

THE CORAL REEF TEACHER'S GUIDE

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- **What and Where are the Coral Reefs?**
- **Life on the Coral Reef**
- **Benefits, Threats, and Solutions**



Lionfish. (Photo: Terry Brown)

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LESSON PLANS

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Gumatj children playing on the beach. (Photo: Wendy Weir)

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- **Bibliography**
- **References for Students**
- **Educational Merchandise**
- **Coral Reef-Related Organizations**
- **Action Programs**



Scuba diver on Cuban reef. (Photo: Larry Benvenuti)