Environmental Education: Harbours and Watersheds

We all live in a watershed. A watershed is an area of land that drains rain, snow and ground water to a common point, such as a creek, wetland, lake or ocean. A healthy watershed includes lots of trees and plant to slow and filter rain. Protecting watersheds keeps water clean for the animals, insects, birds and fish that live in these habitats and ecosystems.

Colour the water cycle and watershed below. Add labels to the parts of the picture that show evaporation, condensation and precipitation.

