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MEET THE BUBBLE BUDDIES



ORESTIS

A fun-loving, friendly Clownfish, Orestis is always ready for an adventure or to help a buddy in need.



ATHENA

The singing star of Bubble Buddies Bay, Athena is a talented Flying Fish who will wow you with a tune and her endless sparkle.



APOLLO

Adventure, food and more food are Apollo's favourite things. Always ready for some fun, Apollo is a Red-mouthed Goby who will play all day long! Until dinner time that is.



TERESA

A gentle and hard-working Green Sea Turtle, Teresa is happy to help. With her great sense of direction, she can easily guide you home too!



SOPHIA

Clever and quick, Sophia is a Seahorse who has all the answers and will help you work out any problem.



DIMITRA

Dimitra the Octopus is caring, kind and a great cook! She loves to look after the other Bubble Buddies. Plus, if you need something done - just ask Dimitra!



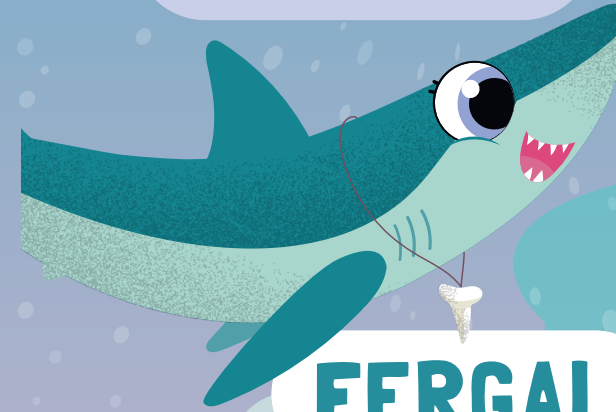
ATLAS

The oldest, wisest fish in Bubble Buddies Bay, visit Atlas the Anglerfish in his mysterious cave if you're looking for advice.



THEO

As a Sea Urchin, Theo is smaller than his friends, but he has a big personality. He's always ready for adventure and is just as brave as the larger Bubble Buddies.



FERGAL

This big scary Blue Shark is really a gentle giant. Kind and friendly, Fergal loves his pals more than anything else in the sea.



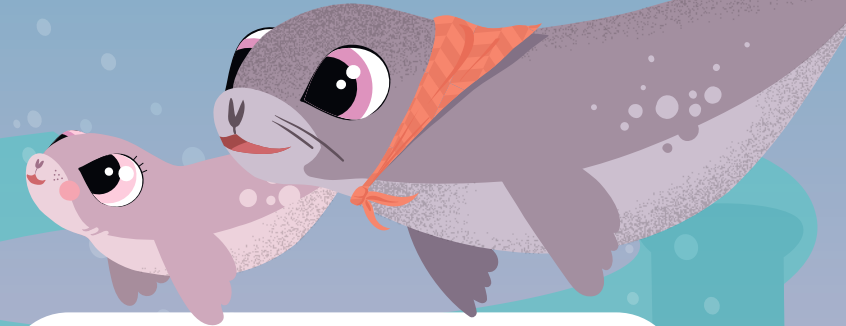
HERMIE

Hermie the Hermit Crab needs a new shell every time he grows, but he's happy to recycle his old one to a smaller hermit crab in need.



CARCI

Carci the Crab has lots of special skills including being able to cut with her sharp claws, and scuttle up onto land.



MARIA & ELPIDA

These two Monk Seals are rare and wonderful. Maria is a new mother and Elpida is the youngest Bubble Buddy ever!



JEWEL

Stories? Jewel the Jellyfish has plenty. She is bioluminescent so she can also glow eerily or even light your way.



LEON

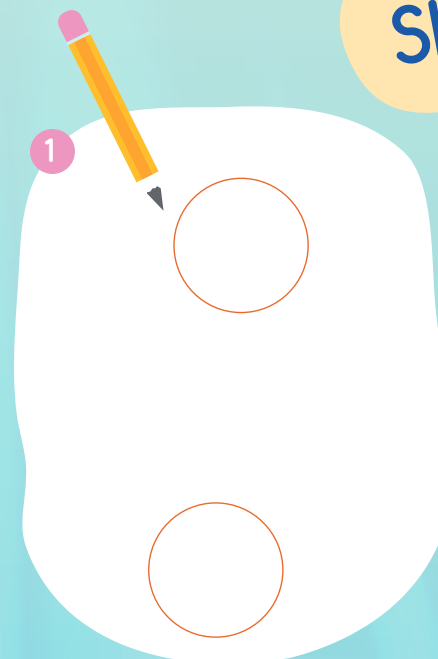
Slow but fancy, Leon the Lionfish is a smooth talker who is not afraid to use his spines when action is required.

