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### **Investigate Soil as a Resource**

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You will learn why soil is an important resource for plants, animals, and humans.

1) What is a natural resource?

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2) Why do people need soil?

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3) What are the best soils for growing food crops?

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4) What makes the top layer of soil the best for growing plants?

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5) How do trees help protect soil?

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6) What are some things that can cause soil to be lost?

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