

Seal Swimming

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On Monday the 5th of December 2016 Xander, Rohan, Matthew and I, the newly elected I sea I care ambassadors went to Sorrento Beach. It was amazing - the beach, the place and the water. We stayed there for a little while then it was time to go meet Mandy and change into our wet suits. After meeting Mandy, we went on the double decker boat to go snorkeling with the seals. We then appeared at Sorrento Seal house where all the seals relax and play together. My first thoughts before jumping in the water were nervousness. I was super scared but eventually jumped in the water with Mrs Surace help.



After swimming with seals we all went over to the reef. Again, I found it was amazing. The water was super clear but very cold. We all dived in and tried to find sea dragons but sadly I didn't spot any - only small

fish. Later we changed back into our uniforms and ate a biscuit with hot chocolate and then lunch. Yum!

Soon, it was time to go home so we all said goodbye and jumped into Mrs Surace's Car which was warm inside. I felt so tired that day because my team and I were swimming a lot. It was the best experience going out in the ocean and learning a lot about the sea creatures.