protect nature and use resources wisely
5. The natural home of a plant or animal
8. An animal that lives in water and breathes through gills
9. A tall plant that grows in shallow water and sways in the wind

CREATE YOUR OWN WETLAND

- Recycle a small, clear plastic bottle.
- Fill it about two-thirds with water.
- Add one tablespoon of blue food colouring.
- Sprinkle in green glitter, mini toy fish, and other wetland-inspired features.
- Seal the bottle, and your wetland is complete!

Personalise your wetland as you'd like and make it your own.

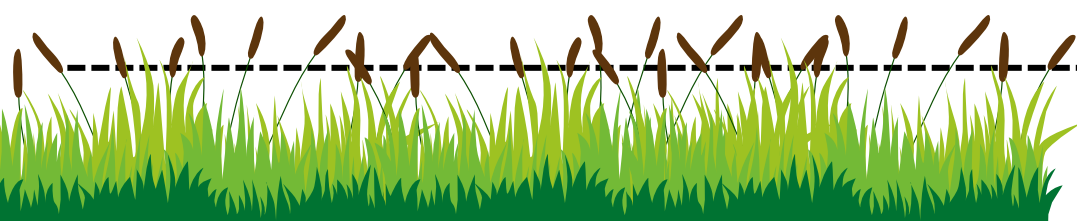




A DAY IN THE WETLANDS

Imagine yourself as a wetland.
What stories would you be able to tell about
the many animals that visit you every day.

Once upon a time...



The end.