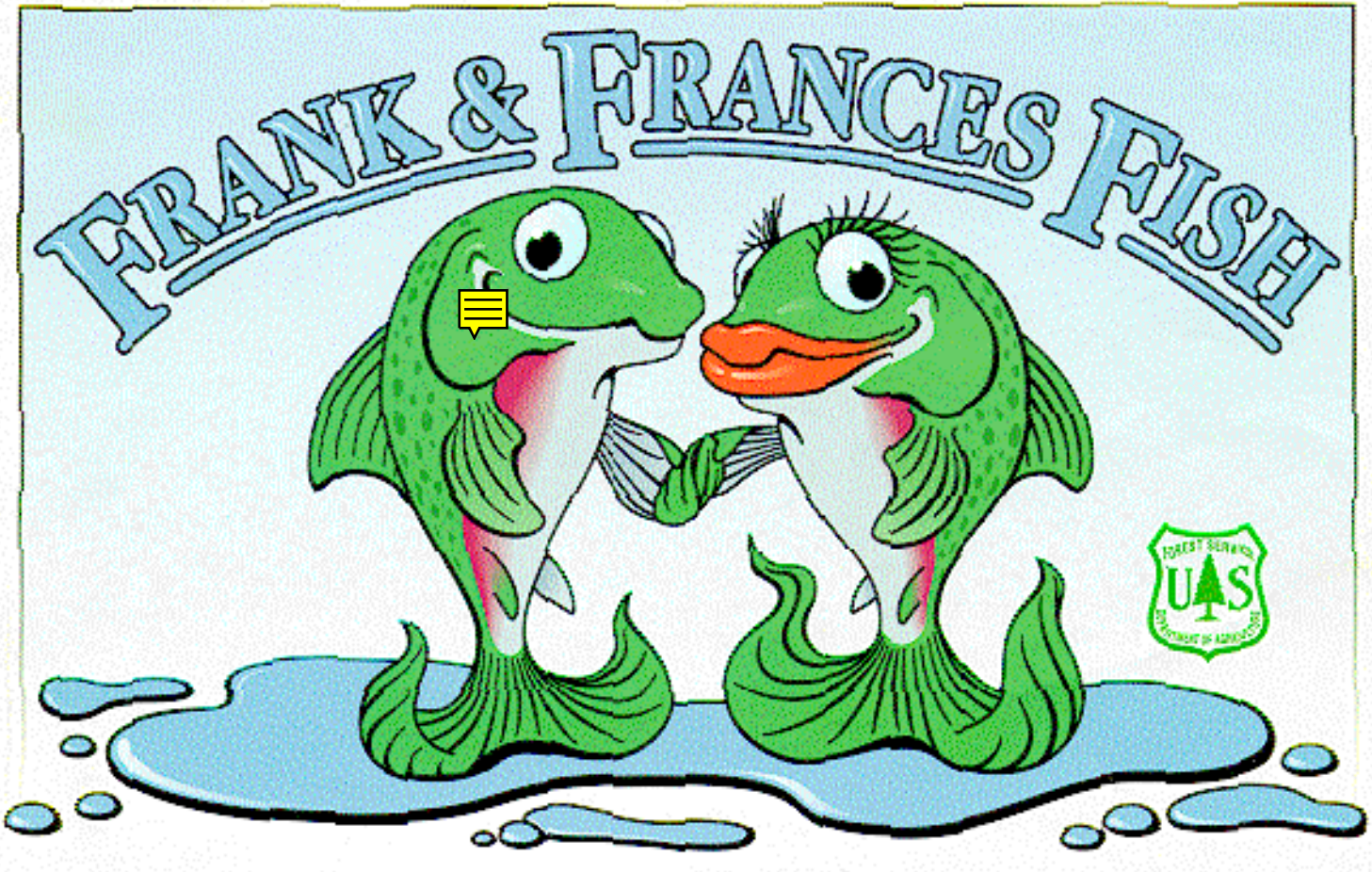
FRANK & FRANCES FISH
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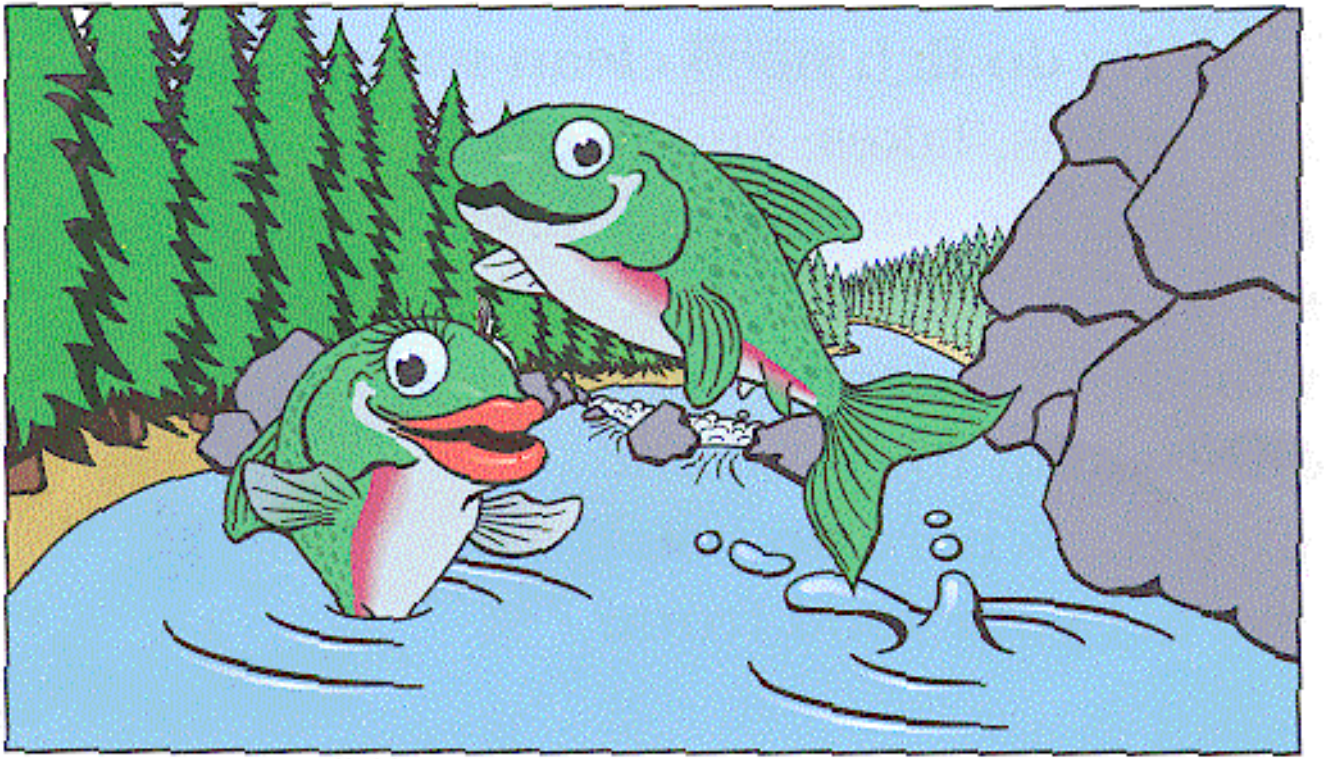
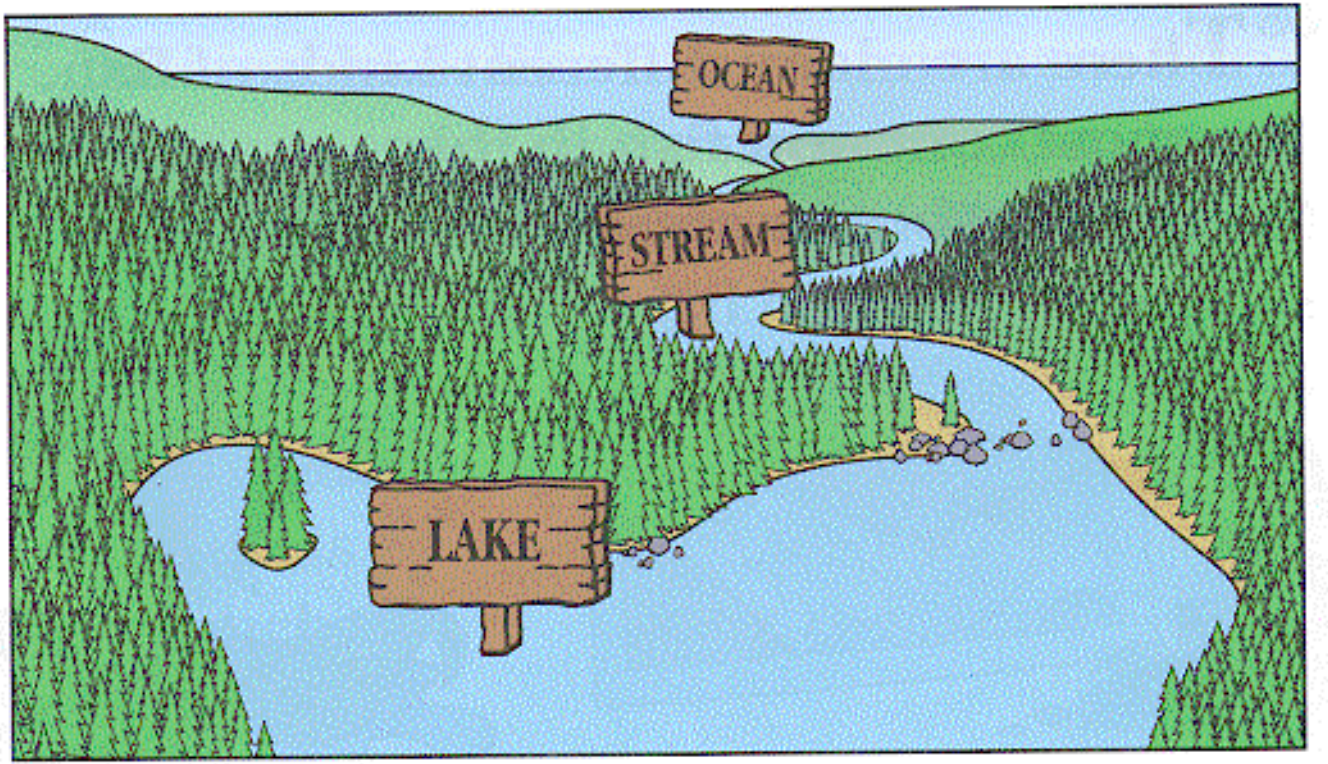
"Hi, we're Frank and Frances Fish, the fish of Pacific Northwest National Forests. Today, we are going to share with you where we live; who our neighbors and friends are; and how you can help us."



