

Ocean Kids

Worksheet

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SECTION 1

Match it!

Draw a line to match the term to the correct definition.

- A non-living thing** is something that eats, breathes air, grows and has babies
- Once a living thing** is something that does not eat, breathe air, grow or have babies
- A living thing** is something that was once part of a living thing i.e. shark tooth

SECTION 2

Our living checklist

Use the following checklist and place a tick in the box to work out if the following items you find in the ocean are living things.

	Does it grow?	Does it move?	Does it eat?	Does it have babies?	Does it drink?	It is living?
Turtle 						
Sea star 						
Dugong 						
Shark 						
Blue Tang Fish 						
Coral 						
Seaweed 						
Water 						
Rock 						

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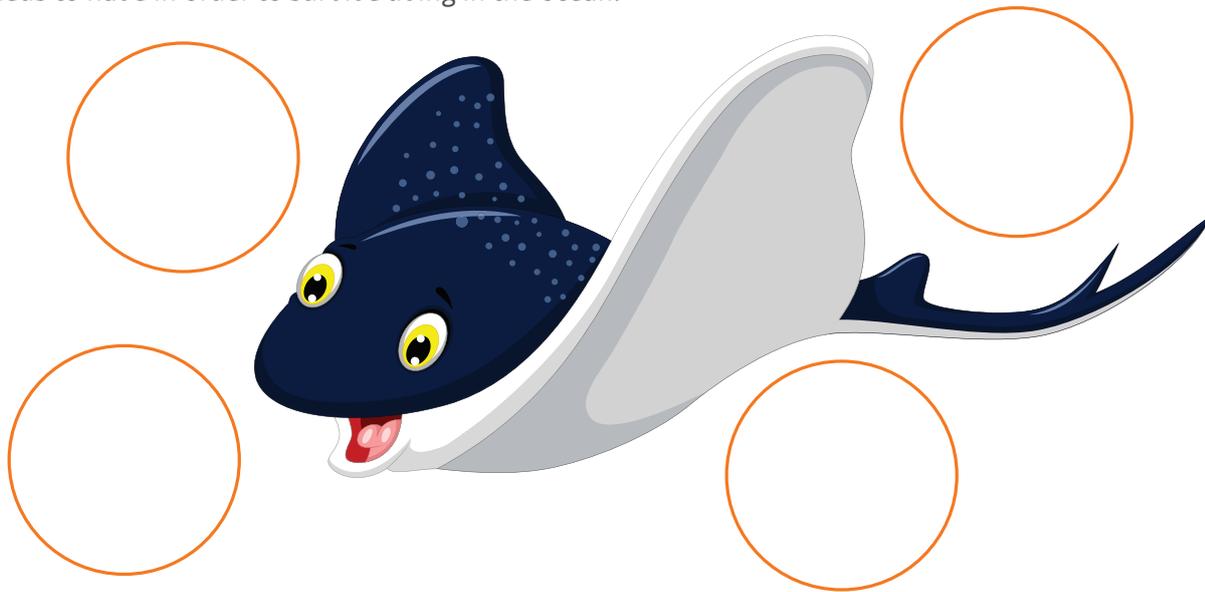
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SECTION 3

What do living things need to survive?

Animals have 4 basic needs to help them survive. In the bubbles below draw what you can see a stingray needs to have in order to survive living in the ocean.



What happens to stingrays if they do not have these things?

SECTION 4

How do I find food?

Sharks are very good at finding food, they have many features. These are called **adaptations** that help them find prey in the ocean.

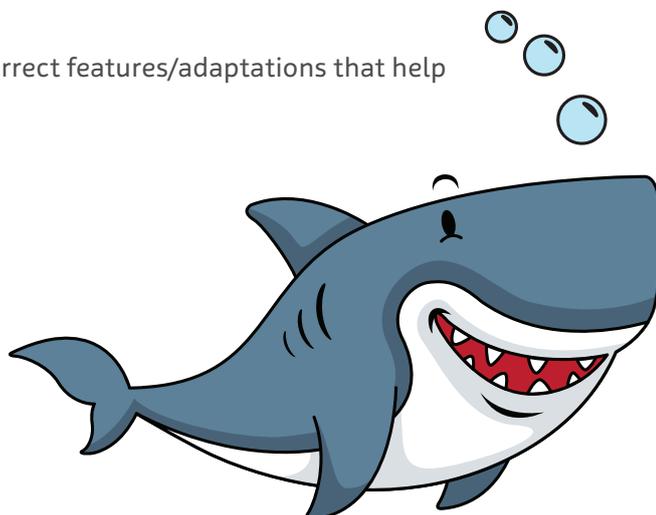
In the list below circle the correct features/adaptations that help sharks to find food.

