

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

How Many Years to Disappear?

How long do you think it takes for these items to break down when they are buried in a landfill?

Object	0–1 Year	2–100 Years	100–500 Years	500–1,000 Years	1,000– 1,000,000 Years
Aluminum Soda Can					
Apple Core					
Cotton T-Shirt					
Plastic Water Bottle					
Cardboard Cereal Box					
Leather Sandal					
Wooden Toy Train					
Glass Jar					
Disposable Diaper					
Foam Plastic Cup					