"Why do fish need clean water? Fish live in streams, lakes, and oceans. These areas are our 'homes'. People call our home a habitat. We depend upon our habitat for food and shelter. Where do you live and get your food from?"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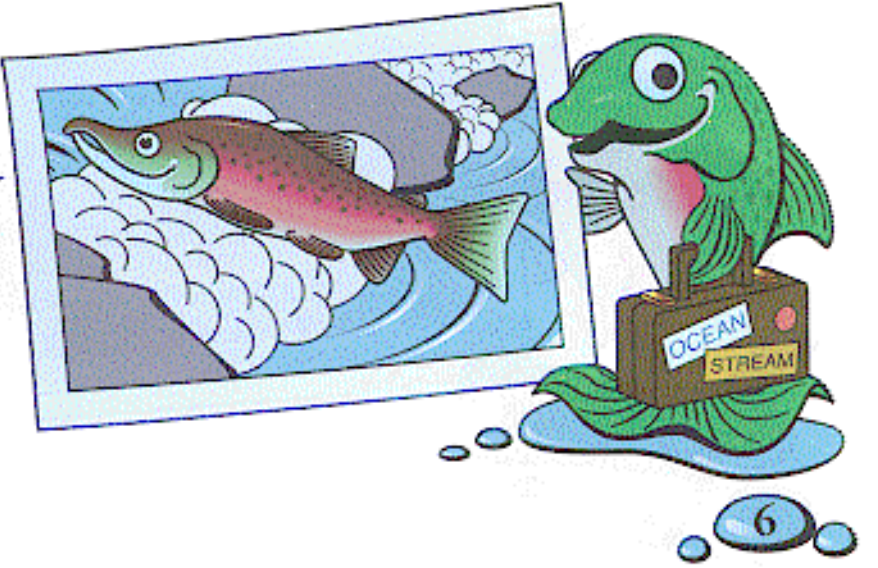
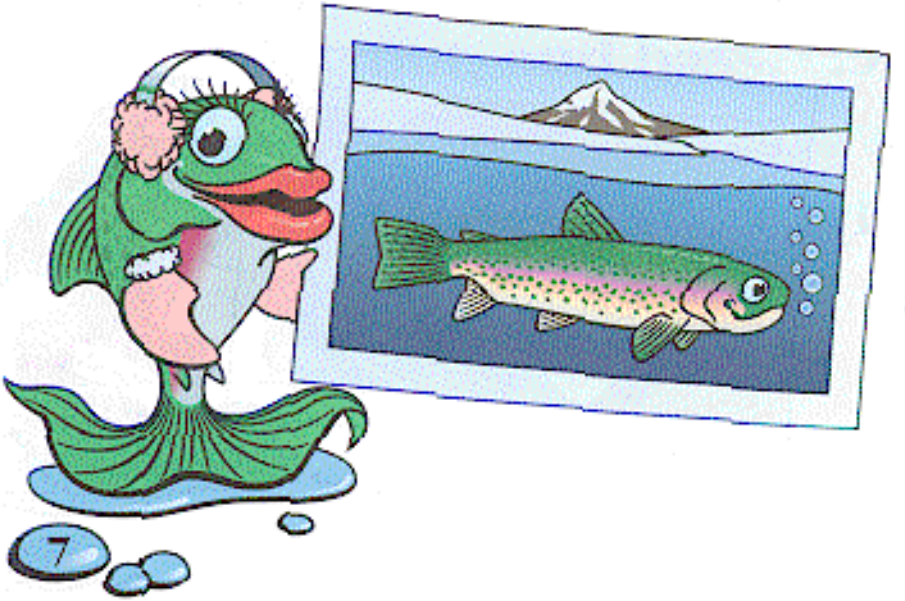
"There are many different kinds of fish. The most common fish in the Northwest Forests are salmon, trout, and bass."

