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## Focus Question

Why are swamps important?





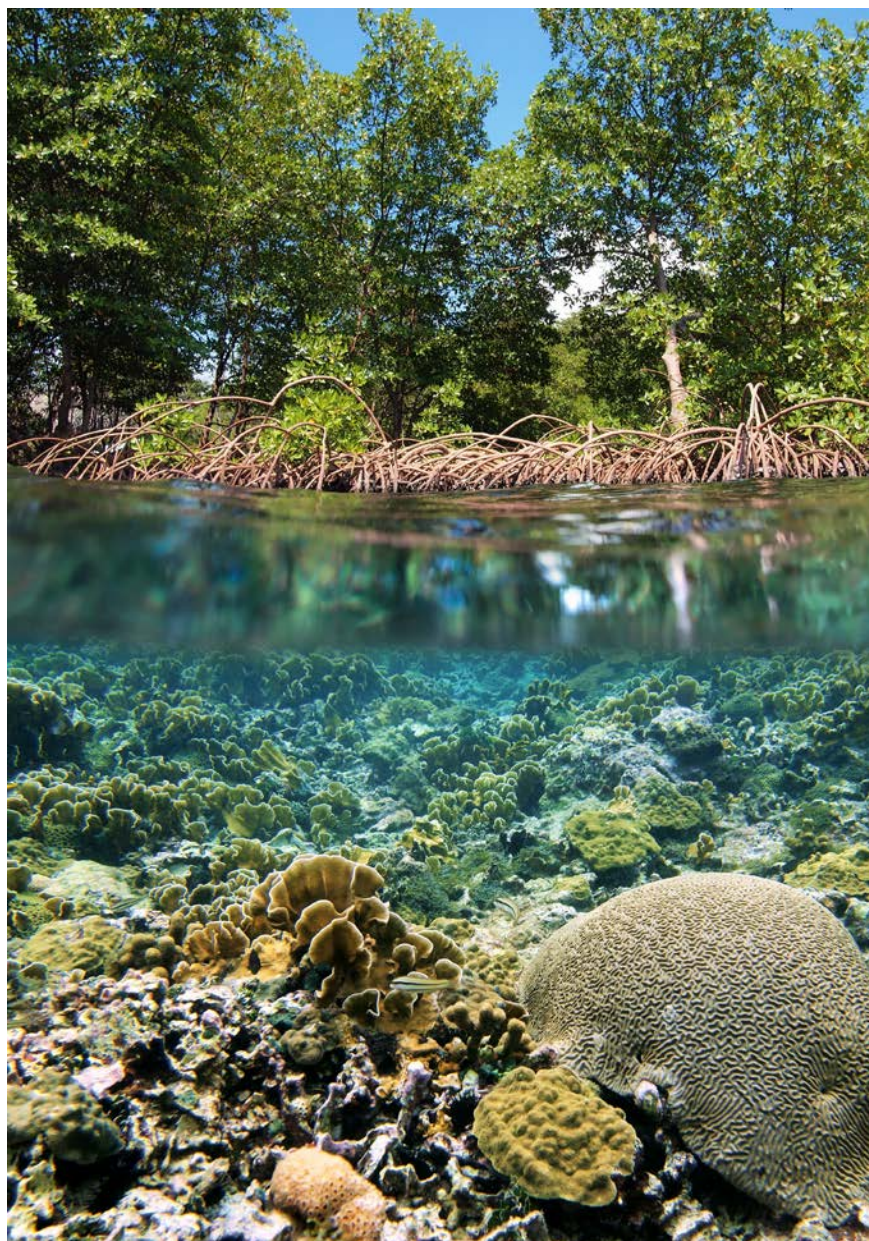


Swamps are areas  
of wet and dry land.

