• Answerable questions

(Are they framed in a way that you can answer them with a study? “Why” questions can be difficult to answer directly!)

• Comparative questions

(A comparison will help you focus on answerable questions)

• Alluring questions

(They don’t have an obvious answer; the answers will be useful or interesting)

• Simple questions

(Can you explain them to others? Can you design a practical study to answer them?)

Reflecting on Your Questions (with a Partner)

1. Describe your mini-landscape and read your questions to each other, from your notebook

2. Discuss which 1 or 2 questions each of you wrote, which seem to best meet all 4 criteria

3. Circle those in your notebook (or mark with an asterisk)

4. Rewrite 1 of those questions with your partner’s help

Names:

Revised partner 1 question:

Revised partner 2 question:

New question incorporating phenology and campus landscapes: