

## STUDENT WORKSHEET: PHOSPHORUS CYCLE

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=leHy-Y\\_8nRs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=leHy-Y_8nRs)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IBx0zpNoEM>

*What is unique about the Phosphorus cycle?*

*Phosphorus can be found in rocks. When these rocks are weathered through rain and erosion, the phosphorus can enter \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.*

*From either of these 2 locations, the phosphorus is absorbed quickly by \_\_\_\_\_ and then is consumed by \_\_\_\_\_. When these organisms decompose, the phosphorus is returned to the sediment and rock.*

*How have humans affected the Nitrogen and Phosphorus cycles?*

*Draw the phosphorus cycle below.*

