

# **Plastic Pollution - Comprehension Solutions (level 2)**

1. How much plastic is estimated to enter our oceans every year?

It is estimated that up to 12 million tonnes of plastic enters our oceans every year.

2. What percentage of rubbish that enters our oceans comes from everyday items that we use on land?

## 80% of that rubbish comes from everyday items on land

3. Circle the correct answer. After everyday items that we use on land, what is the second largest contributor of rubbish to our oceans:

#### (b) fishing and shipping

4. List some of the ways in which rubbish can travel from land to the ocean:

#### Wind and animals can carry rubbish to the beach

Or

### Rubbish can travel down drains and rivers

5. What are some things that were listed that you can do to help with the rubbish problem?

Say NO to single use plastics, use eco friendly and reusable alternatives and always pick up litter whenever you see it.