

### Find the artist in you...

**DEAR TEACHER**, you could organise a "My Fishy Tale Book Cover Exhibition". Choose a place near your Book Fair and put your pupils' masterpieces on display. Parents will like to see them! If you're organising a "Reading Aloud My Fishy Tale" evening for parents, you and your children can also put their drawings on the walls of the room where the reading is going to take place.



### **Create Your Own Sea Creature**

We've seen sharks, seahorses and dolphins, amongst many other sea creatures. Now it's your turn to create your own! Draw, name and describe your original sea creature in the space below.
My sea creature is a
Description of my sea creature

**DEAR TEACHER,** provide your pupils with A3 or A2 sheets of paper and ask them to draw a real size original sea creature. Use your pupils' drawings to decorate their Book Fair and add to the underwater atmosphere!

If you prefer to give them this template, you can always put their drawings up on a wall and call it the "Sea Creature Exhibition". Put it together with the "My Fishy Tale Book Cover Exhibition" if you're organising one.

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## **Big Splash Word Search**

Find an underwater world in these words! See if you can find all these watery words in the grid below:

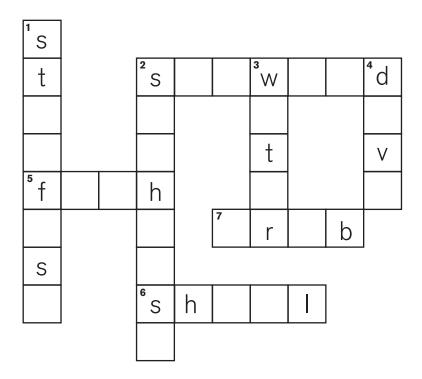
Fish Sandcastle Bubbles Seahorse Diving Shark Turtle Book Seaweed Waves Crab Octopus

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#### Crossword

Figure out which fishy words are these. See the clues below!



#### **Down**

- 1 He lives in the sea clinging to rocks, and he looks like a star.
- 2 You can't ride this horse!
- 3 You swim in it and you can drink it.
- 4 What you do when you jump into the sea.

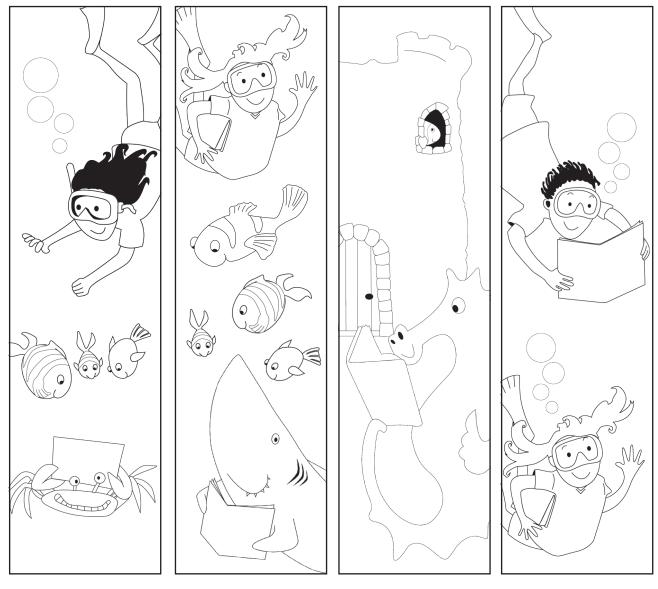
### **Across**

- 2 This plant grows on the seabed.
- 5 He has fins, a tale, and is very colourful.
- 6 You find this on the beach.
- 7 He lives on the seabed, he has a shell, two big claws and walks sideways!



## **Big Splash Bookmarks!**

Colour in and cut out these bookmarks. They will be very useful for your new stories!



You can also create your own Big Splash bookmark. Use the template below!

**DEAR TEACHER,** you could run a Best Big Splash Bookmark competition. The theme could be "Underwater Tales". You could offer the winner the chance to choose a book of their choice from the Scholastic Book Fair.