Match the Bubble Buddies

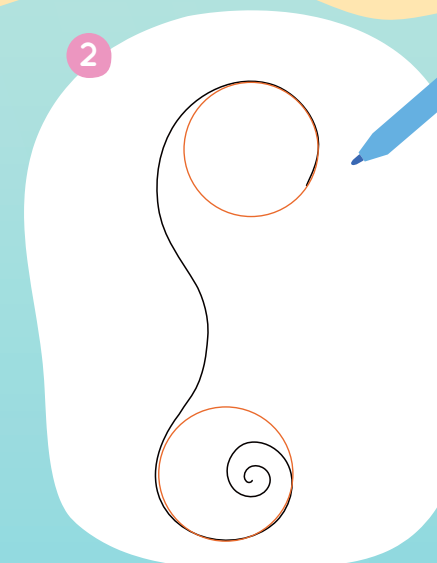
Draw a line from each Bubble Buddy to their matching real life sea creature!



Sketch Sophia



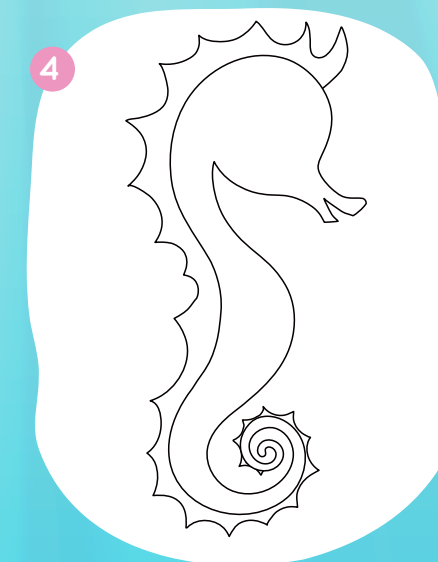
Use a pencil to draw two circles.



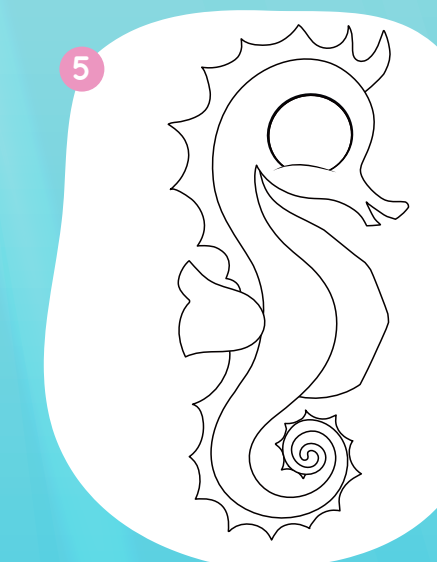
With a pen, draw Sophia's back and spiral tail.



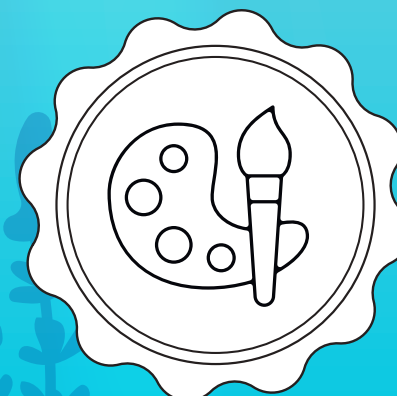
Fill in Sophia's face and front. Rub out the pencil lines!



Draw a spikey fin down her back and tail.



Draw in her eyes, tummy and fin.



Now you can draw Sophia! Colour in your artist's badge.

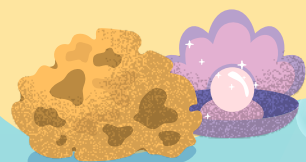
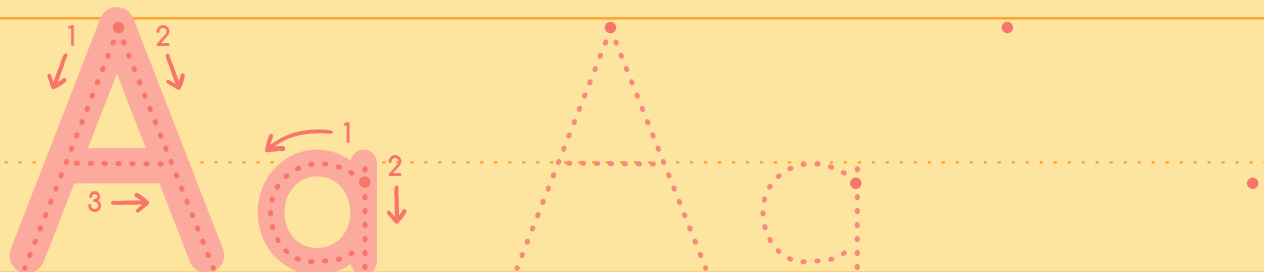
6 Then complete the details like eyes, glasses and scales!





