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4. the movement of phosphorus from the environment to organisms then back to the environment.
7. A dense visible, visible patch of algae that occurs near the surface of water.
8. the process of breaking down rocks and minerals which releases phosphorus.
9. people often apply this to phosphorus rich nutrient to stimulate and maximize plant growth
10. process during the phosphorus cycle where phosphorus comes back to earth as a liquid.

1. the process of obtaining phosphorus from minerals.
2. when organisms die, their phosphorus is entered back into the soil through a process called:
3. the process of the phosphorus cycle where phosphorus from the land flows to local waterways.
5. _____ absorb phosphates in soil through their roots.
6. Phosphorus is combined with with other molecules to form this in organisms.