

# INTERACTIONS & ECOSYSTEMS

## BECOMING AN ECOLOGIST:

### Wetland Survey

#### Focusing Questions:

1. What were some of the **biotic** (living) parts of wetland habitat you studied today?
2. What were some of the **abiotic** (non-living) parts of the habitat?
3. List some other **organisms** that you observed today, that were not in your quadrat.
4. What is a **habitat**? Describe it as best you can.
5. How is a **habitat** different from an **ecosystem**?
6. Draw a **food web** to show the **basic needs of life** for all the living things in the ecosystem you surveyed today.
7. Did you see any evidence of **human impact** on the ecosystem? List them below.
8. How might human impact affect the organisms in this area?