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WASTE IN WRONG PLACE - LITTER

LEARNING AREA: Life Orientation

LEARNING OUTCOME 1: Health Promotion

Make informed decisions regarding personal, community and environmental health.

LEARNING OUTCOME 2: Social Development

Demonstrate an understanding of and commitment to constitutional rights and responsibilities, and show an understanding of diverse cultures and religions.

LEARNING OUTCOME 3: Personal development

Use acquired life skills to achieve and extend personal potential to respond effectively to challenges in his or her world.

Integrate with other Learning Areas:

Learning Area	Learning Outcome	Description
Social Sciences	3: Exploring Issues	Make informed decisions about social and environmental issues and problems.

ACTIVITIES

(E = Educator L = Learner)

E	Why people litter Explain: Waste in the right place (i.e., dustbin). Waste in the wrong place (streets, veld and school grounds) is litter.
E	Discuss: Reasons why people litter - in an untidy area, no sense of pride or ownership, it is picked up by someone else, laziness, carelessness, not enough bins or no bins, lack of awareness.
E	Disadvantages of litter Discuss: Negative effects of litter (pollution, health hazard, fire hazard, high cost to pick it up, looks ugly, lowers appearance of neighbourhood/school, harms people, animals and environment).
L	Collect and bring in items of waste from home. Put them in a box.
L	Take turns to put hand in and take out one item. Hold it up and say what harm it could cause if left lying on the ground.

