

# WATER QUALITY STEWARD CERTIFICATION QUIZ

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- 1) Every living thing needs pure, clean \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2) Water is always moving through the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3) Every day people are dumping things onto the land and into the water that is \_\_\_\_\_ the water.
- 4) Trees help to \_\_\_\_\_ polluted runoff. Roots help to prevent the soil from \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5) Practical solutions that keep pollutants from entering waterways are called BMPs or \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ is the contaminated water that flows over the land during storms moving soil, chemicals, motor oil, and pesticides, etc.

## MATCHING

Match the items in the left column with the Best Management Practices (BMPs).

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| 1) Erosion            | A) Plant in contour rows - till and plant rows only       |
| 2) Parking Lots       | B) Dispose of at a collection center                      |
| 3) Construction Sites | C) Keep a buffer zone of trees and bushes                 |
| 4) Storm Drains       | D) Use plants that require less water and fertilizer      |
| 5) Farms              | E) Keep the land covered with plants and mulch            |
| 6) Car                | F) Catch water basins to filter the rainwater runoff      |
| 7) Chemicals          | G) Clean out leaves and debris                            |
| 8) Stream Banks       | H) Repair to keep leaking fluids from dripping on streets |
| 9) Lawns and Gardens  | I) Use silt fences to keep loose soil from eroding        |



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