

BIBLIOGRAPHY

THE YEAR OF THE GRAY WHALE FOR SEA: Oceanography and Marine Biology - Grade 7

This partially annotated bibliography has been selected as an entree to the many resources available to further your study of the topics covered in *The Year of the Whale.* A few of the titles listed are out of print, but worthwhile enough for you to check for them in your school and public libraries.

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Northwest Coastal Fishes, Northwest Coastal Invertebrates, Northwest Marine Birds, Whales and Dolphins... Mac's Field Guide, The Mountaineers, 1011 S.W. Klickitat Way, Seattle, WA 98134; (206) 223-6303.

Nature series episodes, PBS, including: Elephant Seals

Warm Hearts, Cold Water (sea otters)
Incredible Suckers (cephalopods)
Under the Emerald Sea
Jewels of the Caribbean
Island of the Whales
Spirit of the Sound

NOVA production: Swimming with Whales

3-2-1 Contact production:Boy Under the Ice

Excellent review of hypothermia and bradycardia using a real-life drama about a boy who survives after falling through ice and becoming trapped in freezing water for 20 minutes as a springboard.

Washington State Boaters Education Curriculum Guide including a very enlightening and entertaining video with Bill Nye ("the Science Guy"). The curriculum guide and tape are available from Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission, 7150 Cleanwater Lane KY-11, P.O. Box 42650, Olympia, WA 89504-2650, 206-753-5755.

The Books That Inspire Marine Biology

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Results of a survey of 1200 marine educators and scientists concerning the use of marine literature for instructional purposes.

Recommended Readings by All Groups

(includes noninstructional books)

Top 25 Suggested titles out 583 suggested books and 416 different titles

Rank	Title	<u>Author</u>
1.	The Sea Around Us	Rachel Carson
2.	Log From the Sea of Cortez	John Steinbeck
3.	Beautiful Swimmers	William Warner
4.	Life and Death of the Salt Mars	shJohn and MildredTeal
5.	Edge of the Sea	Rachel Carson
6.	Kon Tiki	Thor Heyerdahl
7.	The Living Dock	Jack Rudloe
8.	Moby Dick	Herman Melville
9.	Old Man and the Sea	Ernest Hemingway
10.	Silent Spring	Rachel Carson
11.	Sailing Alone Around the World	łJoshua Slocum
12.	Seaside Naturalist	Deb Colulombe
13.	Under the Sea Wind	Rachel Carson
14.	Cannery Row	John Steinbeck
15.	Chesapeake	James Michener
16.	Island of Blue Dolphins	Scott O'Dell
17.	Marine Biology Coloring Book .	Niesen
18.	Outermost House	Henry Betson
19.	Silent World	Jacques Cousteau
20.	Soundings	Frank Searles
21.	Time of the Turtle	Jack Rudloe
22.	Voyage of the Beagle	Charles Darwin
23.	Waves and Beaches	Willard Bascom
24.	Whale for the Killing	Farley Mowatt
	25. Year of the Crab	William Sargent

Books Instructors Suggest Their Students Read

Top	5	of	81	titles	given
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Rank	Title	Author
1.	Log From the Sea of Cortez .	John Steinbeck
2.	Moby Dick	Herman Melville
3.	The Sea Around Us	Rachel Carson
4.	Life and Death of the Salt M	arshJohn and MildredTeal
5.	Cannery Row	JohnSteinbeck

Books Selected as Required Reading in Courses Taught

Top 10 of 125 titles

Rank	Title	Author
1.	Life and Death of the Salt Marsh	John and Mildred Teal
2.	Beautiful Swimmers	William Warner
3.	Kon Tiki	Thor Heyerdahl
4.	Old Man and the Sea	Ernest Hemingway
5.	The Sea Around Us	Rachel Carson
6.	Two Years Before the Mast	R.H. Dana
7.	Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea	Jules Verne
8.	Silent Spring	Rachel Carson
9.	Whale for the Killing	Farley Mowatt
10.	Under the Sea Wind	RachelCarson

Books That Influenced Respondents or Which Affected Their Job Choice

Top 5 of 49 titles

Rank	Title	Author
1.	Between Pacific Tides	Ed Rickets
2.	SilentSpring	RachelCarson
3.	The Sea Around Us	Rachel Carson
4.	Log From the Sea of Cortez	John Steinbeck
5.	Silent World	Jacques Cousteau

Books With Which Respondents Philosophically Identify

Out of 37 suggested titles only two books were suggested by three people:

Sand County Almar	nac Aldo Leopold
Silent Spring	Rachel Carson

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