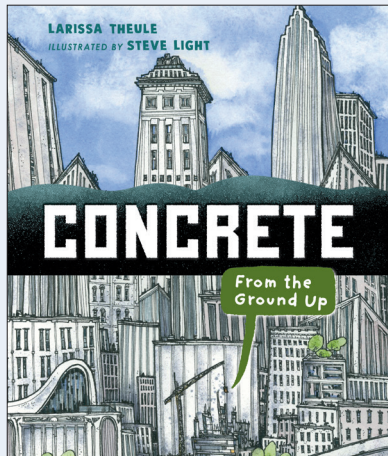


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- Take the class on a walk around the school grounds or the neighborhood and see how many things you can find that are made from concrete.
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