

HOME/SCHOOL CONNECTION

Investigation 3: Bits and Pieces

Soak, Slide, or Pile Up?

Compare what happens when you drop a spoonful of different materials on a paper towel. You might try water, rice, milk, flour, cornmeal, or dry beans. Then try the same materials on a different surface, such as plastic wrap or foil.

What did you observe?

Material	Solid or liquid	On paper towel	On other surface
Water			
Rice			