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Cloud Catching: Student Assessment

Rashawn wants to figure out a way to watch what is happening in the soil, one foot under the surface of the ground. Specifically, he would like to see a 5" x 5" area of a local park.

(1) Design a product that could address Rashawn's need. Make a detailed, labeled drawing on a separate sheet of paper.

(2) List the materials that would be used in this product.

(3) What are the limitations of this design? List and explain each one separately.

(4) If Rashawn is a 7th grader, do you think he would be able to make and implement this design? Explain.

(5) If Rashawn is an adult who works at a local garden store, do you think he would be able to make and implement this design? Explain.

(6) If you answered "No" to questions 4 and 5, please describe the conditions under which Rashawn *would* be able to make and implement this design.