

## **The Great Pacific Garbage Patch**

**Fill in the blanks with the words in the box below**

absorb      current      visible      marine  
pollutants      murky

The ocean is beautiful and offers us much joy and fun. Why then we do not care for it as we should?

.....environmental damage from litter discarded by humans into the sea has been described as a \_\_\_\_\_ that carries rubbish deep into the Pacific Ocean . The build up of this rubbish is now so large it is \_\_\_\_\_ from outer space! \_\_\_\_\_ life such as fish and whales digest it and die, and the clear water is now \_\_\_\_\_ from the dirt and debris. Plastic is absorbed into marine life and also back into human life along with \_\_\_\_\_.