



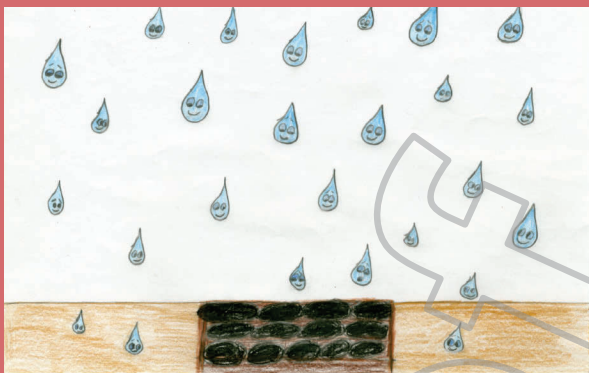
Only Rain Down the Drain

Margate City students are painting fish symbols and messages on your storm drains to inform you that whatever goes into the gutter and storm drains directly affects water quality in our ocean and bay.

People and their everyday habits are both the source and the solution for water pollution.

Project Partners:

Margate City Schools, Margate Education Foundation, Sustainable Margate Green Team, Margate City Commission, Public Works, and Police



You Can Make A Difference

- * Keep litter off our streets and beaches.
- * Ensure that only rain water travels to the storm drains.
- * Use a commercial car wash where water is directed to the water filtration plant.
- * Use natural fertilizer and pesticides on your garden and grass. Aerate your soil to minimize runoff, and never apply harmful chemicals when rain is forecasted.
- * Dispose of pet waste properly.
- * Immediately address and repair any car leakages from oil, brake fluid, or antifreeze.

Making small changes to our daily activities help keep our ocean and bay ecosystems thriving.