





#### **Overview**

S.E.A. Aquarium aims to acquaint children with the majestic oceans and their inhabitants, as well as to explore the interconnectedness between our lives and various aquatic habitats that are right here in or around Singapore.

We hope to instil values in children to make Singapore waters a safer and better place for the marine community. Through tiny tweaks to their daily routines, children can take action by exploring and understanding some of the possible effects of our daily actions on the marine community, and co-create or realise ideas to protect the marine animals and their homes.

This Parent Resource Guide is specially created by S.E.A. Aquarium for you and your child to explore the marine environment in the comfort of your home. We hope that this guide also fulfills its intents to engage your child meaningfully and facilitate bonding during this stay-home period.



The S.E.A.A. Education and Engagement team would love to view the artworks created by you and your child. Please send all completed artworks to your respective preschool centre's principal in digital form, he/she will get in touch with us from there.

# Parent Resource Guide Activity 1 - DIY "Bring Your Own" Flyer

With the on-going Covid-19 situation, we are encouraged to use our own containers for takeaway food. Here is an activity that allows children to find out why single-use plastics are bad for the marine environment. Together with your help, create flyers together to educate neighbours and friends!



- 1 Introduce poster to your child.
- 2 Allow children to explore the illustrations on poster.
  - Zoom in on the various litter types and try to identify the plastic litter.
- 3 Ask questions to engage your child.
  - What will happen to the ocean if there are so many plastics?
  - Do you think plastic is bad for the animals?
- 4 Do some research together using the internet on the topic of ocean plastics (with parents' assistance).
  - https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/
  - https://oceana.org/marine-life



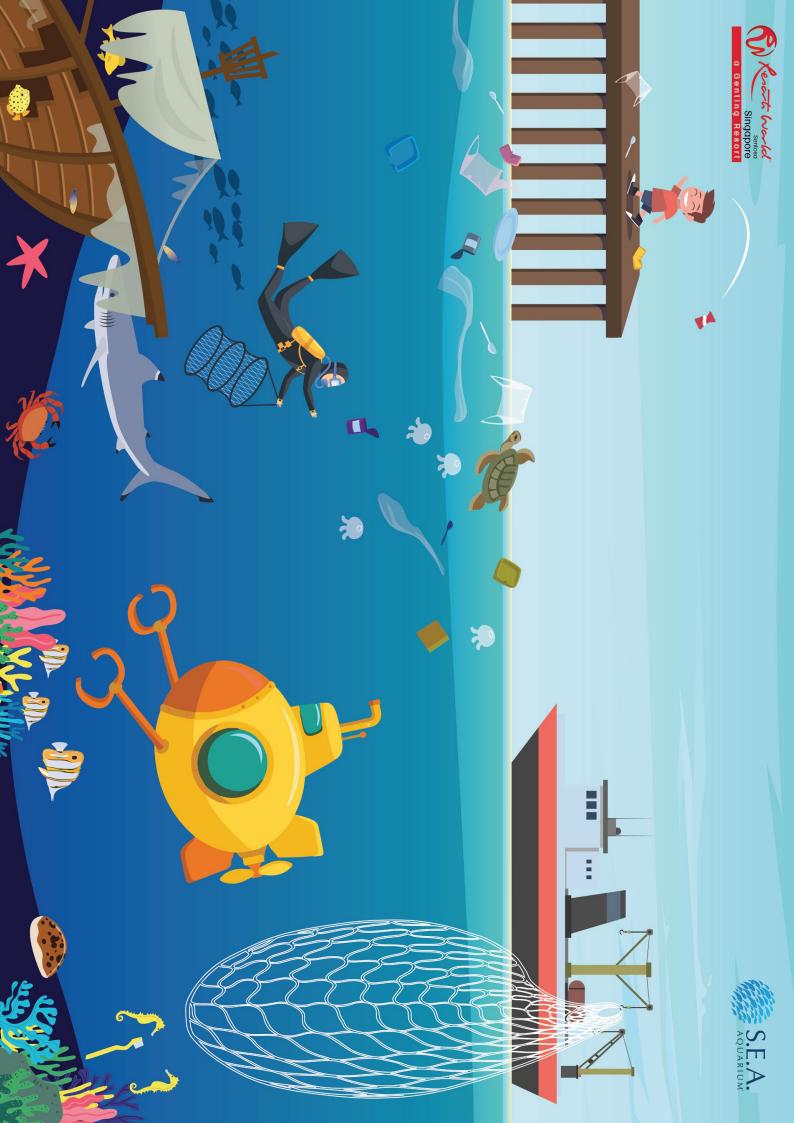
# Parent Resource Guide Activity 2 - Create Your Own Storybook

Children enjoy reading storybooks! The ocean is home to many fascinating animals, each with its unique story to tell. It's time to create a story together and for the children to shine with their creativity and expression of ideas.



