



Coherence and Alignment Among Science Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment (CASCIA) Project

Grade 5 Unit 3: Earth Systems and the Solution of Water Problems

Task 3 Prompt 1 Part A Scored and Annotated Anchor Set

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CASCIA Grade 5 EOU Assessment 3 Task 3: Protecting Earth's Soil

Prompt 1 Part A Score Point 1

Prompt 1 Part A Rubric

Prompt	Score Point 0	Score Point 1	Score Point 2	Score Point 3	Score Point 4
Prompt 1 Part A.	No aspect of the response is correct	Response includes the following aspect: Selects D	NA	NA	NA

Score Point 1 (1/1 aspects met)

- Part A
 - Selects D.

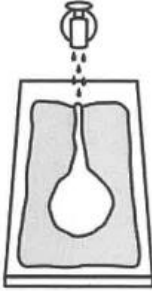
Part A.
Which shows the water's effect on the soil **after** flowing slowly down the stream table? Circle your answer.



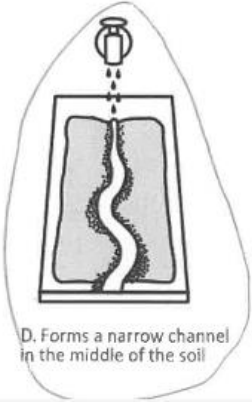
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C. Forms a round pool of water in the middle of the soil



D. Forms a narrow channel in the middle of the soil

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Score Point 0 (0/1 aspects met)

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 - Does **NOT** select D.

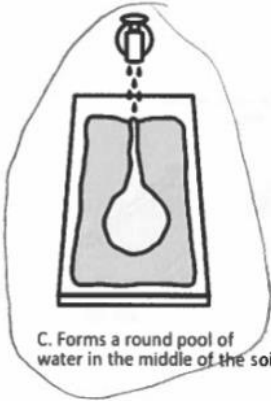
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