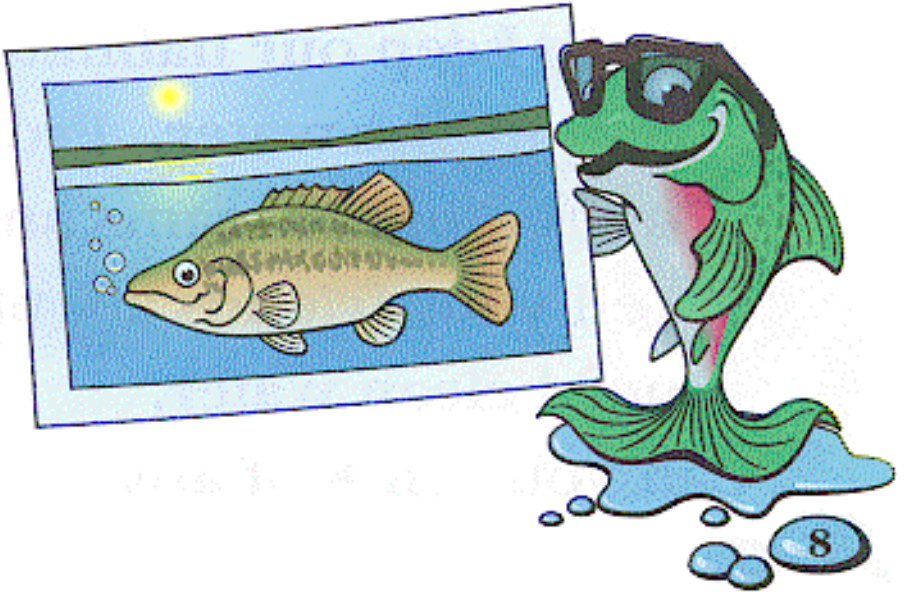
"Salmon look like this. Salmon are born in streams, swim downstream to the ocean to grow up, swim upstream to lay eggs, and then they die. Salmon can grow up to weigh nearly 100 pounds!! How much do you weigh?"



