













Be a Waterway Hero



Join the lines to match up the ways you can help protect our rivers and creeks from pollution. We've done the first one for you!

Pollutant

How to help

<p>Nutrients like nitrogen or phosphorus</p> 	  <p>Use native plants, or a compost or green waste bin</p>
<p>Litter like plastic bottles, straws and wrappers</p> 	  <p>Avoid removing plants and leaving bare ground</p>
<p>Organic material like plants and leaves</p> 	  <p>Avoid using fertilisers and detergents outdoors</p>
<p>Dirt, soil, sand or gravel</p> 	  <p>Use a rubbish or recycling bin</p>

FACTS ABOUT LITTER:

- Stormwater drains carry rain, pollutants and litter to creeks and waterways
- Almost all litter ends up in the ocean
- The most littered item is cigarette butts
- Litter poses a very serious threat to wildlife



Everyone can make a difference – it's as simple as picking up litter!