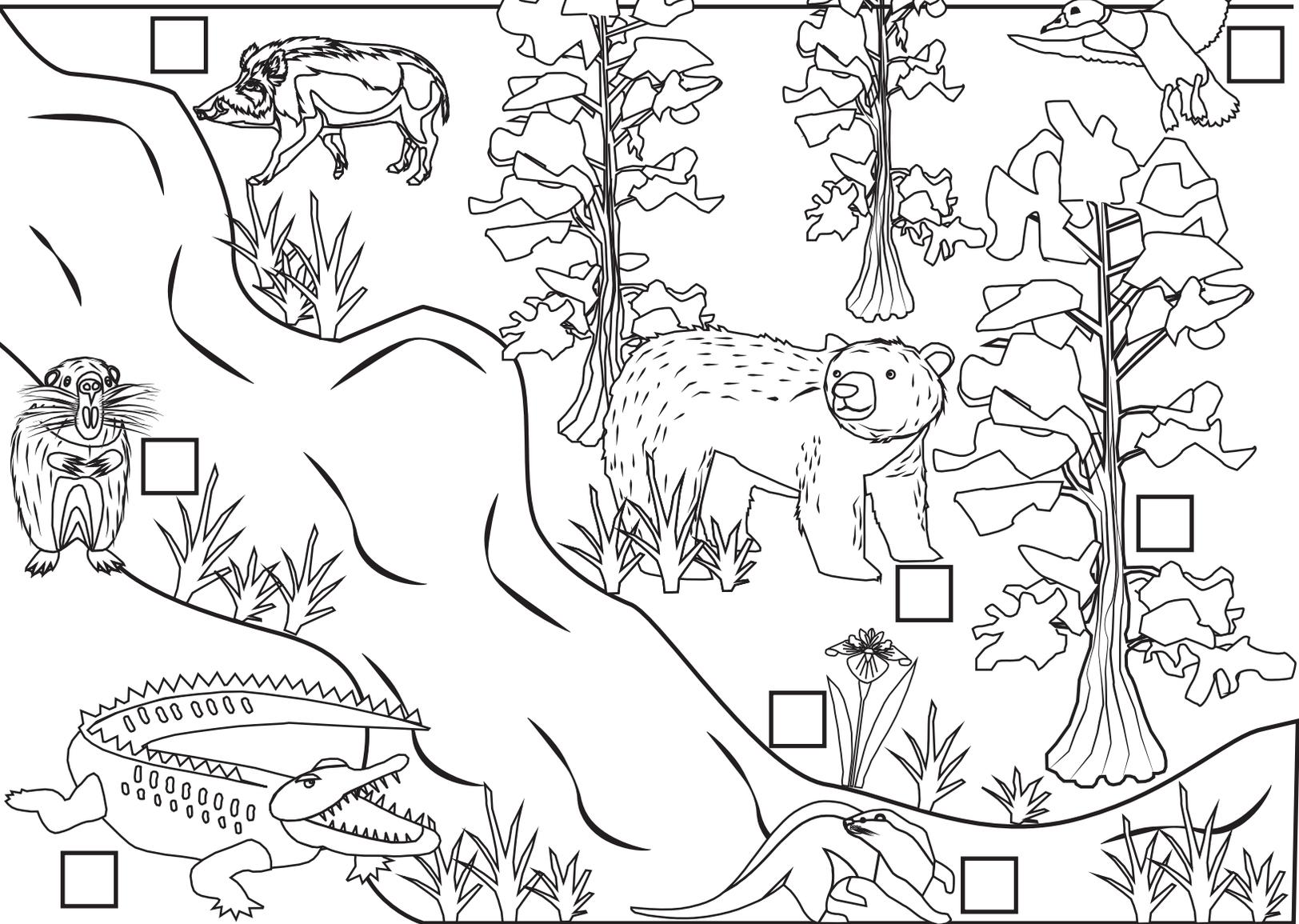


WHO LIVES IN THE WETLANDS??

COASTAL SWAMP FORESTS



WHAT ARE WETLANDS?

Wetlands are areas that are covered with water either part or all the time. Wetlands do many important things for people including holding extra flood water, providing recreational opportunities, and filtering out pollution. They also provide homes for many unique plants and animals.

Coastal Swamp Forests are a dominate wetland found in Louisiana. Swamps are filled with trees such as the Bald Cypress. The animals and plants found in swamps rely on the freshwater that flows into these wetlands.

Color in the swamp above and label the wetland plants and animals from the list below!

- 1. Mallard Duck
- 2. Bald Cypress

- 3. Louisiana Black Bear
- 4. American Alligator

- 5. Nutria
- 6. Louisiana Iris

- 7. Feral Hog
- 8. River Otter