DATE: NAME: CLASS:

| CHAPTER 2 | The Phosphorus Cycle Activity | BLM 2.2.13 |
|---|---|---|
| HANDOUT | | |

Answer the following questions in the space provided.

1. Draw the phosphorus cycle in the space provided below.

2. Identify the form of phosphorus that plants can use.

_____

3. Unlike nitrogen, carbon, and sulfur, phosphorus is not found in which component of the biosphere?

_____

4. Explain how excess phosphorus can be harmful to an aquatic ecosystem.

_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____
_____

Copyright © 2007, McGraw-Hill Ryerson Limited, a subsidiary of the McGraw-Hill Companies. All rights reserved.
This page may be reproduced for classroom use by the purchaser of this book without the written permission of the publisher.