

ADOPT A BUSHLAND

NAME

DATE

STUDENT ACTIVITY – YEARS FOUR TO FIVE

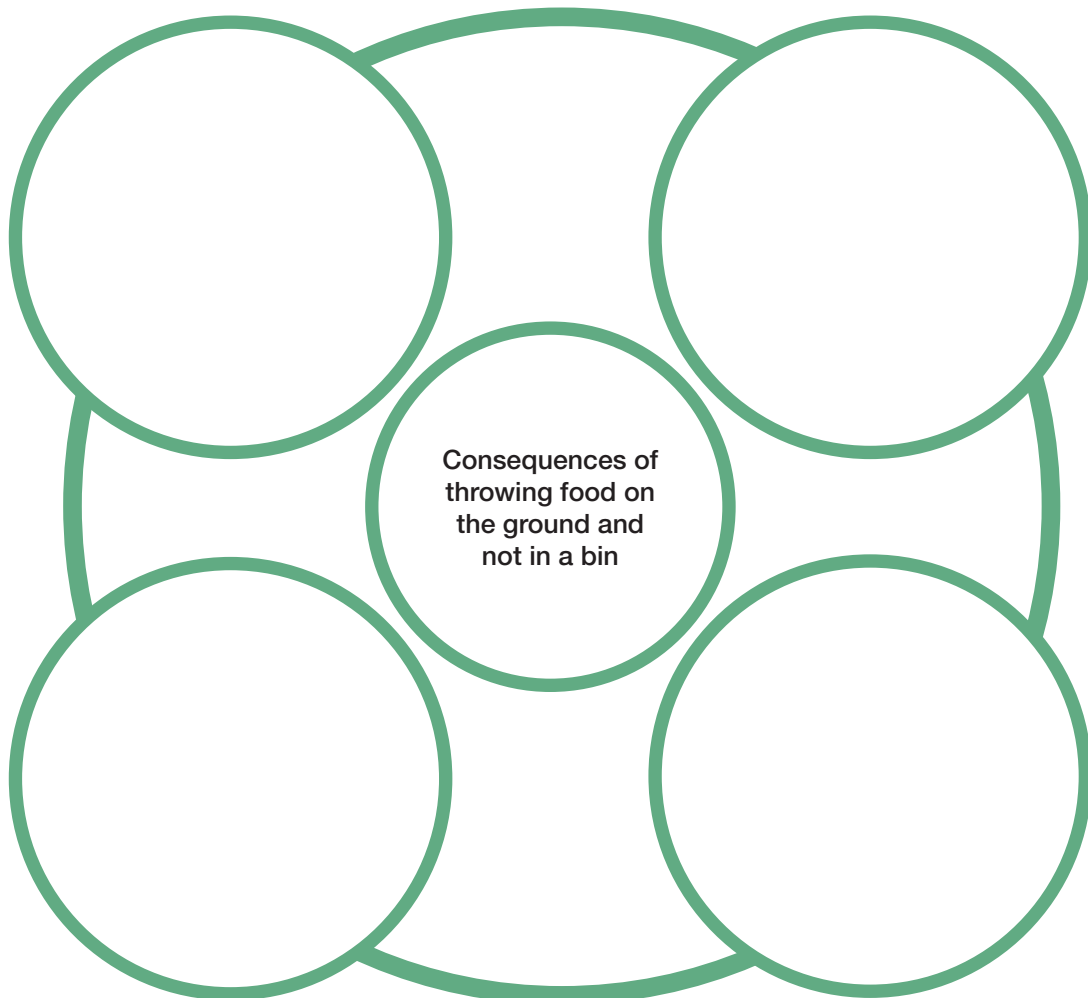
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1. Match these words to their correct definition

Rubbish	substances that cannot be broken down by bacteria or fungi
Biodegradable	the place a group of animals and plants live in
Non-biodegradable	the results of a person's actions
Ecosystem	to throw away
Consequences	a poison
Nutrients	unwanted things that are thrown away
Toxin	very small substances that plants and animals need to live and grow
Discard	substances that can be broken down by bacteria or fungi

2. Complete the Wheel of Consequence



3. Put the items below into the correct group.



Biodegradable	Non-Biodegradable

4. Questions

a. Give 3 examples of rubbish. _____

b. Why are human food scraps bad for native animals? _____

c. Why shouldn't you throw cans into the bushland? _____

d. Give two reasons why cigarette butts should not be thrown on the ground. _____

e. Do you think it is a good or bad idea to throw rubbish on the ground? Give two reasons for your answer. _____

f. What can you do about rubbish on the ground? _____

5. Persuasive Writing. Write a Letter to the Editor of the local Community Paper arguing against littering. Use the table below to plan your letter.



Introduction (introduce the topic)	
Argument	Supporting Evidence
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
Conclusion (write a summary of the argument)	