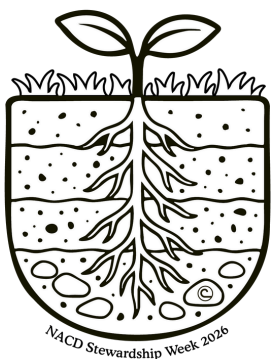


Soil.

Where it all Begins



Healthy soil makes life possible. It holds water, cycles nutrients, anchors plants, and supports tiny organisms that help entire ecosystems thrive.

Every layer contributes to essential functions such as growing food, filtering water, and safeguarding our wildlife and natural habitats.

By understanding how to nurture the soil through daily conservation efforts and educating ourselves about the ecosystem beneath our feet, we can safeguard it for future generations.

**COURTESY OF YOUR LOCAL
CONSERVATION DISTRICT**



ORGANIC

TOPSOIL

SUBSOIL

PARENT
MATERIAL

BEDROCK

Color the layers of soil! 