



Americans use an average of 1.6 plastic straws per person per day, which equates to **over a half billion plastic straws discarded in Delaware each year.**

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Plastic straws are used for minutes, but last for centuries, piling up daily.

Straws and other plastics in the ocean harm sealife, including fish, turtles, sea birds, and corals.

It's easy to reduce the pollution: (1) Drink without a straw; (2) bring a glass, steel, or bamboo reusable straw; or (3) use a paper straw.

Some people have conditions that require them to use a plastic straw. Don't judge -- but if you don't need it, do your part to lessen the impact.



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