Sharp teeth

Uses senses

Mouth is positioned under their body

Swims fast



Small tail

Big head

Shiny skin

Long tongue

Pectoral fin

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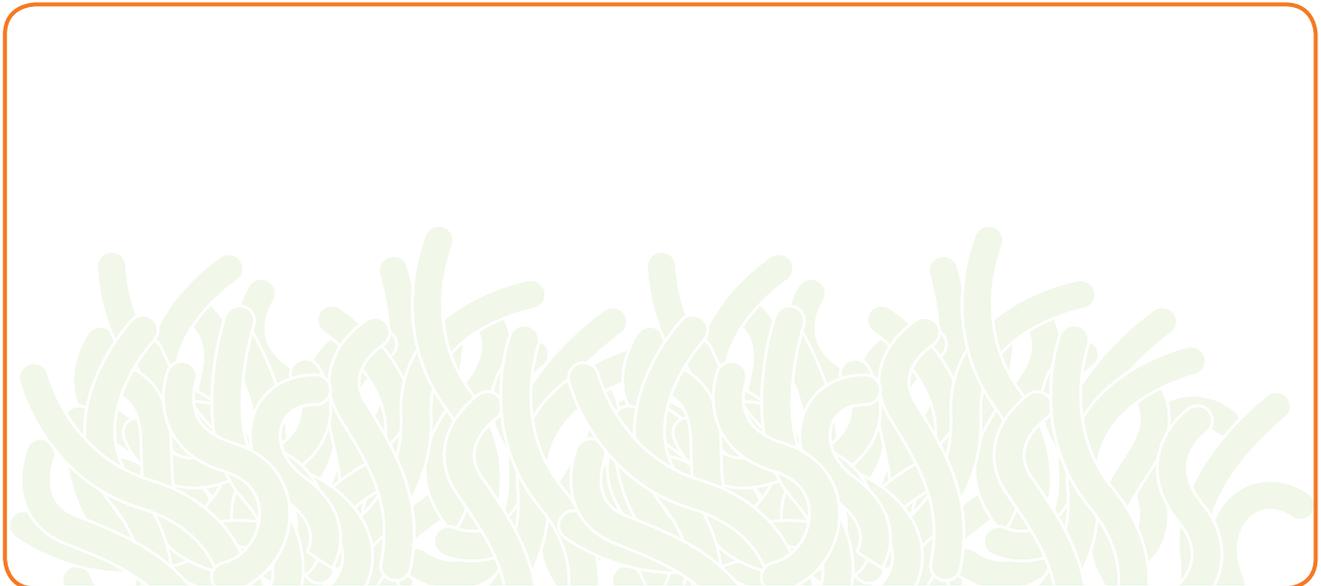
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SECTION 5

Why do I need a home?

Clownfish love to call the sea anemone home. Clownfish live in sea anemones to protect themselves from being eaten by other fish. To avoid the nasty sting of the sea anemone's tentacles, clownfish produce extra mucus on their skin.

In the box below draw a picture of a clownfish living in the sea anemone.



SECTION 6

Colour and camouflage

Many animals use colour as a way to help camouflage and protect themselves from being eaten by other animals.

Find an animal that matches the below colours and write the animals name in the space provided.

Red _____

Orange _____

Blue _____

Grey _____

Yellow _____

Gold _____

Green _____

Silver _____

Black _____

Purple _____

White _____

Pink _____

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SECTION 7

Help protect their needs

Our rubbish often ends up in our oceans and many animals mistake this to be food.

What happens to a turtle if it eats a plastic bag?

Where should our rubbish go? Draw a line to match the rubbish to the right bin.



Chip Packet



Pizza Box



Fish Skeleton



Teddy Bear



Straw



Drink Bottle



Paper



Lunch Box



Aluminium Can



Apple



Toy



Batteries



Plastic Bag



T-Shirt