"Trout look like this. Trout live only in cold water lakes and streams. They look like small salmon and usually weigh 1–2 pounds. Have you ever seen a trout?"



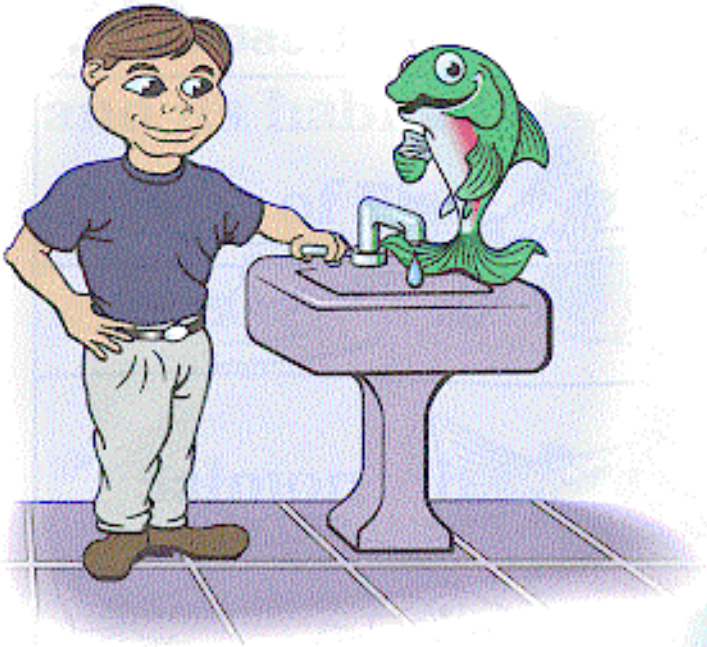
"Bass look like this. Bass often live in lakes, where the water is warmer than streams and the ocean. Bass can weigh up to 10 pounds."

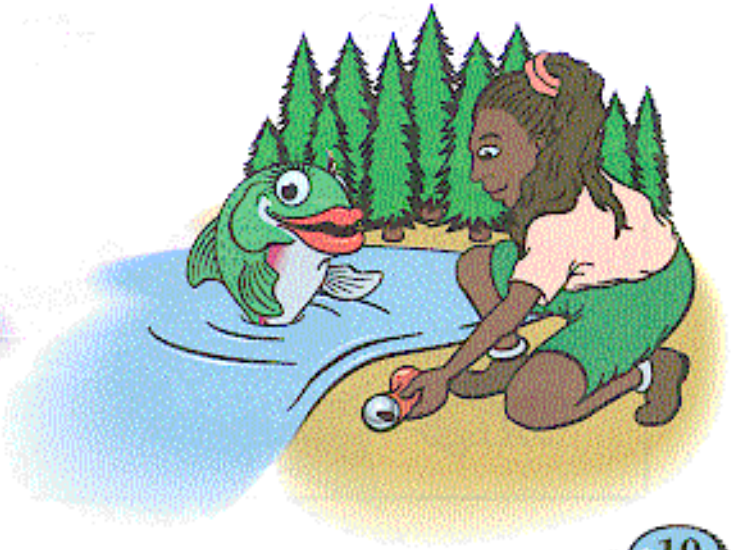


"We need your help. Here are three things you can do to help us.

