

Corangamite Waterwatch Stormwater Trail.

Information for question sheet answers can be found by reading the trail signs.



Stormwater

Stormwater begins asand falls on roofs, roads and gardens. It washes sediment, litter, nutrients and vehicle pollution into the nearest

Sediment.

Inorganic sediment can be sand, dirt, gravel or dust.

Organic sediment can be.....

Sediment in the water can make it TURBID or cloudy. Why don't aquatic plants and animals like living in turbid water?

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Litter

Look at the list of litter; can you list some other litter items?

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What litter do you think might be hidden under the water in Balyang Sanctuary?

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Nutrients

If our waterways are polluted with too many nutrients, what can happen?

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What problems could blue-green algae cause you and your pet?

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Vehicle pollution.

List three pollutants that come from cars, trucks, motorbikes or buses.

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How many different ways could you travel to school?

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Biological filters

Why is this wetland an important place?

What do you like about this wetland?.....

