

## All About Eelgrass

*An activity of "Edible Grains from the Sea"*

Read "Edible Grains from the Sea" (Story 09, *What's Up* May 2021 at digital.whatsup.sg). Sheere Ng describes eelgrass and its many benefits. Create a mind-map to present what this story says to you about eelgrass.

1. Draft your mind-map using erasable colour pencils in the space below. As you can see from the three examples, colours help to make links clearer.

- Place the Main Idea in the centre.
- Add branches each time you find a new association to the Main Idea.
- Add keywords but keep them brief.
- Use colours, colour coding of branches and relevant symbols to bring out your ideas more clearly.

Examples:



### DRAFT: Mind-map About Eelgrass

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2. When you are satisfied with your draft, draw your final mind-map on a fresh sheet of paper.
3. Share your mind-map with your class. Conclude with your view about using mind-maps to better understand new information.