

BEHAVIOR/TIPS

YOU CAN HELP KEEP YOUR ENVIRONMENT POLLUTANT FREE BY:

- Not Littering
- Participating in a clean-up event
- Recycling
- Picking up after your pet
- Not overwatering your lawn
- Sweeping up trash, leaves and cut grass from your driveway, sidewalk or patio and putting it in the trash
- Soaking up outdoor spills with towels or cat litter rather than rinsing them with water.
- Reminding your parents to check their cars for leaks.
- Never putting anything into the storm drain. Storm drains are only for rainwater.
- Teaching others how to protect the environment.

Find the Solution to the Pollution

Answer key: 1-G, 2-C, 3-E, 4-H, 5-I, 6-B, 7-F, 8-D, 9-A

Pollution

- A Pet waste
- B Soda cans
- C Used motor oil
- D Candy wrappers
- E Fertilizer and pesticides
- F Washing your car in the driveway
- G Litter in your local waterway
- H Hosing off sidewalks
- I Bathing your pet on concrete

Solution

- _____ 1. Contact your City and ask to volunteer at a cleanup day event
- _____ 2. Recycle at an auto parts store/gas station
- _____ 3. Never use when rain is forecasted
- _____ 4. Pick up after your pet and dispose of it in the trash
- _____ 5. Use a permeable surface such as the lawn
- _____ 6. Recycle them so they can be reused
- _____ 7. Use a commercial car wash where the water is recycled or reused
- _____ 8. Place them in the trash
- _____ 9. Use a broom to sweep up the debris and place it in the trashcan

