

LUCETE READING E4-2

UNIT 5: Glass Beach

Glass Beach Let's Check!

1. What are the keywords?

2. What is the main idea of the text?



READING SECTION:

Glass Beach

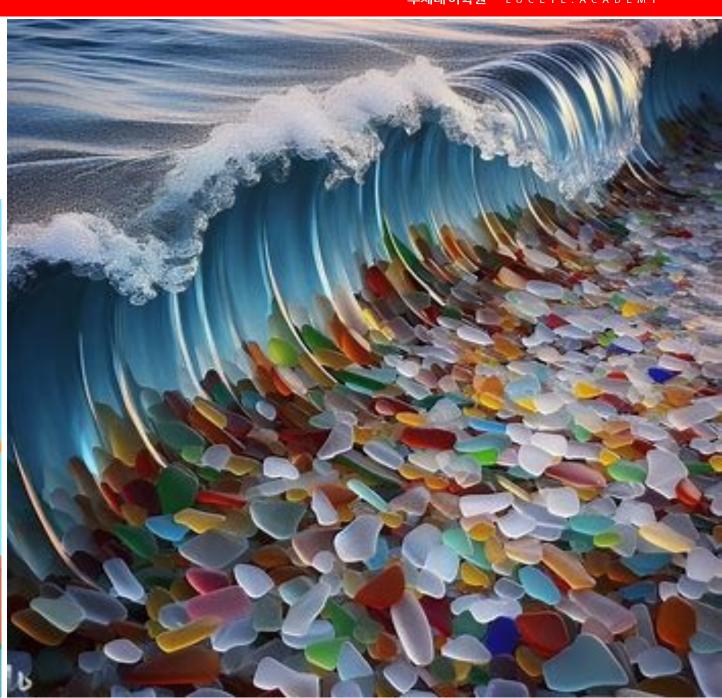
Before garbage trucks, people left trash anywhere. Broken dishes, old bottles, and even cars! Trash made one beach in California a mess. However, SO years ago, things started to change. People learned garbage was bad for oceans. After that, they removed big items. But they left lots of sharp glass on the beach. Over time, sand and waves changed the glass. They rubbed against it and made it smooth. It became sea glass. Sea glass sparkles in the sun like jewels. Now, many people visit the beach. They take sea glass home. All that beautiful glass is disappearing. Some say it isn't wrong to take pieces. The glass used to be trash! Others don't agree. What do you think?

6 Vocabulary Key Words: garbage trucks, mess, removed, rubbed, sparkles, sisappearing.

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1. What is the summary?





Glass Beach Let's Think!

1.	Begin	ning	of the	Passage
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Question: How would you feel if you saw broken dishes and old bottles on a beach today?

Answer: If I saw broken dishes and old bottles on a beach today, I would feel _____.

2. Middle of the Passage (First Half):

Question: Why do you think clean oceans are important for animals and people?

Answer: Clean oceans are important for animals and people because _____.

3. Middle of the Passage (Second Half):

Question: The sharp glass turned into smooth sea glass over time. Can you think of another example where time changes

something?

Answer: Another example where time changes something is when _____.

4. End of the Passage (First Half):

Question: The beach became popular because of the sea glass. What makes a place special or popular in your opinion?

Answer: In my opinion, a place becomes special or popular because _____.

5. End of the Passage (Second Half):

Question: Is it okay to take sea glass from the beach? What do you think?

Answer: I think it is okay/not okay to take sea glass from the beach because _____.

Glass Beach Wrap Up!

1. Do you think nature can heal itself? Why or why not?

2. Give us three ways to stop people from harming the environment.

3. If there is a place like Glass Beach in your country, what has happened to it now?

DEBATE TITLE: Sammy Sunny's Big Adventure

- Topic: Embarking on new adventures can bring joy, personal growth, and a sense of fulfillment.
- Discussion Questions:
- 1. What makes Sammy's adventure a big one, even though he didn't go far from home?
- 2. Why do you think Sammy's mom was proud of him at the end of the story?
- 3. What lessons can we learn from Sammy's adventure for our own adventures?