

Objective: Students will learn about marine turtle anatomy by constructing a model of a sea turtle.

Procedures:

1. Collect your materials
2. Face one plate bottom up; this will be your turtles shell or carapace. On this plate draw a design or color it to match one of the eight marine turtles found in the worlds oceans.
3. Copy or trace the pattern provided on construction or card stock paper.
4. Cut out the body parts
5. Arrange your shapes so that the head is located between the two longest flippers. The smaller flippers belong on the opposite end of the plate.
6. Glue your peaces to the inside of either one of your paper plates.
7. Apply glue to the rim of your plate and attach both plates facing each other, bottoms out.