A is for Apollo

Apollo is learning to write his name.
Practice writing the letter A with him!



Mindful Colouring

Colouring slowly and carefully can help you feel calm and happy, like gentle waves in the sea.



Problem Plastic

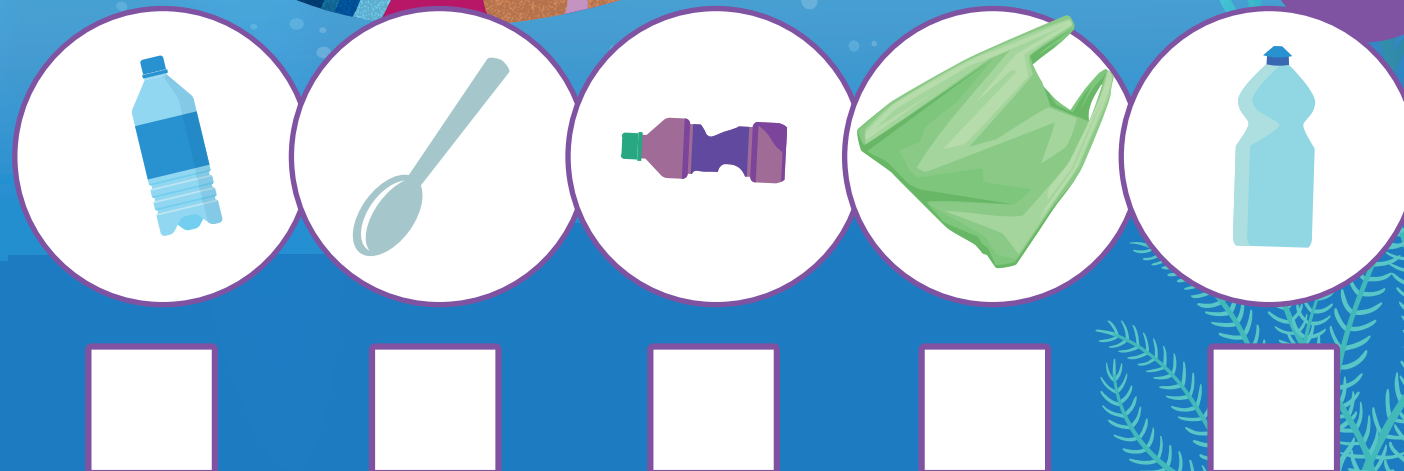
Uh oh, plastic is littering the Bay.
Can you find all 5 pieces before they cause any harm?

Sad Fact

More than 5 TRILLION pieces of plastic are in our oceans



Tick the box when you find one!



Little Lost Clownfish



It is a warm day in the waters of Bubble Buddies Bay and Carci the Crab is strolling along the golden sand when she spots something dreadful up ahead.

"Oh no!
That fish is
stuck in a
plastic bag!"

Carci quickly gets to work
snipping at the bag to
free the little fish.



"Thank you
for snipping
me free! I'm...
nobody. Just a
Clownfish"

"I'm Carci
the Crab,
what's your
name?"

"A clownfish
with no name?
Clownfish live in
warm waters of the
reef... not here in
the Aegean. Are
you lost?"

"Yes, I'm
trying to get
home. Can
you help
me?"

Carci takes the clownfish to the rest of
the Bubble Buddies for help. They discuss
over dinner the best plan of action.



"This is
what
happened..."



"I lived in a human house on the edge of the bay."

"The little human who looked after me put my bowl on the window ledge."

"But a seagull swooped down and tried to eat me! My bowl tipped right over and I dropped straight into your bay."

"We'll head to the human houses right now. Let's go everyone!"

As Athena flies out of the water with the clownfish hanging onto her tail, they see a sad sight - the humans have already replaced the clownfish with a new pet.

"Oh no, now I'm all alone."

"You're not alone. You have all of us and now you're one of the Bubble Buddies!"

"And I think I have a name for you."

Orestis!"

