



## *Once Upon a Tide* Student Worksheet

Help Olive learn about how the ocean protects humans, and the threats that it faces. When you watch *Once Upon a Tide* with your class, follow along with the story by filling in the fifteen blank terms in this worksheet.

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Once Upon a Tide is the tale of a \_\_\_\_\_ that has been cast over a town. This has caused everyone to forget about \_\_\_\_\_, all except for a little girl. Though she has never been to the sea, she heard the call of the ocean from a shell. The shell showed the girl that the ocean nurtured all life on the planet, by providing \_\_\_\_\_ to most of the plants and animals on earth. The ocean provides \_\_\_\_\_ for millions, and touches all people on the globe by controlling the \_\_\_\_\_.

The shell told the girl that as the ocean suffered, then \_\_\_\_\_ would, too. Less fish would be available, because of \_\_\_\_\_. Of the remaining fish, many were filled with toxic \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ for millions of people was in trouble.

The scientists offered warnings. They said that the ocean was \_\_\_\_\_ and humans could lose \_\_\_\_\_. They also said that the \_\_\_\_\_ were changing. The future was at risk!

The spell has a weakness: that it was created by \_\_\_\_\_ ignoring the importance of the ocean. Then, the girl realized that all she has to do was \_\_\_\_\_, and to learn to \_\_\_\_\_ to the ocean.