

About the Sea Creature Puzzles Ocean Commotion 2013

Puzzles of shrimp, crab and flounder.

These puzzles were introduced to us by the Barataria Terrebonne National Estuary Program at WETSHOP and became the inspiration for our poster and tee shirt design for Ocean Commotion 2013. These examples were colored by Sea Grant staff, students and whoever wanted to try. Our final design incorporated “squares from these mosaics.

Try the puzzle in your class! Each student receives a square to color/design. Use any media we used colored pencils, markers and crayon. You can announce what the puzzle critter is or leave it a mystery. On the back of each square is a letter (“C” for crab, “S” for shrimp and “F” for flounder) and a number which helps with putting the puzzle together. Make a copy of the back before cutting it up to help you arrange the pieces correctly. Below are examples of some that have been completed.

You can download these puzzles at www.lamer.lsu.edu/oceancommotion/teacher.htm Have fun! We did!