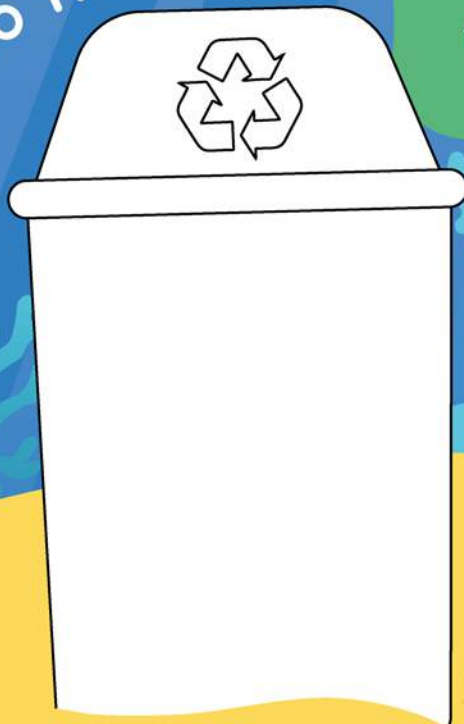
"Fin-tastic!"

Hurry Home

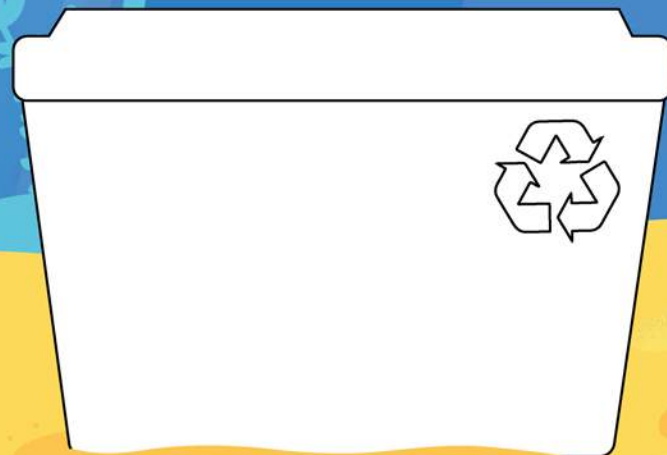
Orestis has been out exploring his new home in Bubble Buddies Bay! But now he can't find his way back, can you help him?



Ready to Recycle



Can you think of some things that can be recycled? Draw them inside the bins!



Clownfish Colours

Here's Orestis in his original home!
Use some bright colours to decorate his bowl.



Scan for more free colouring & activities!