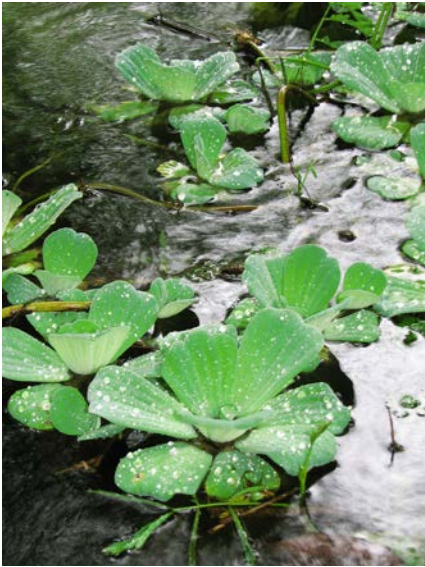


Swamps can have  
fresh water.





Swamps can have  
salt water.



Swamps can have many plants.



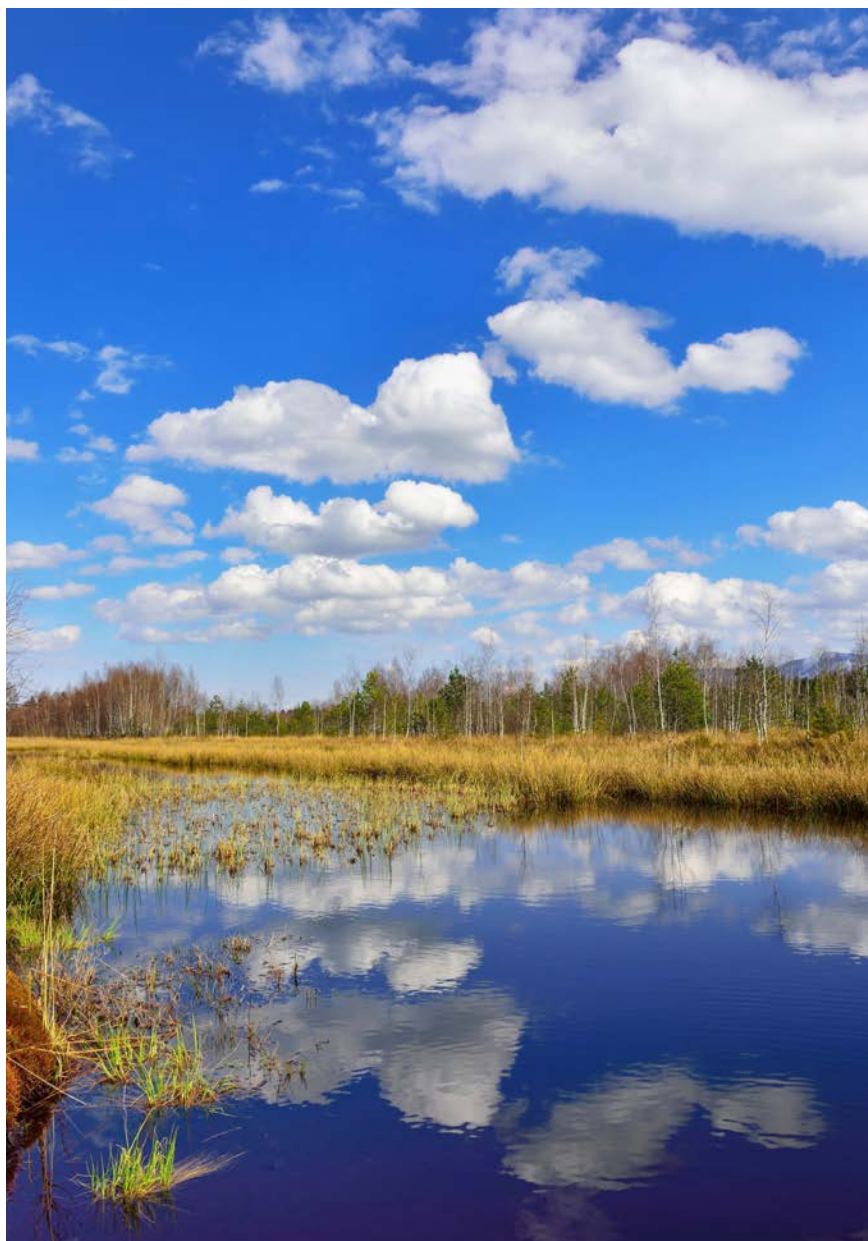


Swamps can have  
many animals.



