



# BURY YOUR TRASH EXPERIMENT



Biodegrade (verb): To decay and become absorbed by the environment.

### MATERIALS:

- PATCH OF GROUND WITH SOIL
- 4 POPSICLE STICKS FOR MARKING (TYPE OF TRASH LABELED ON EACH STICK)
- SMALL SHOVELS OR TROWELS, TO DIG UP THE SOIL
- ASSORTED TRASH AND PIECES OF FOOD
- GARDEN GLOVES

### DIRECTIONS:

1. DIG FOUR HOLES ABOUT 6 INCHES DEEP LEAVING ABOUT A FEET SPACING
2. PLACE EACH TYPE OF TRASH IN EACH HOLE, COVER WITH SOIL THAT WAS DUG UP
3. PREDICT WHETHER IT WILL BIODEGRADE OR NOT
4. CHECK RESULTS IN 1 MONTH (MARK ON CALENDAR)

### TYPE OF TRASH

### PREDICTION

### 1 MONTH RESULT

### PIECE OF FOOD

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