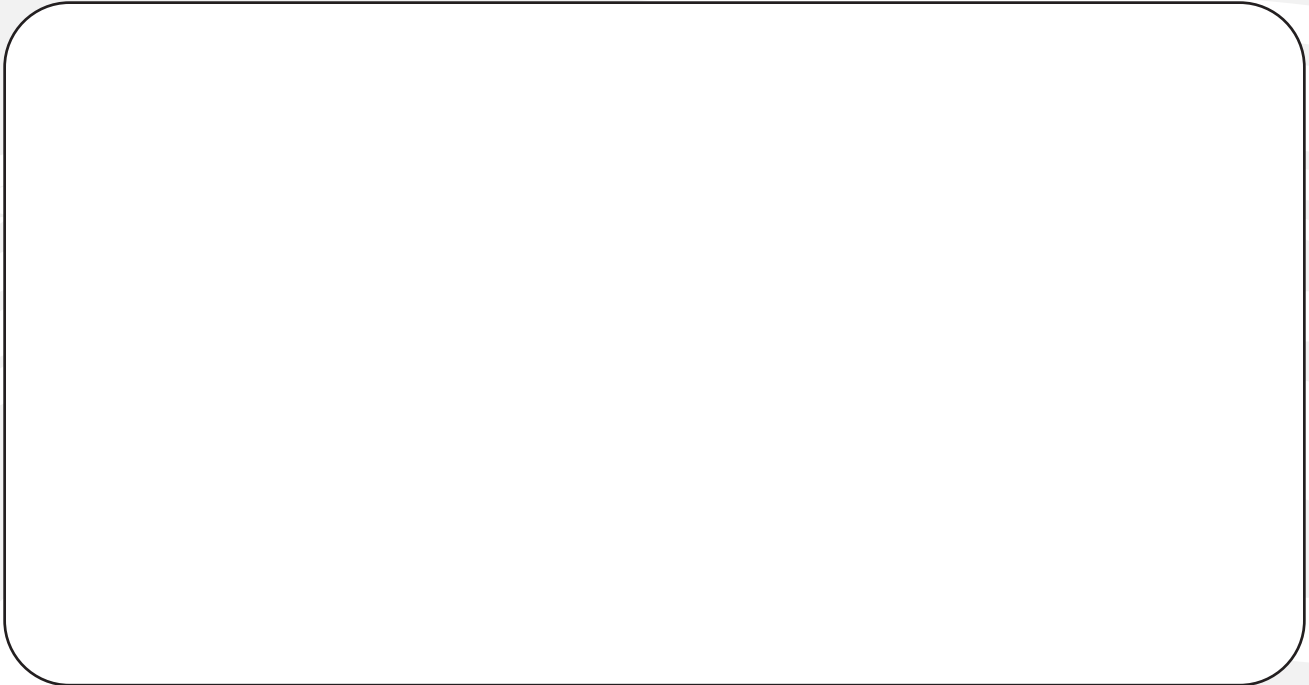


The Los Angeles River's Past

Describe the LA River in the past. Use words and pictures.



Describe the LA River today. Use words and pictures.



Web of Life

Who needs what? Make connections.



Red-Legged Frog



Humans



Oak Tree



River Rocks



Mule Fat



Dragonfly



Gray Wolf



Barn Owl



Western Fence Lizard



Steelhead Trout



1. What resources do we need to live well?

Resource: <i>The Sun</i>	Resource:	Resource:
How is it important to the web of life: <i>The sun gives all living things energy to grow and survive.</i>	How is it important to the web of life:	How is it important to the web of life:

2. What would happen if you lost one of the resources listed above?

3. How would you describe biodiversity to your friends and family?

4. Why is having biodiversity important?

5. What hurt the LA River's biodiversity and web of life?

- A. Grizzly bears killed all the native fish
- B. Engineers covered the LA River in concrete
- C. People moved away from Los Angeles

6. Why were plants and animals important to the Tongva people?

- A. Tongva used plants to make houses.
- B. Tongva hunted animals for food and used their fur for clothing.
- C. Tongva used plants to make medicine.
- D. All of the above.

7. What do you think daily life of a Tongva was like 1,000 years ago?

Use the Tongva word you chose from the presentation in your writing.