Swamps help the soil  
stay healthy.





Swamps help the air  
stay clean.



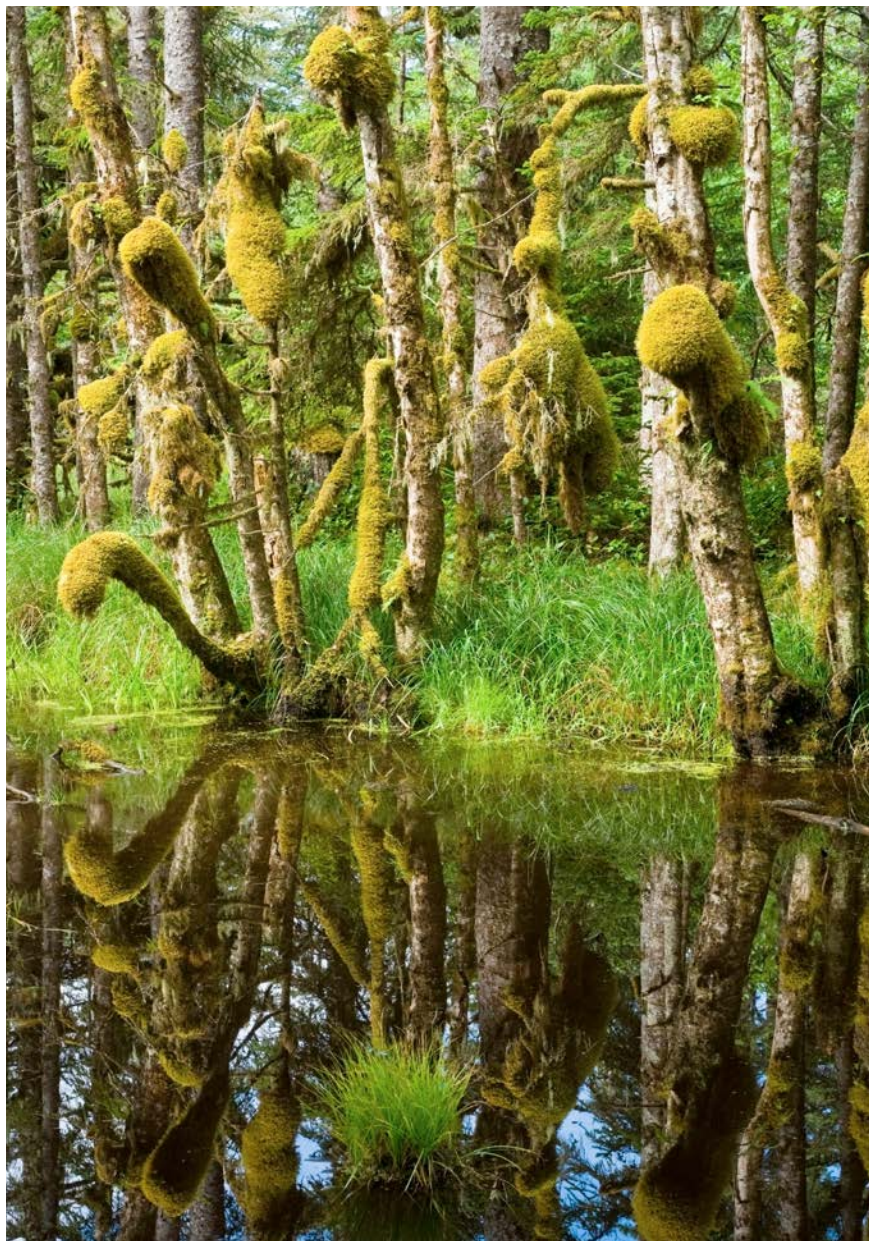


Swamps help the water  
stay clean.



Swamps help the land  
stay dry.





Swamps help Earth  
stay healthy.



## Words to Know

clean

salt water

fresh water

soil

healthy

swamps

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## Connections

### Writing and Art

How do swamps help Earth stay healthy? Draw a picture of a swamp and write about it.

### Science

What other types of plants and animals might live in a swamp? Share your ideas with a partner.

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