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Watch Out for Box Jellyfish!

An activity of "These sea creatures are a bigger danger than sharks"

Jellyfish may look like harmless blobs, but venomous jellyfish stings cause great pain and can even be life-threatening. Read "These sea creatures are a bigger danger than sharks" (page 16, *What's Up* October 2026). Work on this activity in twos or threes.

- A. Using the *What's Up* story, fill in the table below with details on what causes jellyfish to multiply.

Why the population of jellyfish is increasing	
<i>Climate change:</i>	<i>Overfishing:</i>
<i>Pollution:</i>	<i>Increase in man-made hard surfaces:</i>

- B. Box jellyfish is venomous and have been found along the coasts of Singapore. What should one do if stung by it? Find out the first aid steps by visiting:

Box Jellyfish in Singapore

➤ <https://avs.nparks.gov.sg/wildlife/encountering-wildlife/box-jellyfish/>
Singapore's Animal & Veterinary Service (Feb 2026)

- C. To warn beachgoers of box jellyfish, create a sign to be placed on the beaches in Singapore. It should include the following:
- A brief warning in large and bold font
 - An illustration or picture of box jellyfish
 - Brief instructions on what to do if stung by one
 - The local agency to report jellyfish sighting or encounters to.
- D. Display all groups' signs in the classroom. Which sign attracts your attention most and provides essential information?