



Class Seven Marine Ecology Main Lesson with Suzy Connolly

Last term the seven lowers and I spent a main lesson looking at the life in the Ocean. We studied the plants, both large and microscopic, of the underwater world. We looked at those creatures that raze upon the plants. Of these we made a detailed study of the small drill that thrive in their trillions in the Arctic waters.

Finally we looked at those that feed upon the Krill, particularly the Humpback Whales. My strongest memory is from when Ben Camm came and described what it is like to sit in the metal hull of a boat, down below the water line and hear the walls of the boat reverberating with songs of the male humpbacks.

The students' drawings are an evocative record of these three weeks.



