



# One Trunk with Many Branches

## Mapping the Mississippi River Watershed

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Complete the map and create a legend:

1. Highlight the Mississippi River in blue and then label it on your map. Add a blue dot where the Mississippi River begins. Start your map legend by adding a blue line and labeling it Mississippi River.
2. Label the states along the Upper Mississippi River on your map.
3. Using a different color for each river, highlight and label the major tributaries of the Mississippi River and add them to the legend.
4. Label the major cities located at the confluences on your map.
5. What major tributary of the Mississippi River is your school closest to?

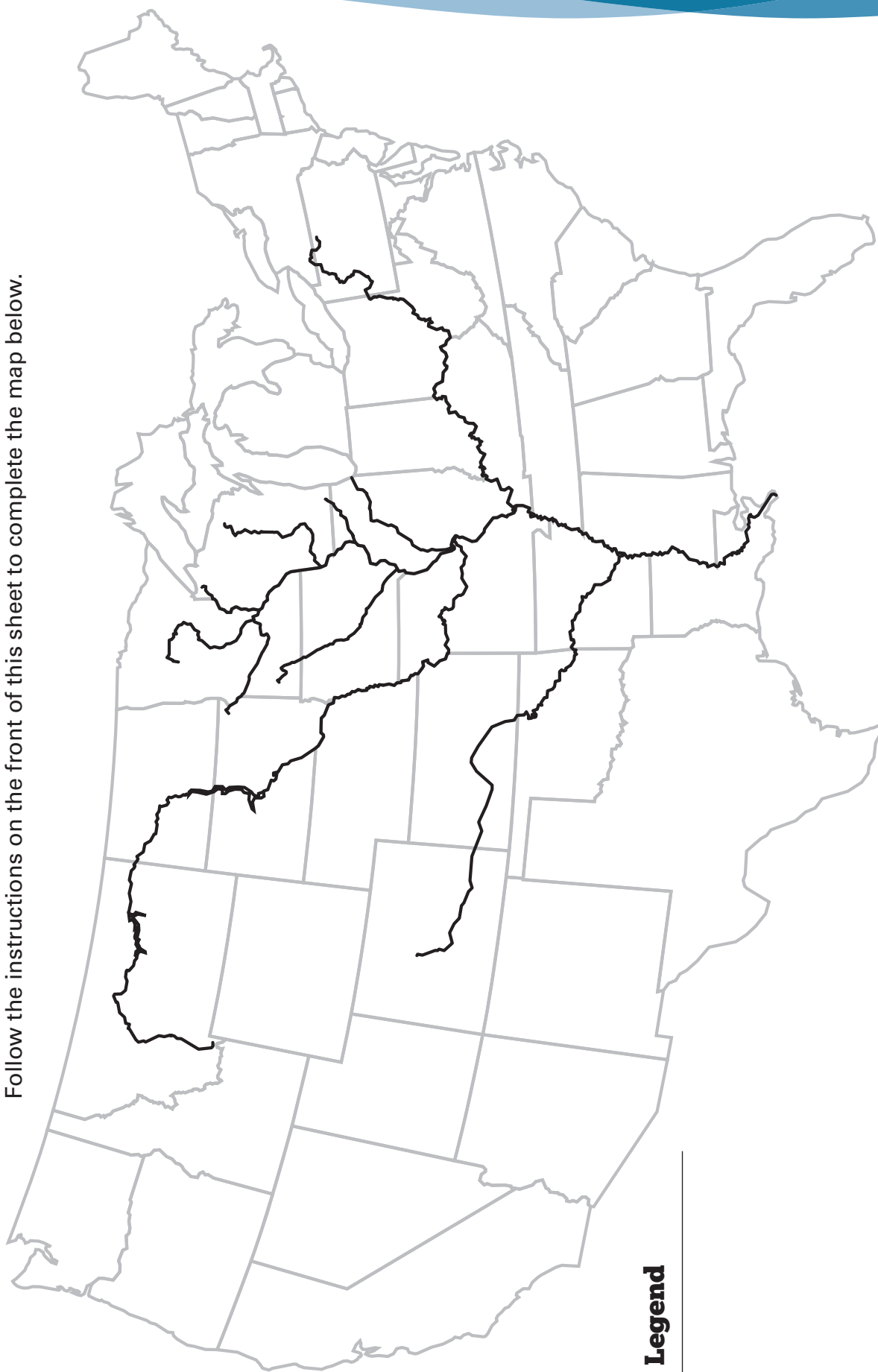
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6. What is the importance of tributaries in terms of migration of people, wildlife, and goods? \_\_\_\_\_

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Follow the instructions on the front of this sheet to complete the map below.



**Legend**