



Some uses of soil are agriculture, building material, pottery, medicine, and beauty products.

[http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/htbg/module1/soil\\_types1.shtml](http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/htbg/module1/soil_types1.shtml)

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## Save the soil



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Soil is a mixture of organic matter. The soil contains important nutrients that help plants grow. Native plants can grow in the soil and put nutrients in the soil after they die. The soil can then be used to grow non native plants that we can eat.

Soil is made up of 4 components. It is 25 percent air, 45 percent minerals, 25 percent water and 5 percent organic matter.



There are 6 main kinds of soil. These soils are clay, sandy, silty, peaty, chalky and loamy.

The soil you have depends on the area in which you live.