Eutrophication exercise

Match the pictures with the description of the stages of eutrophication

Fertilisers and nutrients are washed off the land by rain into rivers and lochs.

Nutrients (a limiting factor) cause water plants and algae to grow exponentially.

Sunlight is prevented from entering the water column, photosynthesising plants and organisms die.

The decomposing organisms are broken down by bacteria and use up even more oxygen in the water. Death of the ecosystem.

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