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Safeguarding Our Seas: The Vital Need for Clean Oceans

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Why are oceans crucial for regulating the planet's climate?
 - a) They provide food for marine life
 - b) They act as the Earth's "lungs," producing oxygen and absorbing carbon dioxide
 - c) They create beautiful coral reefs
 - d) They are a source of freshwater

2. How can polluted oceans affect human health?
 - a) They have no impact on human health
 - b) Contaminated seafood can lead to health issues
 - c) Polluted oceans only affect marine animals
 - d) Pollution improves the quality of the air we breathe

3. What is one economic impact of polluted oceans?
 - a) Increased fishing opportunities
 - b) Boosted tourism industries
 - c) Devastation of industries like fishing and tourism
 - d) Creation of jobs in marine pollution cleanup

4. Why do we owe it to future generations to keep our oceans clean?
 - a) Because we don't care about the environment
 - b) Because clean oceans are not important
 - c) Because it's our responsibility to leave a healthy planet
 - d) Because future generations won't be affected by pollution

5. What is the primary focus of this persuasive nonfiction piece?
 - a) Exploring the history of ocean pollution
 - b) Discussing the beauty of coral reefs
 - c) Advocating for the importance of keeping oceans clean
 - d) Analyzing the economic benefits of fishing

