MyCoast Unit Final

Directions:

1. Set up an account on MyCoast.org
2. Find a picture from your coastline and try your best to match the photo (place, direction)
3. Submit the report to MyCoast.org
4. Compare and contrast the two photos, then analyze what could have caused the differences. Try to locate any trash, new debris, erosion, dead coral on the beach, etc.
5. Record your findings on a separate sheet of paper to participate in the class discussion later
6. Find as many pieces of trash possible, count them, record them on the separate sheet of paper and then throw them away
7. Participate in the class discussion

How to use MyCoast.org:

How to set up your account:

1. In search browser go to the MyCoast.Org website
2. In the upper right hand corner, click the "Register" button next to the "Login" button
3. Fill in the information that shows up on the screen. This includes first name, last name, email, home state, and password. Writing your own bio is optional.
4. Click the "Submit" button. The next screen should be the MyCoast.org website
5. In the upper right hand corner, click the "Login" button
6. Enter your email address and password from your registration
7. Click the "Login" button.
8. Your account has now been set up! Start reporting!

How to submit a report:

1. Once you are logged in, hover your mouse over the "MyCoast: state name" button
2. Move your mouse to hover over the type of report you would like to make
3. Move your mouse and click on the "Submit a report type photo" or "Submit a report type report" button
4. Fill out all of the fields on the first page and click the "Next" button
5. Fill out all of the fields on the second page and click the "Next" button
6. If necessary, fill out all of the fields on the third page if a third page appears and then submit the report

How to look at other reports:

1. Once you are logged in, hover your mouse over the "MyCoast: state name" button
2. Click the "Search all reports" button at the top of the list
3. Fill in the information on the screen to locate the photo or report you are looking for
4. Scroll down to see the results