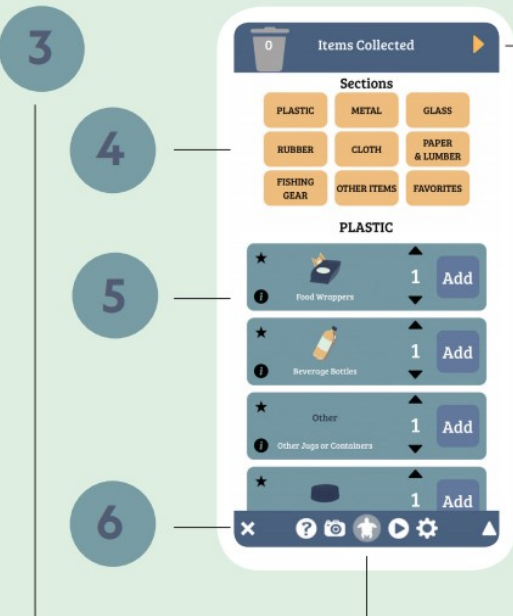


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1. **Download** the Marine Debris Tracker app from the Apple or Google Play store onto your device.
2. Open the app and click **Start Tracking** to begin. You can select an organization to track with, or if not sure, choose NOAA.
3. Click the button at the bottom to **set up a user account**. This enables you to keep track of your own data and also view and download the data online. Here you can also link your account to SciStarter or Facebook.
4. Select the type of item you want to add from the categories. Use the arrows above/below the number to change the amount, or type directly over the number, and click **add** to save the item and GPS coordinates. The button at the bottom right will take you back to the top. Note: While logging debris, there's no need to be on a wi-fi network.
5. You can select the button to add a description or see information about the item.
6. Other buttons along the bottom include:
 - to end your session
 - to go to the MDT website
 - to log a photo of litter collected
 - to enable or disable Pathlogging, tracking locational data which is useful in statistical analysis
 - to view the GPS accuracy of your phone
7. When finished logging, select the button at top left to check your data and Pathlog. Check what you've logged and click **submit**. You can then submit the data to upload to the open data publicly accessible database, or **save session** to upload once you're in a place with access to internet or data. Your location is kept private, because usernames are not visible in our online map.