

# Gonzales Ranch Restoration Program Outline

## Visit 1: Engage

- Introduction to Gonzales Ranch Restoration Program
  - Story of STRAW
  - o What is a watershed?
  - o What is a riparian zone?
  - o Why are we doing STRAW? What is my role?

### Visit 2: Explore

- Restoration day at Gonzales Ranch
  - o Identify ecological problems at Gonzales Ranch
  - o Which species are impacted by these problems?
  - o Participate in a nature-based solution
  - o Everything is connected
  - o How can we spread the word to help?

## Visit 3: Explain & Elaborate

- Exploring a Stream
  - o What are key features in a riparian zone?
  - What types of plants and animals live in the riparian zones of the Pajaro River watershed?

#### Visit 4: Evaluate

- Web of Life
  - o What is a food web?
  - o How do plants and animals interact in order to survive?
  - o What is biodiversity?
- Reflect and share
  - o What are some ways we can continue to make our watershed healthier?