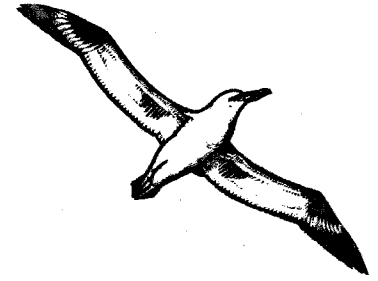


# Getting Involved



## Lesson at a Glance

Students will develop a project or produce a product that helps create awareness about a local environmental issue.

## Objectives

Students will

- Identify local environmental issues.
- Develop an awareness project about one of the issues.

## Materials Needed

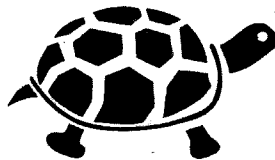
This would vary depending on the project.

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## TOPIC "Getting Involved"

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Collecting Data	Describe the issue. Explain who/what is impacted and how.	Describes the issue or problem.	Identifies issue or problem.	Picks a topic	
Drawing Conclusions	Creates a plan to carry out the solution.	Lists things that need to be considered to be able to carry out the solution.	Identifies a solution.	Begins brainstorming.	
Organizing Information	Creates a rough draft of the project or plan of action.	Organize information on a chart or diagram	Write a description of the issue and the solution	Begin brainstorming ideas.	
Final Product	Presents or carries out the project in an organized or creative manner.	Develops the project or the product, includes the issue and solution.	Sketch/story board of the project.	Describes the product.	
				Total Score	