- 1 Introduce poster to your child.
- 2 Allow children to explore the illustrations on poster.
  - Zoom in on the illustrations to bring up different marine topics.
  - Topics: Littering, Plastic Pollution, Overfishing, Specific marine animal.
- 3 Find out questions that your child has while looking at the poster.
- 4 Research online together parent's assistance.
- 5 Create a story based on your child's chosen topic and design a book together!
  - Challenge yourself: Create a poem or make it a wordless storybook!

TIP:
TAKE A VIDEO OF YOU AND
YOUR CHILD READING
YOUR STORYBOOK!



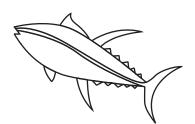




### A Healthy Ocean Starts With You



#### **BRING YOUR OWN**









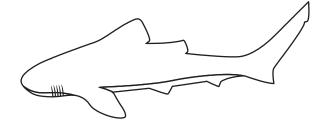






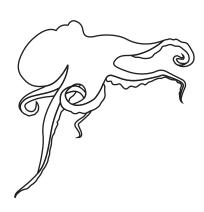


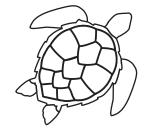


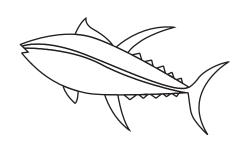


















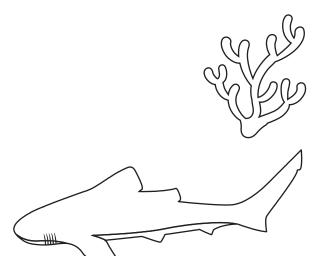














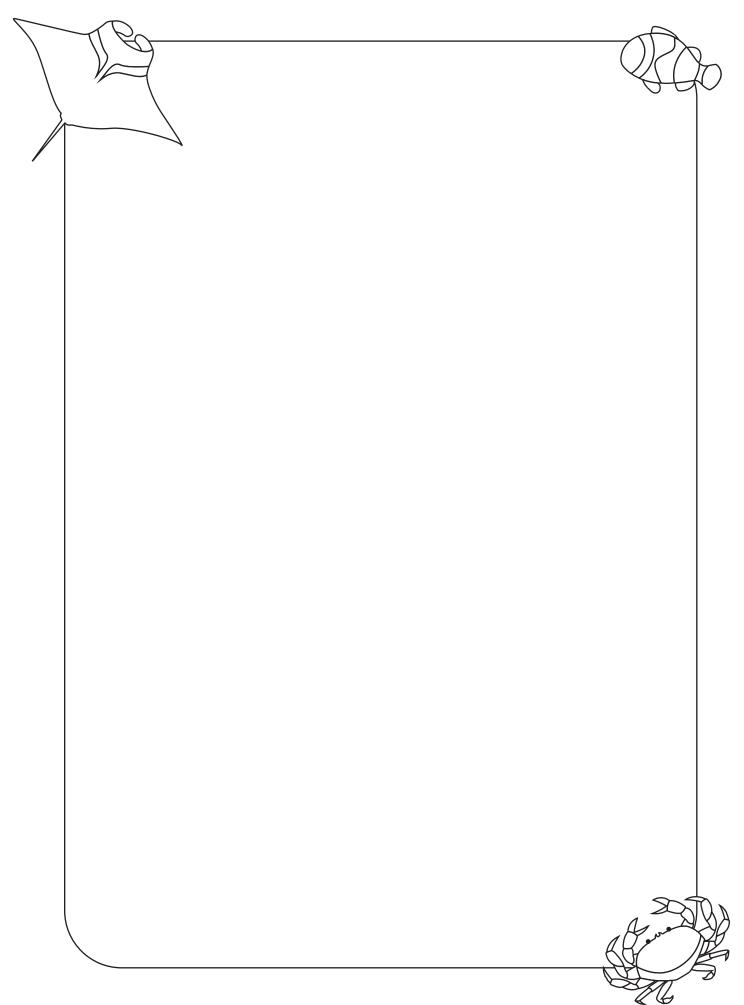


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