

# Watershed Walk BINGO

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**How to play:** Play for your chance to win a \$50 Visa Gift Card! With a parent or teacher, pick a bingo card and find the items on the card during a walk or hike! Once you've found four items, take photos of them and share with us on Facebook @cccleanwaterprogram by May 21, 2021. Two (2) winners\* with the best photos will be selected.

<sup>\*</sup>Winners will be selected and prizes awarded by June 30, 2021.

# **Protect Local Waters!**

### Find an Earth Worm:

Earth worms are great helpers in the garden! They can make soil healthy which is important for plants.

### Make Friends with a Frog:

Frogs are very sensitive to pollution around them including weed killers, fertilizers, pesticides, and detergents. What are some steps you can take to protect their habitat?

### **Scout Out Storm Drain Inlets:**

Trash and other items on the road can be washed into a storm drain inlet by rain/outdoor water, which drains into a creek or river. Let's keep pollutants out of our waterways!

Touch a Tree: Trees do a good job of cleaning our water! They filter water as it passes through the roots and ground water Collect Litter: Litter/trash is one of the top pollutants that end up in our creeks and Bays. Can you safely find three pieces of litter and throw it away in the trash can?

### **Discover Animal Tracks:**

Our community has a great diversity of wildlife that live and depend on healthy waterways. Help protect their homes by keeping our waterways clean! Wildflower: We have many beautiful plants that are native to California. Did you know that several native plants are drought resistant or can survive with little water? Can you name a few native plants?

## **Explore Gravel or Dirt Paths:**

Unlike concrete and asphalt, gravel or dirt soaks up rainwater, which keeps polluted water from reaching our waterways.

**Find Flowing water:** Water is all around us! Be a good steward by taking actions that keep our waterways clean!

Find a Duck or Bird: These critters are affected by unhealthy creeks and rivers. How can you help keep their homes clean and healthy?

Pet Waste Station: A pet waste station at a park or trail is a great place to dispose of dog poop. Scoop the poop, bag it up and toss it in the trash can!

# **Search for Storm Drain**

Markings: A storm drain marking with a "No Dumping, Drains to Creek" message is a reminder to keep our waterways clean! **Trash Can:** Remember to trash your trash! Clean creeks start with clean streets!

Report Illegal Dumping: Illegal dumping is bad for our environment and can be very costly to clean up. Let's keep our communities clean! Report Illegal Dumping by calling 1-800-NO DUMPING (1-800-663-8674) **Weeds:** Did you know that using a 3 inch layer of mulch in your landscape can reduce weeds by up to 90%?

Look for Leaves: Did you know that leaves and other plant material can be used to make mulch which reduces weeds and builds healthy soil? Find Bugs: All bugs aren't bad! Lady bugs, dragonflies, green lacewings are good helpers because they feed on pests in the garden. What bugs did you see on your walk?