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Colour Carci by Numbers



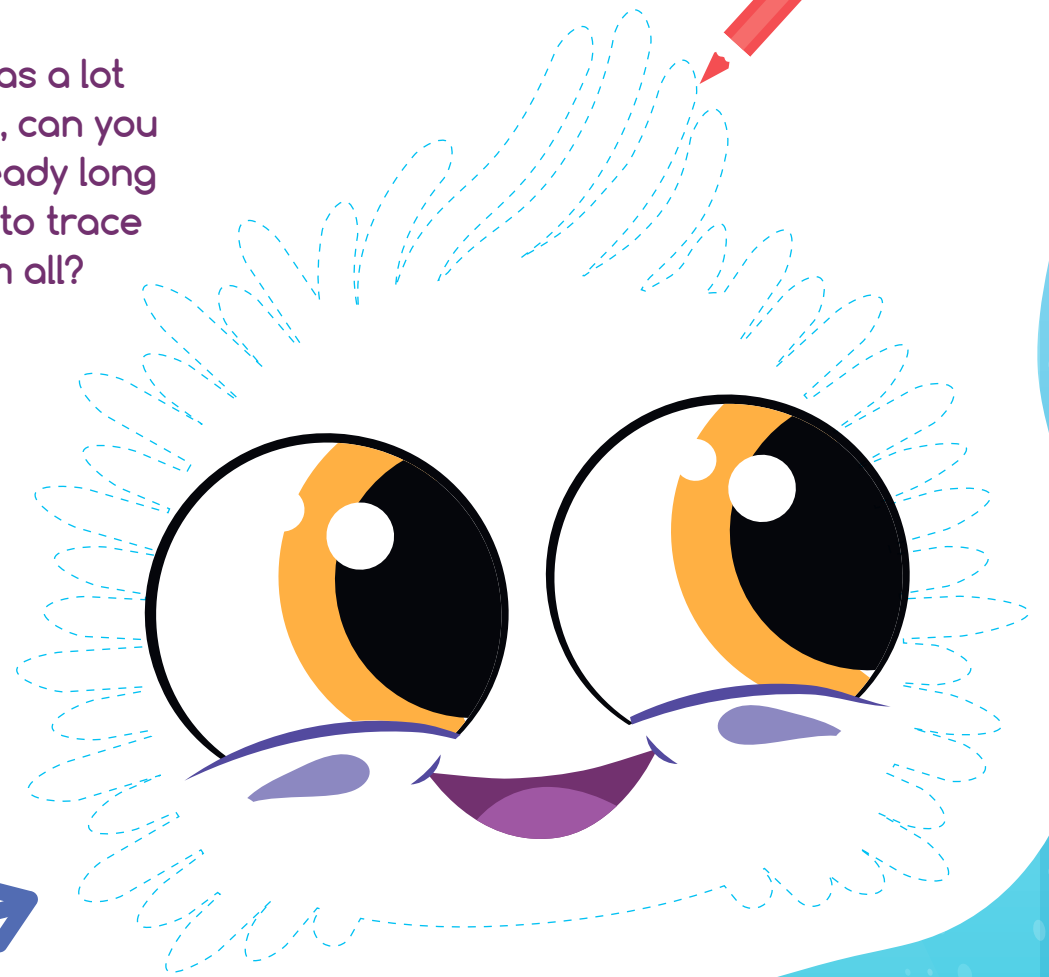
Clean Up Maze

The kids are going to help clean the path down to the beach. Get them to the beach, pick up all the litter on the way!



Pencil Challenge

Theo has a lot of spines, can you keep steady long enough to trace them all?



Pattern Play

"Can you help me finish off my patterns?"

Draw the next object in the box to complete the pattern



Helping Hermie



Fun Fact

Hermit Crabs have one big claw used for fighting, eating and climbing.

On the beach, under the hot Greek sun, Hermie the Hermit Crab is trying to find a new shell having outgrown his old one.

Just then, his buddy Carci the Crab scuttles over.

"Hi Hermie, I can see you're moving shells today. How's it going?"



"Not good at all, Carci. The only one I can find has a hole in it!"

There just aren't that many shells around any more."



Meanwhile Anastasia and Yanni are doing a beach clean - picking up all the litter that has been left on the sand and in the tide pools.



Hermie spots a piece of litter that looks like it might be a great shell, he crawls inside but then...

"Argh! This shell is even worse. Help!"





Fun Fact

Hermit crabs have their eyes on tiny stalks!

A short while later...

"I'll never collect shells again."

"We could always collect them and leave them on the beach near the tide pools."

"Cool!"

"Yanni! It's a hermit crab! The poor thing's in a bottle lid."

"No, it's not cool, Yanni! They have to protect their delicate tummies, you know - he needs a shell."

"I have plenty of shells at home, I'll get them."

Yanni runs home to get his shell collection, keen to help a hermit crab in trouble.

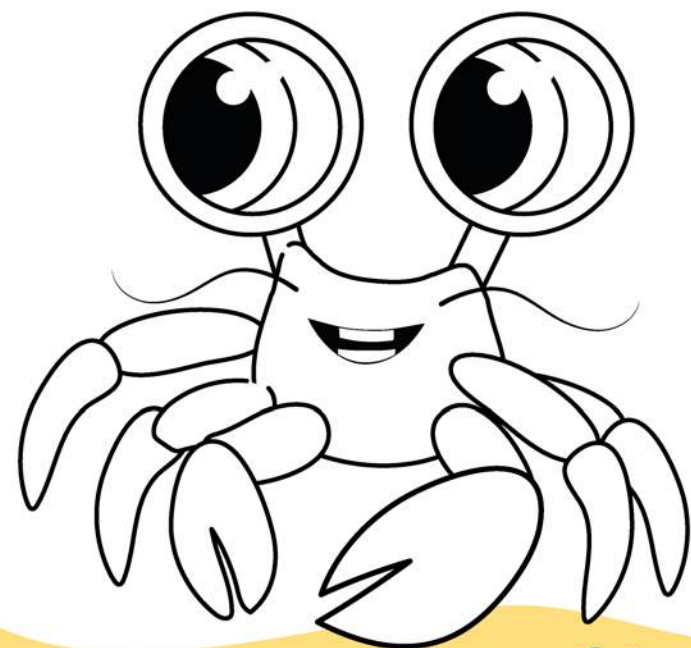
"Look, here's a perfect one! Thanks kids."

"Home sweet home."

"Fin-tastic!"

Crab Creation

Design and decorate a brand new shell for Hermie!



Shiny Shells

Write the correct number in each box to complete the shell quiz.



Which shell is:

Biggest?

Yellow?

Smallest?

Longest?

Red?

Spikey?

Spotty?

Your favourite?

Fun Facts

Sometimes hermit crabs form a line and swap shells in size order. It's called a "vacancy chain!"

Litter Pick

Help Anastasia and Yanni find all the litter:
Circle every piece of rubbish. There are 10 to find!



Learn more
about cool
hermit crabs
on Sophia's
blog!