#### Riddle Fun!

Can you guess who these sea characters are?

I'm big and grey with razor sharp teeth,
I eat the fish and swim round the reef!
You can see who I am by the shape of my fin,
And sometimes by my very big grin!
Who am I?

I'm small and orange with stripes on my side,
These help me stand out or help me hide!
I swim around and play in the sea,
Blowing bubbles all day fills me with glee!
Who am I?

I'm green and graceful with a shell on my back,
I'm friendly to all and I will never snap!
I swim all day and also at night,
If you see me pass by I won't give you a fright!
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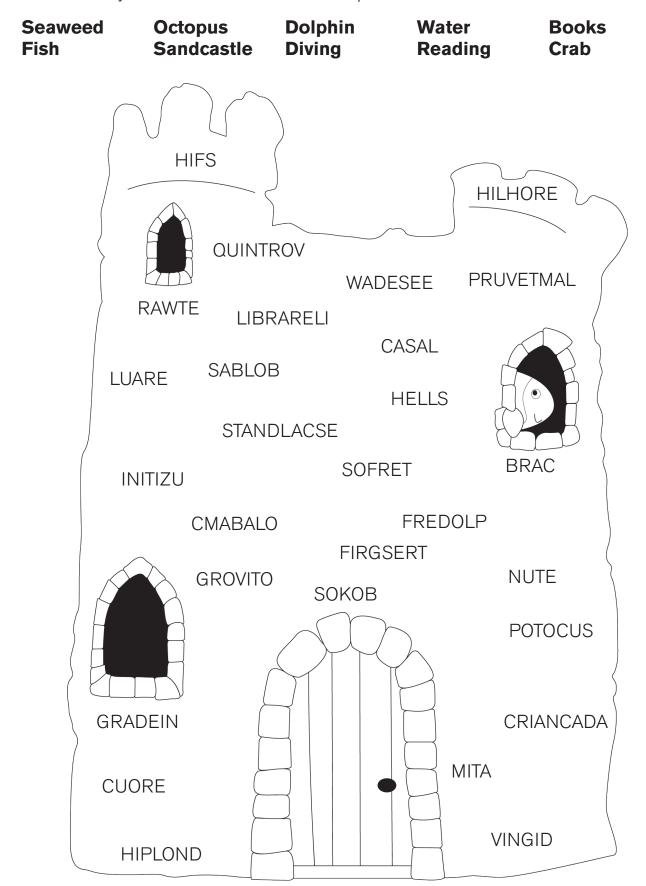
Can you write a riddle about your favourite underwater character or creature?

**DEAR TEACHER,** you could run a "Best Riddle" competition. Collect the Riddles of your pupils, and vote for the best one. The winner could choose a book from the Scholastic Book Fair.

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### **Sandcastle Anagram Puzzle**

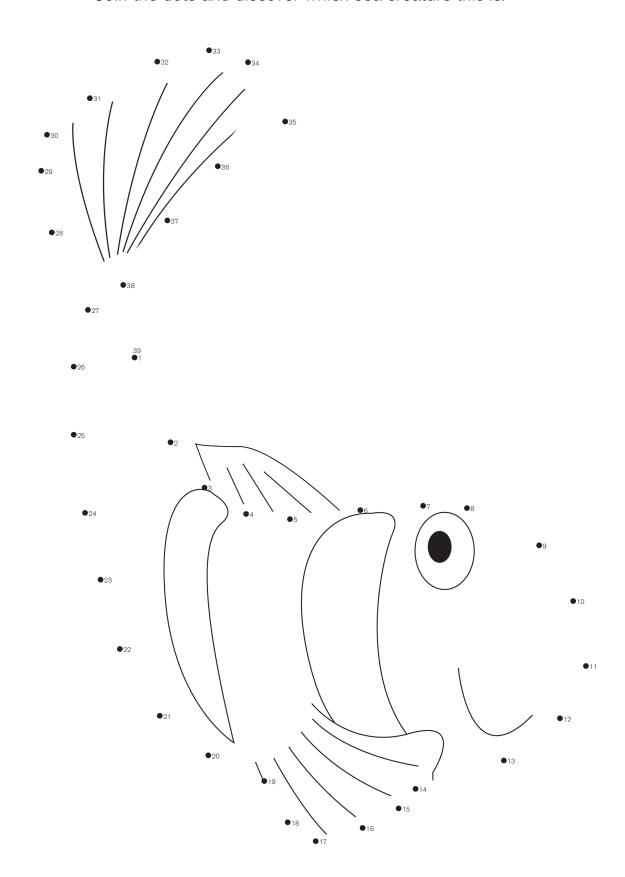
Find the fishy words in the Sandcastle and put the letters in the correct order.



