

Protect our Waterways

Wordsearch Challenge

Can you find the hidden words! They can be found in every direction!

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HABITAT

BOAT
BEACH
BIN
POLLUTION
SEAGULL

NATURE
RIVER
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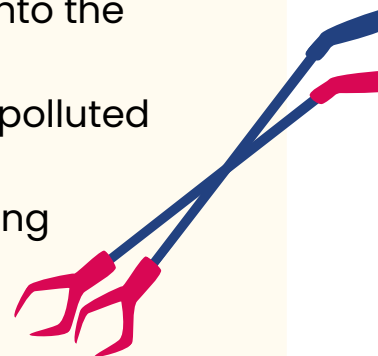
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PLASTIC
RECYCLE
FISH
LITTERPICK

PROTECT OUR WATERWAYS!

Litter is a BIG problem—but we can ALL be part of the solution. If every person picked up just one bag of litter a week, we could remove millions of pieces of waste from our environment every single year! Imagine the difference we could make together!

DID YOU KNOW?

- 14 million pieces of plastic pass through UK waterways into the ocean every year.
- Rivers like the Thames and Mersey are among the most polluted in the country.
- Plastic can take hundreds of years to break down, harming wildlife and polluting ecosystems.



WHY IS MATTERS

Litter in rivers doesn't just stay there—it flows into the sea, where it can trap, choke, and poison animals. Fish, birds, and even whales are affected by the plastic we leave behind. It doesn't just hurt wildlife—plastic pollution can also make its way into the food chain, and even into our bodies.

Making a difference is easier than you think. Start by being mindful of your rubbish. If you see litter and it's safe to do so, pick it up. Choosing reusable water bottles and bags, saying no to single-use plastic, and helping spread the word all make a real impact. You don't need to be perfect—just doing something is a big step in the right direction.

 Be a Waterway Champion!

