

## Science activate: Home, salty home





**WHAT:** Marine **macrophytes**, such as seagrasses and macroalgae provide food and **habitat** to marine life. Small **invertebrates**, such as crustaceans and mollusks, live in macrophytes



**WHY:** Macrophytes and invertebrates provide the foundation for healthy coastal ecosystems.



Can you find us? Circle the invertebrates you can find in the picture below



Who is your favorite mollusk or crustacean?

Draw it in its habitat, name it, and write a story about what happens in one day in the life of your mollusk or crustacean friend.