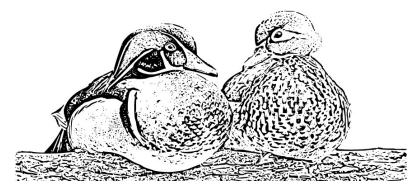
When rain drips into a forest or meadow, it will slow down.

Rain can sink deep into the dirt to keep roots healthy...

Or join a creek to share water with fish, frogs, birds, bugs, and people!



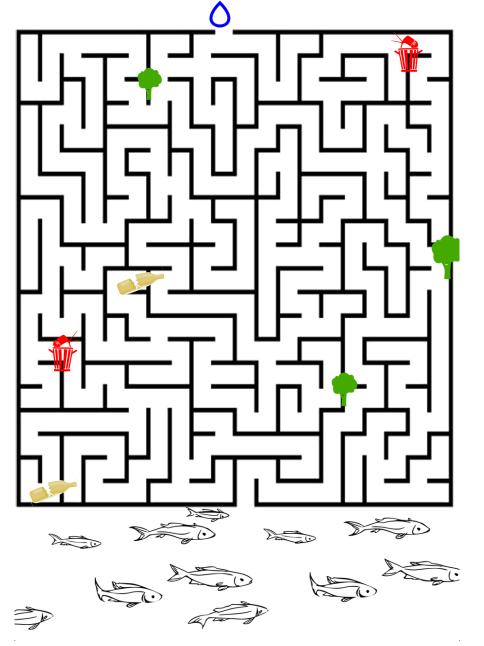
But when rain drops on dry, hard ground, it will speed up!

It can collect trash and pollution that harm our water friends and make it hard for plants to grow.

But no matter where it lands, water will always find a path to the ocean!

Can you help the raindrop safely reach the fish that live in the Susquehanna and Delaware Rivers?

Need a clue? Think about the symbols that make our water healthier and which can harm water habitats.



Will YOU help all the raindrops that fall on our trees?

NBLT needs your help to make signs that will teach everyone about loving our local waters!



What would you say to your neighbors to teach them what you learned?

Draw and write your message in the box below!

## Hi Water Helper,

Can we share your awesome message with our friends?

Ask your guardian to send a picture of your sign to North Branch Land Trust.

All signs will be featured on our website, and lucky finalists may see their signs installed on one of our preserves!

Email: Info@nblt.org

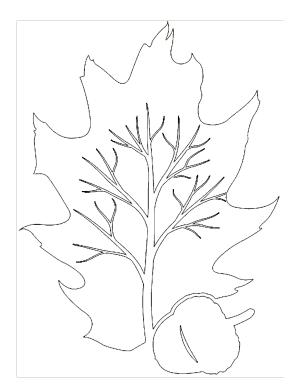
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## About North Branch Land Trust:

The North Branch Land Trust works in partnership with landowners and their communities to conserve the natural, working, and scenic landscapes in Northeastern Pennsylvania that support us. We promote land conservation and connecting people with nature to improve health, quality of life, and to bring awareness to the importance of natural lands for watershed protection, habitat protection, recreation, and local agriculture.

If you would like to volunteer with this or other programs at North Branch Land Trust, email info@nblt.org.

## Loving Our Local Waters

If I were a raindrop

Who fell upon a mountaintop

On a pretty Pennsylvania tree

