

EXPLORING EARTH

Land Cover

Where does the water go?
What keeps the soil in place?

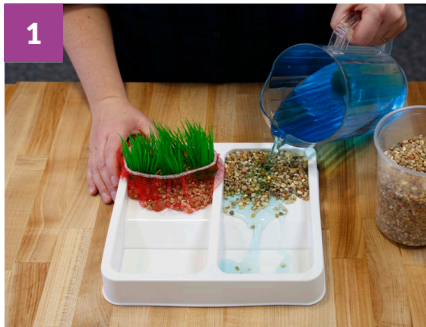




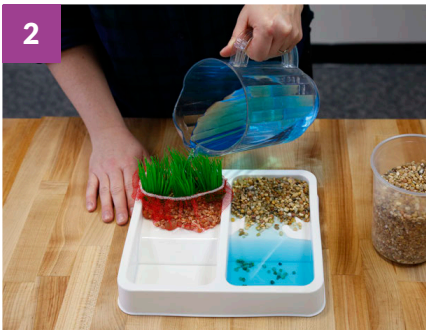
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Try this!



Slowly pour water over the side of the tray that just holds pebbles. What happens to the pebbles?



Now, slowly pour water over the side with plants and pebbles. Do you notice a difference in what happens?



Share your observations. What happened to the pebbles on each side of the tray? What holds the pebbles in place?

Try this at home!

Follow the instructions on the worksheet to make your own land cover map at home and learn how you can share data with researchers who collaborate with NASA!