



OCEAN HEALTH IN OUR HANDS | ADDITIONAL VIDEO RESOURCES



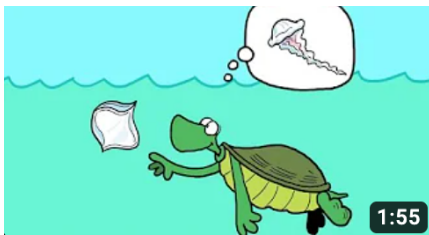
Why Are Microbeads Dangerous?

Duration: 1:32

Video Description: Change is Simple talks about one of the major pollutants to our local fresh and saltwater that comes from everyday products like face wash. Microbeads, though tiny, affect marine animals in a big way. This video is an excellent follow up to our ocean food chains and pollution lessons because it highlights a place for a simple change!

Video Reflection Questions:

- What are two reasons microbeads are bad?
- What are some microbead alternatives?



What is Marine Debris?

Duration: 1:55

Video Description: A cartoon explanation of what marine debris is and the negative effect it has on all life (including fish and humans).

Video Reflection Questions:

- What is an example of marine debris?
- What are a few ways marine debris is bad for humans and other animals?



How Much Plastic is in the Ocean?

Duration: 4:54

Video Description: Ocean plastic pollution is a massive environmental problem. Millions of tons of plastic waste enter the ocean every year, even plastic that goes in the trash can often ends up in the sea! Learn how this happens and how we can avoid adding to this issue!*

*At 4:18, he suggests avoiding straws saying that avoiding straws “doesn’t suck.”



Video Reflection Questions:

- Where do microplastics come from? Why are they hard to get rid of?
- How can you prevent how much plastic ends up in our oceans?