

Plastic Entanglements Ecology, Aesthetics, Materials

Educator's Guide

Books and Additional Resources



BOOKS for Adults

Plastic: A Toxic Love Story. By Susan Freinkel. Boston, Mass.: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2011

Plastic Free: How I Kicked the Plastic Habit and How You Can Too. By Beth Terry. New York, NY: Skyhorse Publishing, 2015.

Life without plastic: the practical step-by-step guide to avoiding plastic to keep your family and the planet healthy. By Chantal Plamondon and Jay Sinha. Salem, MA: Page Street, 2017.

Microplastic Pollutants. By Christopher B Crawford. Elsevier, 2016.

Plastic ocean: how a sea captain's chance discovery launched a determined quest to save the oceans. By Charles Moore. Avery, 2011.

Plastic Soup: An Atlas of Ocean Pollution. By Michiel Roscam Abbing. Island Press, 2019.

BOOKS for Children and Young Adults

What Milly Did: The Remarkable Pioneer of Plastics Recycling. By Elise Moser. Toronto, Can.: Groundwood Books/House of Anansi Press, 2016.

The Adventures of a Plastic Bottle: A Story About Recycling. By Alison Inches. New York, NY: Little Simon, 2009.

Sullie Saves the Seas, By Goffinet McLaren. Pawleys Island, SC: Prose Press, 2012

Recycled Science. By Tammy Enz. North Mankato, Minn.: Capstone Young Readers, 2017.

VIDEOS

Bag It: Is Your Life Too Plastic? Reel Thing Films; a film by Suzan Beraza ; directed by Suzan Beraza ; produced by Suzan Beraza & Michelle Hill and Alexa Warren ; written by Michelle Curry Wright, 2010.

The Story of Plastics - Videos from the Story of Stuff project

<https://storyofstuff.org/the-story-of-plastic/the-story-of-plastic-videos/>

Your Bottle Means Jobs

<https://vimeo.com/190005789>

ON THE WEB

NOAA Marine Debris

<https://marinedebris.noaa.gov/>

NOAA Marine Debris plans in the Great Lakes

<https://marinedebris.noaa.gov/great-lakes-land-based-marine-debris-action-plan>

From Public Media, 8 minutes video

<http://www.scitechnow.org/videos/marine-garbage-patches-taking-toll-ecosystem/#>

Places in the kitchen to reduce plastic footprint

<https://zerowastechef.com/2017/05/28/start-here/>

All educator materials related to teaching about the art and science of plastics through the *Plastic Entanglements* exhibition can be found <http://go.wisc.edu/artscienceplastic>

For any questions about these activities, please feel free to contact Anne Moser at the UW Madison, Wisconsin Water Library. She can be reach at akmoser@aqu.wisc.edu or (608) 262-3069.