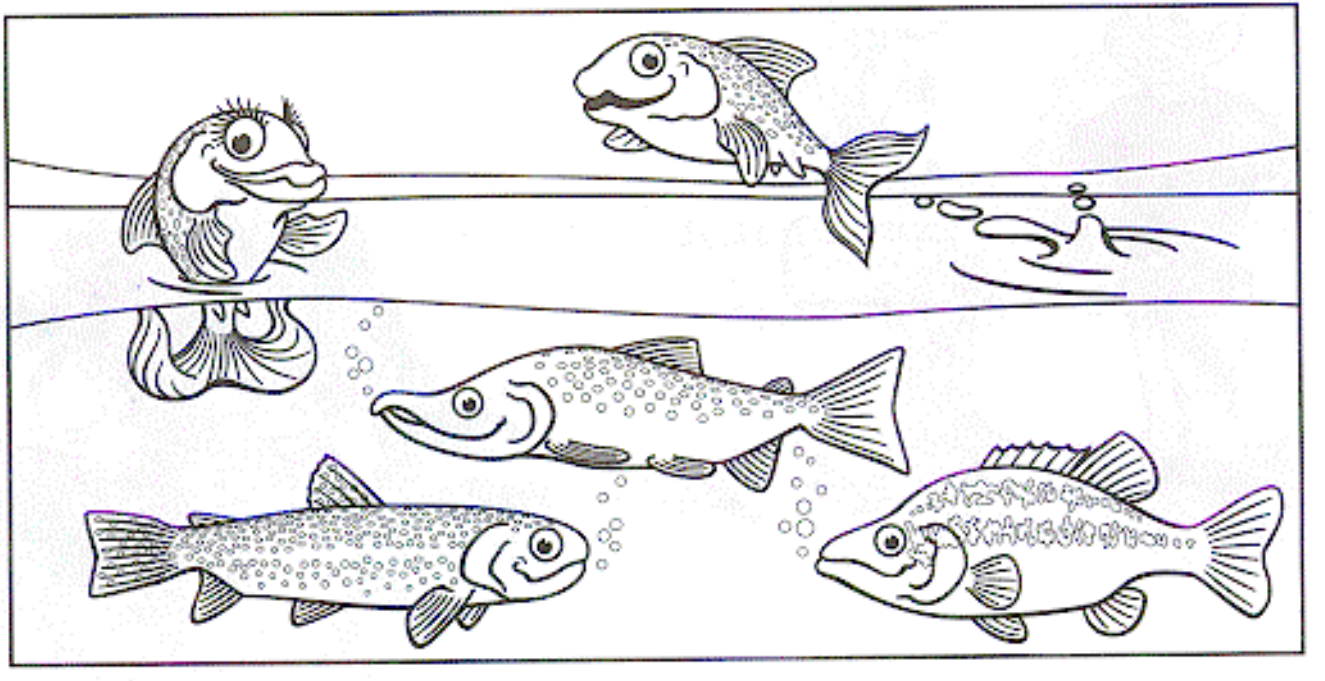
1. Save water—we all need it to live.
2. Help keep our habitat clean—don't pollute the water. Protect plants and trees along streams and lakes.
3. Tell your friends about us, and why we need clean water.

Can you think of any others?"





