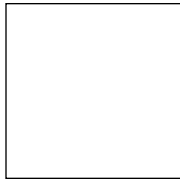


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## Fun Cigarette Litter Quiz!

Whether you smoke or not, this tongue-in-cheek quiz will help you discover if you have a cigarette litter awareness problem.

- The long stretches of sandy areas adjacent to bodies of water are generally known as:  
A. Beaches  
B. Giant coastal ashtrays
- Cigarette butts are biodegradable.  
A. True – they are made of magic material that turns into dirt, sand, or brick depending on where you drop them.  
B. False – they are made of plastic fibers that take many years to decompose.
- The best place to dispose of a cigarette is:  
A. A public ashtray, car ashtray, disposable ashtray, or a standard trash can after “field stripping.”  
B. Wherever you happen to be the exact moment you are finished with it.
- Cigarette butts contain toxic chemicals that leak out into the environment.  
A. True. The filter is specifically designed to trap these chemicals.  
B. False. The filters are non-toxic and nutritious for the infants and animals that may swallow them.
- Cigarette butts make the perfect gardening mulch.  
A. True. The unnatural colors lend contrast to the cedar mulch in public gardens.  
B. False. Cigarette butts turn public gardens into public ashtrays.
- Standing on the edge of the Grand Canyon or other natural wonder, your first reaction is:  
A. What incredible beauty!  
B. What a great place to flick my butt!
- The spaces between sidewalk bricks and concrete slabs are designed to:  
A. Allow the materials to expand and contract in hot and cold weather without cracking  
B. Catch littered cigarette butts and display them for pedestrian viewing

### ANSWERS:

If you actually need to check, you probably didn't pass, but here they are:  
1. A; 2. B; 3. A; 4. A; 5. B; 6. A; 7. A