DESCRIPTION
One of the MSFD’s (Marine Strategy Framework Directive) GES (Good Environmental Status) descriptors states that the balance of marine and coastal ecosystems is directly linked to the maintenance of their food webs. Therefore, this application identifies a number of concepts and processes inherent to the subject of trophic relationships that are important to disclose in order to implement Ocean Literacy, for its recovery and consequent sustainability of its resources, crucial for the maintenance of marine waters’ GES.
This project aims to attain 2000 new views of the Ocean Literacy site and realize six awareness-raising initiatives for students of different levels of education and the general public, including guided construction of original science communication products and statements, leading to the implementation of preservation and maintenance of marine food chains ecosystems best practices.

PROJECT PROMOTER
CIIMAR - Interdisciplinary Centre for Marine and Environmental Research

TOTAL COST
16,990€

TOTAL ELIGIBLE COST
16,990€

EEA Grant
14,442€

OUTCOME
Outcome#4 - Increased awareness of and education in integrated marine water management

OUTPUT
Integrated marine water management training, education and awareness raising measures and activities implemented

INDICATOR (I)
Number of awareness raising initiatives (incl. supporting materials) carried out in primary and secondary schools
TARGET (I)
6

INDICATOR (II)
Number of hits on the Ocean Literacy Website 2013-2016
TARGET (II)
2000