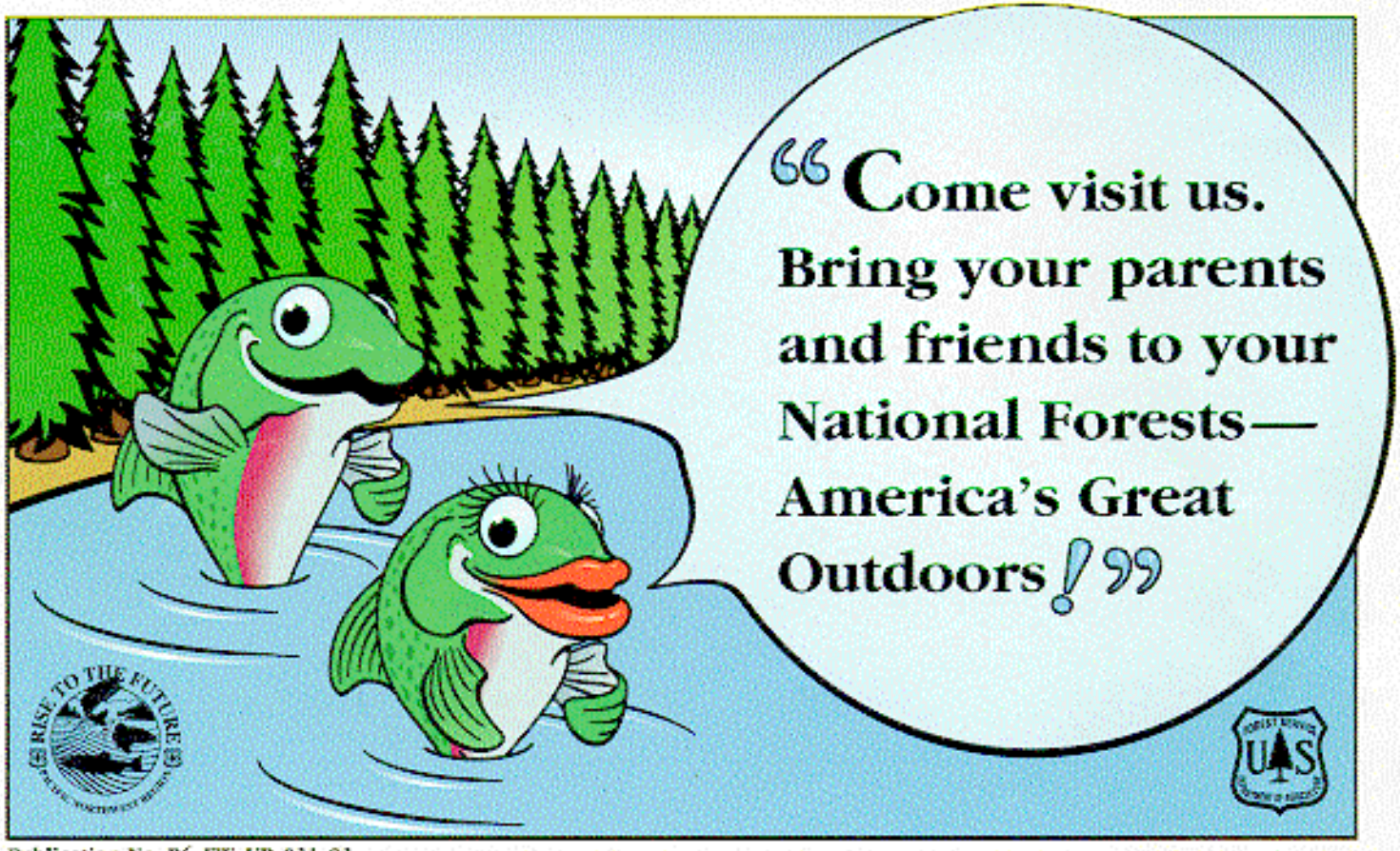
"Let's have some fun !! Color these fish."



"Draw a line from the fish to its name and its habitat(s)."

Type of Fish:			Habitat:
Bass	a.		Ocean
Salmon	b.		Stream
Trout	c.		Lake

Answers: a. trout, stream and lake; b. bass, lake; c. salmon, ocean and stream



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