

# The Trading POST



Trade in your finds, earn points and leave with cool natural artifacts!

Learn about your environment when you bring in artifacts found in nature. Our Education Interpreters will answer questions about your finds, and you'll accumulate points to trade for other interesting natural items.



South Carolina  
Aquarium

# *It's easy to start trading:*

- 1.** Get out and explore! Find and collect natural items in your surroundings. Respect all wildlife, habitats and private property while you are collecting.
- 2.** Bring your coolest finds to the Aquarium to trade for points. **Remember we only accept two natural items per visit.**
- 3.** Save and accumulate points, or redeem your points for another natural item at the Trading Post.

We accept a variety of natural items, including:

- Shark teeth
- Shells
- Rocks
- Fossils
- Scales
- Plant parts

We are unable to accept

- Bird nests, feathers or bones.
- Sea turtle bones.
- Marine mammal bones.
- Live or recently deceased animals.
- Other items from endangered or protected species

Want to earn extra points? Research and write down some fun facts about your finds. Then turn those facts in for bonus points at the Trading Post. We can't wait to see what you discover. Now, let's get exploring!

**Trading Hours**

Open daily, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.