

Like the ocean we rise



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Book Summary

Our planet is vast and it's beautiful too, but it needs our help; it needs me, it needs you. This timely peek-through picture book explores humans' impact on our Earth and how we can all make a difference. Celebrate the international youth movement making waves to save our beautiful planet.

Discussion Prompts

- What were some of the problems that featured in the poem?
- Where were the problems occurring? They were all over the world – but where?
- What were some of the actions that the children were taking?
- Why do you think the author chose to feature stories from all over the world? Why did they look around the world instead of just looking at what is happening here in Britain?
- Throughout the poem there were some powerful similes. What were they?
- Can you think of any similes that might conjure up the idea of 'coming together / working together / being stronger together'?

Putting words into action: COP26 / United Nations Climate Change Conference

- Could you find out about this conference? Who is going? What are they trying to achieve? What's the point?
- This book is not just about watching others make change. It is about becoming a change-maker yourself. What could you do in your school, in your community? It doesn't have to be a huge act – what could you do?