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Rot Happens!

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What causes food to rot?
 - a) Bacteria and fungi
 - b) Sunlight
 - c) Air pressure
 - d) Freezing

2. Which is a sign of a chemical change in rotting food?
 - a) It gets colder
 - b) It gets washed
 - c) It smells bad
 - d) It dries out

3. What do bacteria do to food?
 - a) Freeze it
 - b) Clean it
 - c) Heat it up
 - d) Break it down

4. Why does food rot faster in warm places?
 - a) There's more light
 - b) Bacteria work faster in heat
 - c) The food is drier
 - d) The air is cleaner

5. What is compost made from?
 - a) Plastic and glass
 - b) Old fruits, veggies, and leaves
 - c) Rocks and sand
 - d) Paper and metal