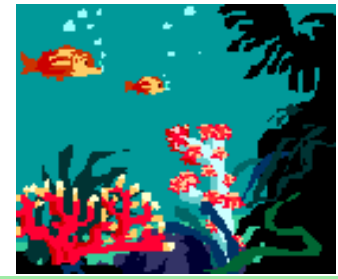










Critter Scope



Have you ever seen what it looks like underwater? Well, here's your chance to see what's living, swimming, and eating underwater!

With this activity you will make an underwater scope to take a peek at what's going on below.

Materials:

-  A can opener
-  A clean coffee or large juice can
-  Waterproof or duct tape
-  Clear plastic wrap
-  A large and strong rubber band
-  Scissors

Procedure:

1. Carefully remove both ends of can and cover sharp edges with tape.
2. Place plastic wrap around one end of the can, leaving about one inch extra around the edge.
3. Put a rubber band around the can and plastic to keep the plastic wrap tight.
4. Put tape over the rubber band and plastic wrap.
5. Test run the scope in the sink. Look through the open end and place the "closed" end in the water.
6. Make better seals if necessary and take to stream.