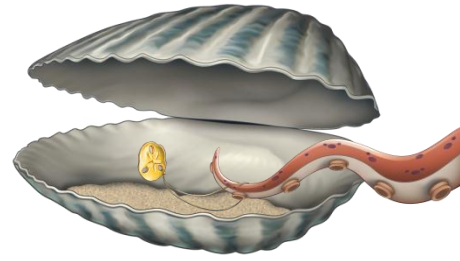


# Ocean Commotion

## Lesson #10



### Behavioral Issue:

Steals or forcibly takes things

### Objective:

- Students will not take things that belong to others
- Students will learn to ask permission to borrow things

### Materials:

Ocean Commotion by Julie Woik

Pen or Pencil

Print out the form that correlates with this lesson

### Activity:

Read Ocean Commotion with the child or children who are participating in this activity. Speak with the students and explain exactly why Echo's actions were wrong. Talk about how it feels to have something taken by someone without permission. Discuss the importance of Echo realizing that her actions were wrong, and her choice to attend the town meeting and set everything straight with the store owners and the community at large. Now hand out the activity and have the child/children fill in the blanks as they see fit. This will be a fun way for children to make a more personal connection to this unfortunate behavior.

### Assessment:

Students will not steal. They'll learn to ask the owner's permission before using or borrowing possessions. They will understand the hurt and consequences that result when someone engages in forcibly taking something.