

Vocabulary

Lesson: How do you build a city out of mud?

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material



wood



stone

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what something is made of, like wood or stone

mixture

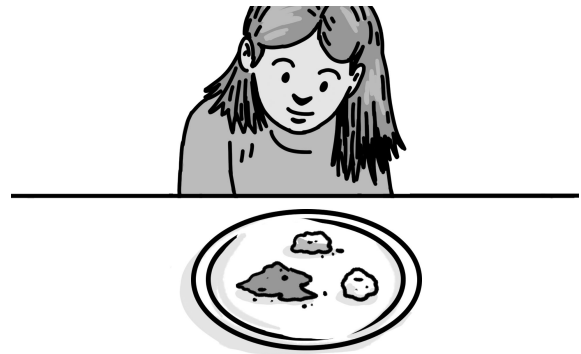


soil + water = mud

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a combination of two or more things

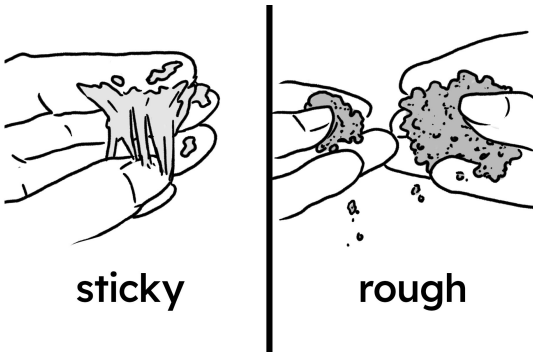
observe



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to pay close attention to something

property



sticky

rough

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something you can observe about an object or material

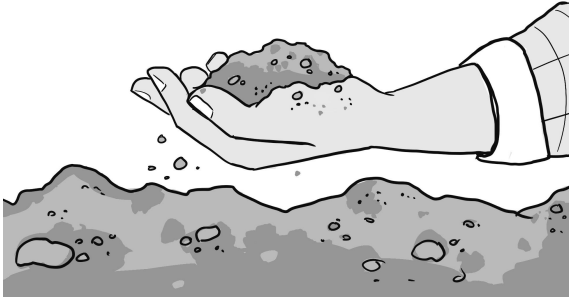
texture



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how something feels to touch, such as rough or smooth

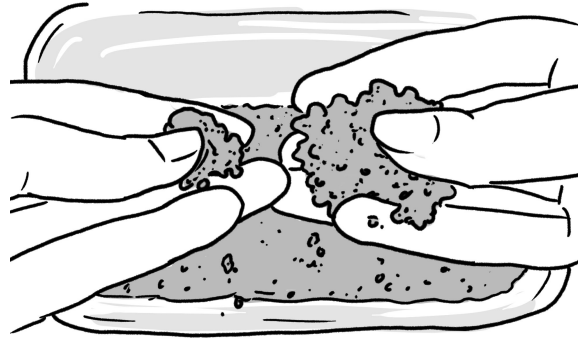
soil



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tiny pieces of rock and other materials that cover the ground

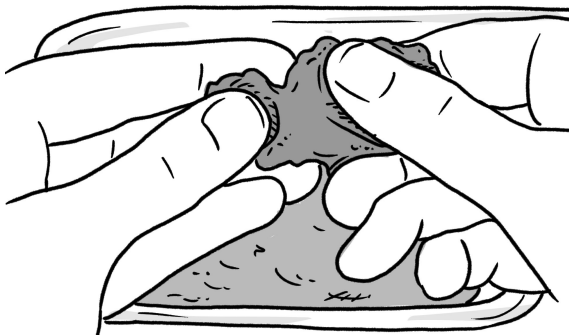
sandy soil



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a type of soil that has a rough texture; water easily flows through it

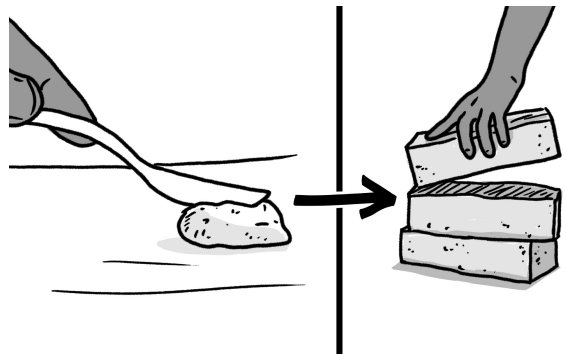
clay soil



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a type of soil that has a smooth texture; water does not easily flow through it

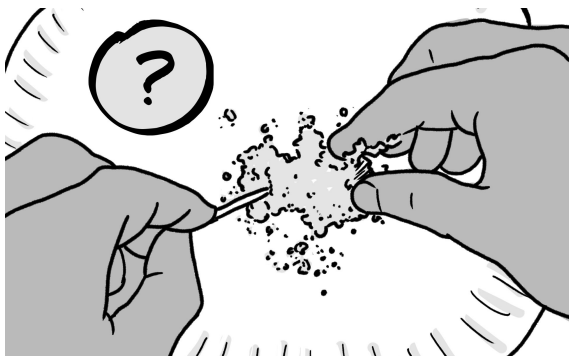
model



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a pretend version of something that scientists use when the real thing is too big, small, or complicated to work with

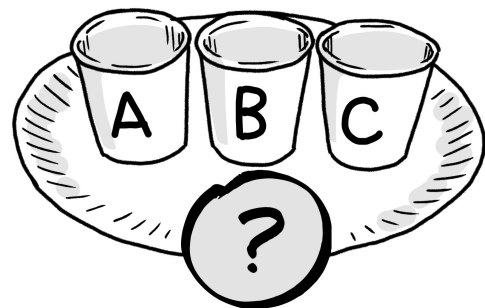
investigate



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to figure out the answer to a question or to understand how something works

experiment



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a test used to discover new information about a question