



wildlife, creatures, critters

wild animals that live free of humans



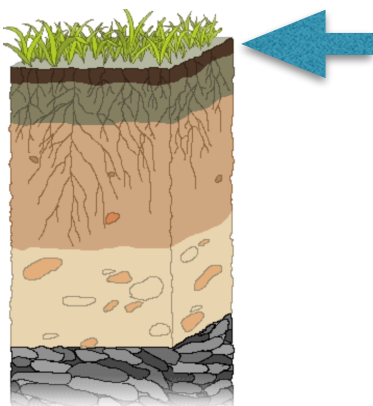
habitat

the natural environment of an animal or plant



moist

somewhat wet; damp



surface

top layer of something



lush

growing thick and healthy



marsh

a low, wet area, often thick with tall grasses



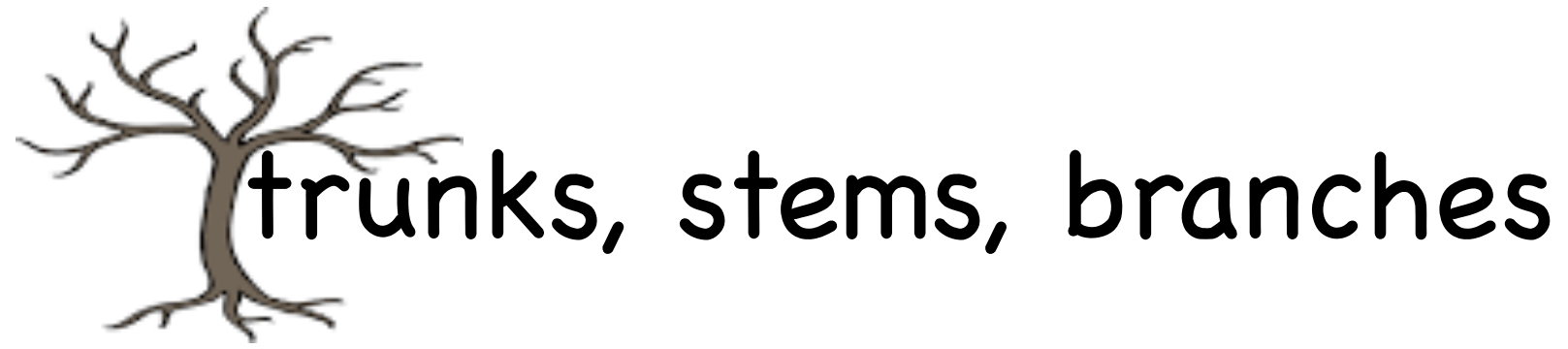
swamp

a wet, low area of land that is usually covered with water



bog

an area of soft, wet earth



criss-cross

overlap



meadow

an open field of grass that is growing wild or is used for pasture or to grow hay



plains

a large, flat area of land without trees



thrive

to grow strong and healthy



void

empty; lacking



predator

an animal that hunts other animals for food



prey

an animal being hunted, caught, and eaten by another animal



cactus

a thick-stemmed, often prickly plant



sage brush

a bushy plant with silver leaves
that has a pleasant smell



succulent plants

plants that provide food AND water
