



Ocean Challenge

Teaching Guides

I want to host: **a special full-day event**



I'm in! I want to bring this to the community.



Here's a road map to help you choose resources to build a great Challenge experience for your community. Before getting started, make sure you've registered your team at www.studentsrebuild.org/register.

Time	Activity	Resource
10 min	<p>Introduce the Days Event and the Ocean Challenge Welcome attendees, orient them to the schedule and watch the Ocean Challenge Intro video.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ocean Challenge Intro video
15 min	<p>Explain how the Challenge works Share the Ocean Challenge Overview as a take home sheet if you're able to print a copy for each attendee. If not, you can talk them through it.</p> <p>If you've already registered, you can show your team where they are on the map. If you haven't registered yet, come up with a fun name together!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Challenge Overview
1-3 hrs	<p>Diving into Ocean Learning Lead attendees through one or more of these learning tools focused on the ocean. Watch videos of individual stories of young people working to support ocean health.</p> <p><i>Veta's Story highlights a young Montserratian woman's quest to support the local children to become ocean advocates.</i></p> <p><i>Hannah's Story highlights a 15-year-old in Georgia who lives hours from the coast but makes big waves for the ocean right from her local community.</i></p> <p>For lesson plans, explore the recommended list of tools based on the average age of attendees.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Veta's Story: Video and Discussion Guides • Hannah's Story: Video and discussion guides <p>Recommended learning resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elementary • Middle School • High School
1 hr	<p>Lunch Break Try hosting an "Ocean Impact" lunch! Invite attendees to bring a waste-free lunch OR provide lunch that is single-use plastic free with compostable serving products. You can also share facts about sustainable seafood consumption for attendees to consider.</p>	



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2 hrs	<p>Art Making Workshop</p> <p>Show the Making Ocean Art Inspiration video.</p> <p>Have attendees brainstorm what kind of ocean creature they will create. You may use ideas from our art-making guide, suggest your own, or let attendees choose.</p> <p>Encourage the use of recycled materials and invite attendees to reflect on the threats facing their sea creature.</p> <p>*Bonus idea! Consider having your attendees co-create a reef or marine ecosystem that displays all their sea creatures. We love local displays! You can always send us a digital photo of your creations during the submission process and still have it count towards our goal.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Making Ocean Art Inspiration video• Making Ocean Art Guide <p>Recycled materials and supplies needed for art making</p>
1 hr	<p>Reflection and Closing</p> <p>Count and collect attendee art for submission. Submission can be done online at: www.studentsrebuild.org/submit.</p> <p>If you are able to submit online during the event, you will be able to see on your Team Dashboard page the amount of funding you helped raise to support coastal communities and ocean conservation. If not, you can easily calculate the amount your team raised (number of sea creatures x \$2 = Your team's donation).</p> <p>As you wrap up, ask your team to consider one thing they might do to impact the ocean. Hand out participation certificates.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Participation certificate

Full-Day Event