

### Activity A: Studying Soil

Name		School	
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As you dig down into the ground the soil composition (the way the soil is made up) changes. There are four distinct layers of soil under the leaf litter.

LAYER	NAME OF THE LAYER
First layer	
Second Layer	
Third Layer	
Fourth Layer	

Your teacher will describe these layers of soil and take a sample of each of them, using a soil auger. Use the spaces in the table below to describe the appearance of these layers:

LAYER	DESCRIPTION OF THE LAYER
First layer	
Second Layer	
Third Layer	
Fourth Layer	