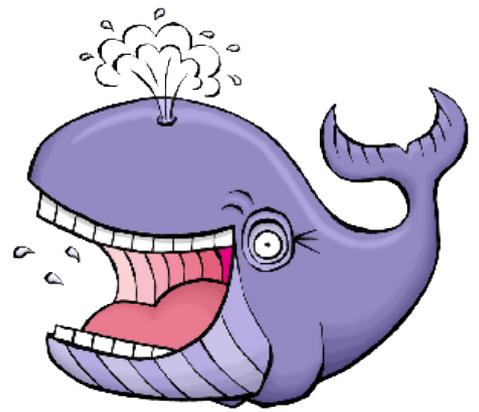


Whale-friendly lunches*: good for kids, great for whales



Dear _____ (please add your teacher's name)

I would like to help whales by finding out where the fish we eat at school comes from please.

Where is the fish caught and who sells it to our school?

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

It is important because some companies that supply wholesale fish have strong links with whaling. I would like our school lunches to be 'whale-friendly', which means a big thumbs down to fish supplied by the Hb Grandi company, or suppliers connected to them, such as Warners and TQuality.

THIS IS HOW IT WORKS

- The Hvalur whaling company is Iceland's biggest whaler. Its managing director also has interests in HB Grandi, one of Iceland's biggest fishing companies.
- More than half of HB Grandi fish exports go directly to the UK and the rest of Europe.
- In the UK, much of that fish from HB Grandi goes through one of the biggest wholesalers to the fish trade - Warners Fish Merchants.
- So our school may be, without knowing it, helping a company that is involved in whaling.

Please help me fill in the form below and send it to WDCS, the Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society. They will send a certificate to all schools serving 'whale-friendly lunches'. If our school does serve fish sourced from Hb. Grandi, they will send information to help us find a more 'whale-friendly' supplier.

Thank you!

* here we are specifically referring to fish that was not supplied, directly or indirectly, by Iceland's Hb Grandi company, because of its links to whaling.



Please complete the form and return to:

WDCS School Lunches, FREEPOST (SCE14478), Chippenham, SN15 1ZY

or email the details to ben.mallion@wdcs.org



The names of all schools that take part by **30 March 2012** will be added to a 'hat', and the first school drawn out after this date will receive whale and dolphin books for their school library.

CONTACT TEACHER:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF SCHOOL:

Postcode:

Email:

OUR SCHOOL LUNCHES ARE SUPPLIED BY: (Please give the name of the supply company if you know it. However, if you don't have these details and your school meals are provided by your local council, their name is sufficient – thank you)

WDCS would like to keep you up to date with our campaigns, projects & how to support them. Please tick this box to make sure we can . We will not pass your details on to any third parties.