

Seen and Unseen Pollutants



Type of Pollutant	Examples
Highly visible pollutants (Type 1)	Trash, leaves, twigs
Less visible pollutants (Type 2)	Soil
Invisible pollutants (Type 3)	Nutrients, salts, and chemical toxins such as pesticides and herbicides

Identify which type of pollutant each of the following items are:



Pollutant	Type of Pollutant	Does it Floats, Sink or Dissolve
Potato Chip Wrapper	Type 1	Floats
Plastic Bag		
Motor Oil		
Soil from a Garden		
Lawn Clippings		
Popsicle Sticks		
Fertilizer		
Paint		
Pet Waste		
Herbicides		
Leaves		
Gum		