

### Tracking Log Instructions:

- All teams begin at START. Collect number card 1 or number card 2.
- Follow the instructions on the card. When the instructions offer a choice of number cards to move to next, **choose as a team**.
- At the next station, collect a card and follow the instructions. Continue until time is up.
- Place all cards the team collects in the plastic bag provided.
- At each station, the Data Scientists will record the number card chosen, what happened (e.g., got eaten, decomposed), and which number card the team will go to next. If the team chooses a number card that says, "Go back to START," record this too.
- **Note: the number card the team chooses to move to next must be recorded in the new row.**

### Example of how to record your information:

| What number card did the team chose? | Summarize what happened | What number card will the team go to next? |
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| 1                                    | Became leaf litter      | ③  |
| ③                                    | Broken down by bacteria | ?  |
| ?                                    | Decomposed              | Back to START                              |