

## Keep Arizona Grand! Don't be a litter bug!

How many litter-related words can you unscramble?

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ittering is when people throw their garbage somewhere instead of putting it in a trash can. People litter when they don't care about the place where they're throwing their trash, or when they think someone else will come and clean up after them.

Not only is litter unsightly to see on the ground, along our highways or in waterways, but this type of pollution hurts people and the planet in multiple ways.

Litter costs money to clean up, it can hurt humans and wildlife, and it also harms the



environment as the chemicals in plastic break down and enter the soil or the water. Litter can wind up in storm drains that could then cause flooding on the roads.

Litter is a problem that can be controlled and YOU CAN HELP make a difference! How can you help?

- Never let trash escape from your car.
  Keep it contained in a bag inside of your vehicle. Find a proper trash container to throw it in, or recycle it if you can. (Did you know that most of the aluminum
  - cans in the United States are made with recycled aluminum?)
- Don't throw apple cores, banana peels or other food parts out the



window. Not only is it ugly, but animals can be attracted to the scent and can cause accidents when crossing the road.

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