

# Global Scholar /Port de Barcelona- Mediterrani



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# How is this waterway part of our city's history?



- The port was founded S.XVIII .
- Greeks and Romans used it to make business
- Nowadays the port is a leisure and business place.

# How is this waterway part of our city's culture?



- There are a lot of activities that are done at the port or next to it : festivals, concerts, markets, children activities....
- Most of the activities are related with the sea or the beach.

# Is this waterway part of our city's water system? How?



- Since the port is near the houses people throw a lot of things that arrive to the water when it rains, and the water gets dirty. There are water purifying machines but not enough. On the other hand there are a lot of industries and big ships that pollute the water

# What challenges does this waterway have?



- The challenges are: Keeping clean the water and the port.
- Not wasting water and controlling the uses of it by the Town Hall and the laws

# Is it being protected? How?



- The Mediterranean sea is not really well protected, even when we manage to have clean beaches in Summer, the quality of the water is worse every year, it is polluted and a lot of trash arrives to the sea from the city, industries and ships.
- There are recycling plants but they are not enough if we don't control the incorrect use of fresh water.
- Tourism demands a lot of water : hotels , swimming pools, restaurants... it can't grow for ever without repercussions.

# What can people do to protect the waterway?



- Do not throw plastic or other things into the water or on the sand, do not fish in places that are not allowed.
- When people do beach parties, do not leave the garbage on the beach or port, as it affects the fish 🐟.



# We also want to know:



- What diseases can appear if we do not clean the sea and we bathe?

The diseases we can have are hepatitis, dysentery, typhoid fever, cholera, leptospirosis, diarrhea.

# We also want to know:



- We want to know if you also have problems with the quality of your waterways

We want to know if the people in your country really do things to avoid water pollution .

# Other things:

- On October 31, 2018, there was an accident in the port.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yEgzEZcnkjc>



- The depth of the Mediterranean Sea: The Mediterranean has an average depth of 1,500 meters, however its deepest level is near Greece and reaches 5,200 meters which makes it the deepest closed sea in the world.



A scenic view of a harbor at dusk. In the foreground, the calm water reflects the city lights and the sky. In the middle ground, a large, multi-masted sailing ship is docked. The background shows a city skyline with various buildings and streetlights. The sky is a mix of blue, purple, and pink, indicating the time is either sunset or sunrise.

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the presentation !!!