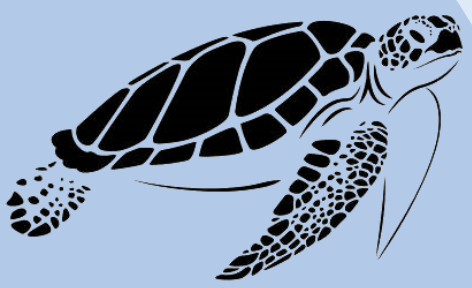


A Businessman's Dream



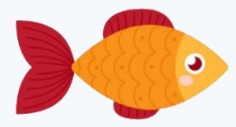
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Mr. Thomas Shelby, a very famous businessman decided to expand his resort business by carrying out a land reclamation project at the coasts of Penang. He is very proud of his achievements so far and would like to further increase his empire.



However, the citizens of Penang are not happy with this idea. "What will happen to the fishes and marine life when the ocean bed is disturbed?", they said. "Will another major landslide happen once again?", another protest. Society beginning to stage a very strong protest!

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Mr. Shelby decided to ignore the voices of the crowd and headed back to his own home. That very night, he dreamed about living his life as a fish in the Penang waters. On his adventure as a fish, he made many new friends. There is Mr. Sheldon the green sea turtle, Ms Fisch the butterfly fish with her happy family and many more other sea creatures.

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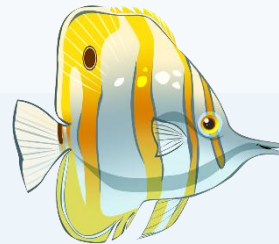
However, happy moments were coming to an end. One day a sand dredger came and then "BOOM!", the whole ocean bed shook. Clouds and clouds of sand rose up, choking poor Mr. Shelby's friends. Whilst seawater changes from clear blue to brown, Mr. Shelby cried and looked in horror as his friends began desperately gasping for air.

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Upon waking up from his nightmare, Mr. Shelby decided to put a stop to his development project. He realised his actions would destroy the marine life. Therefore, he removed the land reclamation signboard from the site.

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The dream had not only changed his mind, but he decided to build a sea turtle sanctuary instead! A turtle hatchery/conservation centre was built at the shores of Penang Island, where visitors both young and old can appreciate the beauty of nature closely. "I found the true purpose in life which is to protect nature rather than destroy nature as it creates balance to the ecosystem and life.", Mr. Thomas Shelby finally said.

Glossary

Ecosystem: Community of interacting living organisms and their physical environment

Gasping: To catch one's breath

Land Reclamation: Process of creating new land from oceans, riverbeds or lakebeds

Rehabilitation: Restore something back to its original state

Sand Dredger: Machinery to remove sand from the seabed to another location

Sea Turtle Sanctuary: A safe place to protect and revive the sea turtle population and perform rehabilitation activities



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