

# A Whale of a Time

## Program Description

Ocean Protection Advocacy Kids (OPAK) is a non-profit organization that inspires youth to become curious ambassadors for the environment through the arts. Our workshop *A Whale of a Time* incorporates marine science experiments and activities that dive into the life, diet, and habitat of the humpback whales of Stellwagon Bank. Activities for this program include:

- Whale Diet:
  - o View plankton under a microscope with a plankton scientist
- Whale Blubber:
  - o Make your own whale blubber and test it in arctic water
- Human Impact:
  - o Learn what you can do to reduce plastic waste in the ocean
- Art and Advocacy:
  - o Take environmental action through creative art projects
- Citizen Science:
  - o Participate in water quality experiments that test the health of local waters. All data collected will be posted on Earth Eco International's water monitoring database.  
<http://www.monitorwater.org/>

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