Does It Absorb Water?

Pre-K-Grade 2 | Materials science | Investigation | Color

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A grown-up places one drop of water on each safe sample. Predict, test, and circle YES if the material takes in water or NO if it stays on top. Wipe spills.

PAPER TOWEL

YES **NO**

WAX PAPER

YES **NO**

SPONGE

YES **NO**

FOIL

YES **NO**

COTTON CLOTH

YES **NO**

PLASTIC LID

YES **NO**

Grown-up check: Typical results: paper towel-yes; wax paper-no; sponge-yes; foil-no; cotton cloth-yes; plastic lid-no. Results may vary with coatings and materials.

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