Thank you for participation in the Learn component of our virtual Green Seattle Days! In this document, you will find a list of resources you can visit to learn more about the role of water in our ecosystem. There are many aspects of water that play a part in healthy ecosystems, Don't forget to take a picture of your participation using the hashtag #GreenSeattleDays2020 and tag us on social media (Facebook and Instagram) @greenseattlepartnership!

Resources on Water:

- **What is a watershed?**
  - oceanservice.noaa.gov/facts/watershed.html
  - kingcounty.gov/services/environment/watersheds/general-information/introduction.aspx

- **Seattle has extremely clean drinking water, and this is no mistake. Learn about the Cedar River Watershed, Seattle’s drinking water source, and how it is protected:**
  - seattle.gov/utilities/protecting-our-environment/our-water-sources/cedar-river-watershed

- **Clean water is vital not only for humans, but also for plant and animals living in the ecosystem. Many different pollutants and toxicants affect water in Seattle, and worldwide.**
  - Causes and effects of water pollution by ACCIONA
  - scientificamerican.com/report/how-plastic-became-a-plague/
  - pugetsoundkeeper.org/volunteer/microplastic-monitoring/

- **One of the ways we can help to clean water is through Green Infrastructure. As plants suck up water, the also absorb pollutants, removing them from the groundwater. Seattle continues to add Green Infrastructure in the city which also reduces storm-water runoff and flooding,**
  - Green Infrastructure with the Trust for Public Land
  - seattle.gov/utilities/your-services/sewer-and-drainage/green-stormwater-infrastructure
  - thedirtcorps.com/projects/162-2/