

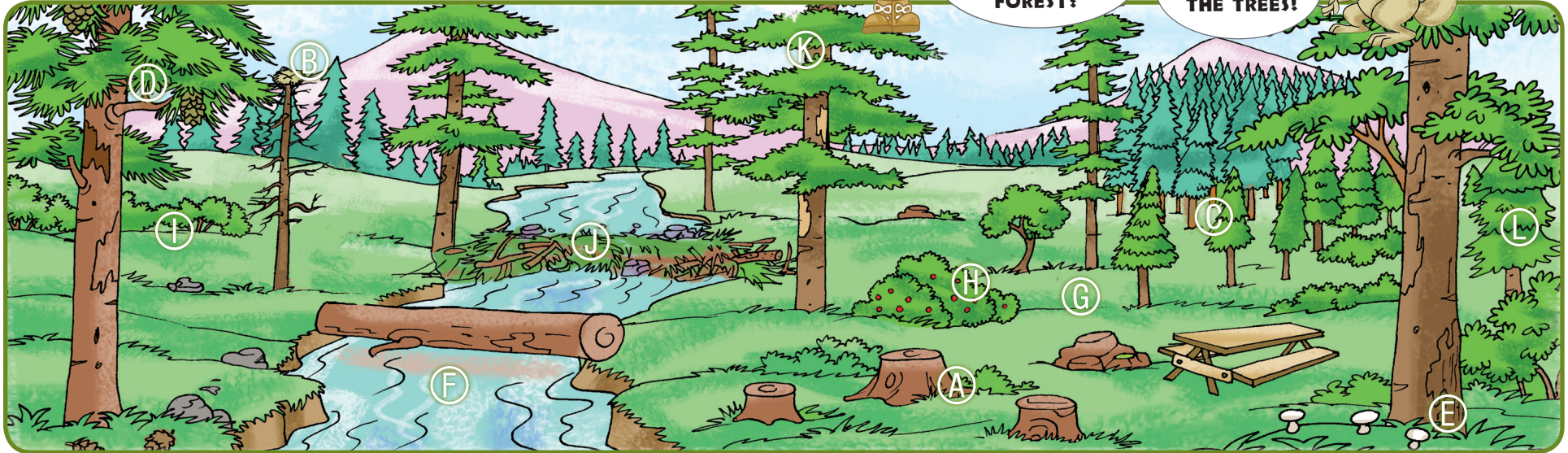
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WHO LIVES
WHERE IN THE
FOREST?

I LIVE IN
THE TREES!



USE THE LIST OF ANIMALS ON THE NEXT PAGE TO DECIDE WHAT ANIMAL WOULD LIVE IN EACH LOCATION.

A. _____ <input type="text"/> _____	E. <input type="text"/> _____ <input type="text"/> _____	I. _____ <input type="text"/> _____
B. <input type="text"/> _____ <input type="text"/> _____	F. _____ <input type="text"/> _____	J. _____ <input type="text"/> _____
C. _____ <input type="text"/> _____	G. <input type="text"/> _____ <input type="text"/> _____	K. _____ <input type="text"/> _____
D. _____ <input type="text"/> _____	H. _____ <input type="text"/> _____	L. <input type="text"/> _____ <input type="text"/> _____

USE THE SHADED LETTERS ABOVE TO SOLVE THE MYSTERY MESSAGE ON THE NEXT PAGE.



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Answers: 1. treefrog 2. osprey 3. gray jay 4. chipmunk 5. salamander 6. rainbow trout 7. deer mouse 8. black bear 9. elk 10. beaver 11. bat 12. weasel

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IN A FOREST, EVERY CREATURE HAS A FAVORITE PLACE TO LIVE. HERE ARE SOME COMMON FOREST FRIENDS FROM OREGON. CAN YOU LOCATE WHERE EACH OF THESE ANIMALS WOULD LIVE IN THE FOREST PICTURE ON THE LAST PAGE?



GRAY JAY

I like to perch on small trees in the open, where I can see insects and berries. Sometimes I perch above picnic tables looking for scraps.



DEER MOUSE

I can live most anywhere, but I like an open area with small trees best.



BLACK BEAR

I can live anywhere, but my favorite home is where I can get lots of plants, seeds, berries and sap from young trees to eat.



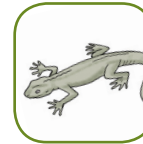
CHIPMUNK

I like to climb tall trees and bite off fir cones that contain seeds. The cones fall to the ground far below. I hurry down and fill my cheeks with seeds to store for winter.



OSPREY

I like to look for fish in the river or lake so I can swoop down from my nest in a tall dead tree and catch the fish with my talons.



SALAMANDER

I like forests that are moist and very shady.



ELK

I like a place where I can hide under the trees, but still graze on grasses and small plants in meadows and clearings nearby.



TREEFROG

I am also known as a Pacific Chorus Frog because I like to croak loudly from the forest floor, hidden among small stumps and shrubs.



BEAVER

I can cut down trees with my teeth. I use the wood to build dams on a stream and create a pond.



BAT

I like to rest and nest in very large trees.



WEASEL

I like to climb medium-sized trees in search of small rodents for lunch.



RAINBOW TROUT

I love to swim in the clean, cold water of the forest stream and find lots of aquatic insect larvae to eat.

MYSTERY MESSAGE: Use the shaded letters found in the animal names on the last page to solve the mystery message.

Forests provide _____ for _____,
_____ and more. A _____
would _____ their _____.

? ANIMAL RIDDLES ?

1. What bird never goes to a barber?
2. Why is it best to play baseball at night?
3. What do owls eat for breakfast?
4. Where do frogs sit?
5. Why don't grizzlies wear shoes?
6. Why do hummingbirds hum?



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Answers: 1. Bald eagle 2. Because the bats sleep during the day 3. Hoot Loops 4. Toadstools 5. They want to go bear foot 6. They don't know the words
Mystery Message: Forests provide homes for animals, fish and more. A wildlife would destroy their homes.