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### **DOT-TO-DOT**

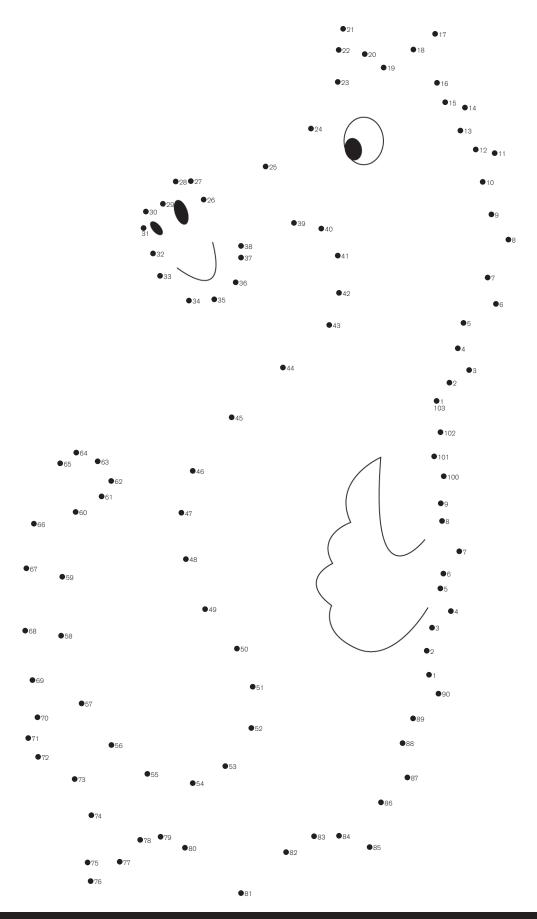
Join the dots and discover which sea creature this is.



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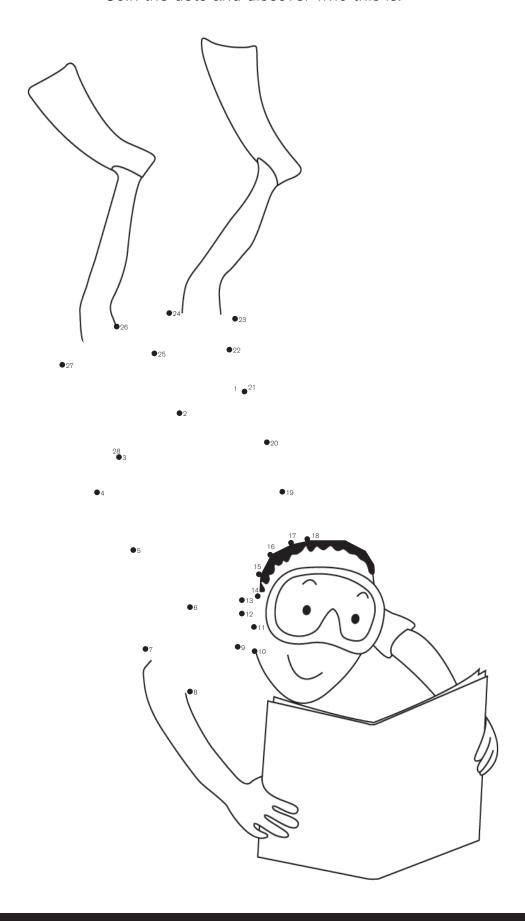
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