

## RIVER STORY

Draw the Alabama rivers on the map.  
Put a circle around the river nearest  
you.

How many miles of navigable rivers  
are in Alabama? \_\_\_\_\_

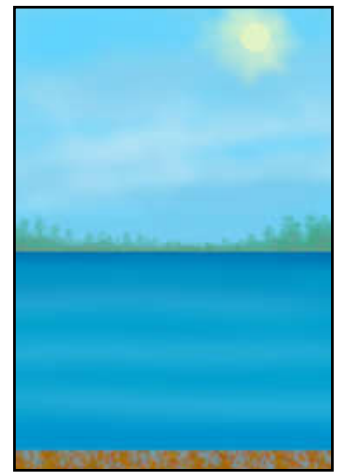
Fill in the graph to show where precipitation goes.

Color in the area of the  
Mississippi River watershed.

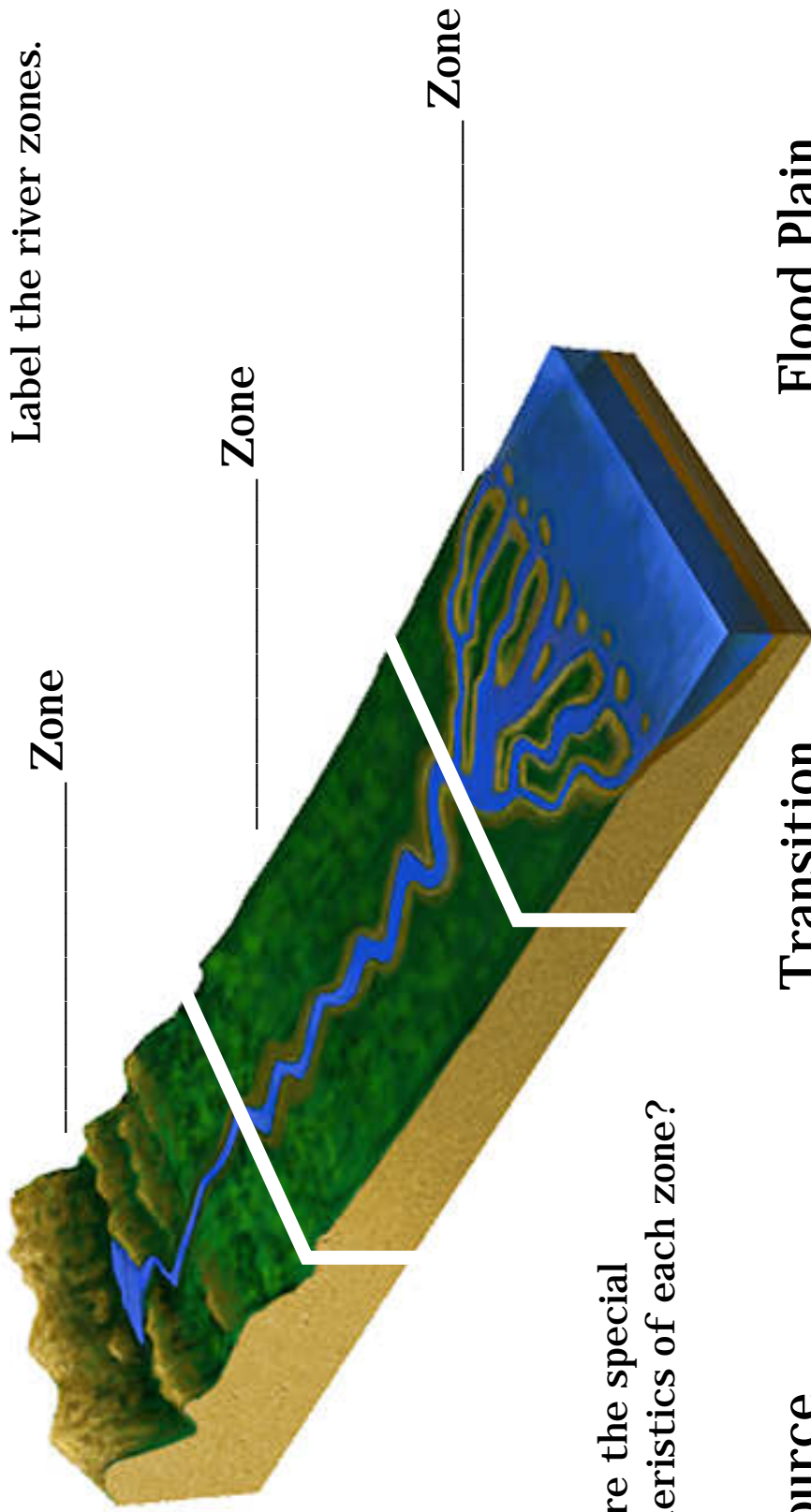


Outline the 18 watersheds in Alabama.

Circle the watershed you are in.



Label the river zones.



What are the special characteristics of each zone?

Source	Transition	Flood Plain
Water	Water	Water
Animals	Animals	Animals
Plants	Plants	Plants



## Special river words

algae \_\_\_\_\_

aquatic \_\_\_\_\_

delta \_\_\_\_\_

dissolve \_\_\_\_\_

flood plain zone \_\_\_\_\_

headwaters \_\_\_\_\_

navigable \_\_\_\_\_

non point source pollution \_\_\_\_\_

oxygen \_\_\_\_\_

pesticides \_\_\_\_\_

point source pollution \_\_\_\_\_

precipitation \_\_\_\_\_

rapids \_\_\_\_\_

source zone \_\_\_\_\_

transition zone \_\_\_\_\_

turbid \_\_\_\_\_

watershed \_\_\_\_\_

