



## Share a story

**This activity is your chance to let your creative juices flow – whatever you produce, don't forget to share it with others!**

**Time:**

- 60 minutes as a guide but spend as long as you want to on this

**Resources:**

- None required but you may choose to use a pen & paper, your phone or iPad, a computer, audio recorder

*Individual or group activity*

Write a short story, poem, song or spoken word piece to tell the story of plastics in the waterways. You could tell the story from your personal viewpoint or from the perspective of another person, an animal, the world or even a dropped bottle or crisp packet – Where does it go? What does it pass? Where does it end up? Let your imagination go wild!

Use the space below to jot down some words / sketches / ideas. What comes to mind for you when you think of plastic pollution, our waterways, our oceans. How does it make you feel? What are your hopes for the future? What message would you like to send to others?



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**Activity: Let's Create**

Use this space below to write out / stick in your finished poem or story. Alternatively you could film yourself reading out your piece or do an audio recording. Don't forget to share what you have been up to with us. You can tag us on social media

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### Tip

For tips and ideas on creating a vlog or video story, see our guide 'Produce a Video or Vlog' at [canalrivertrust.org.uk/youth-resources](https://canalrivertrust.org.uk/youth-resources)