

# Marine Life

## Fun facts for kids



Marine life encompasses a vast array of organisms, from the smallest plankton to the largest whales



The giant squid, one of the largest invertebrates, has eyes as big as basketballs.



Coral reefs are highly diverse ecosystems, supporting countless marine species.



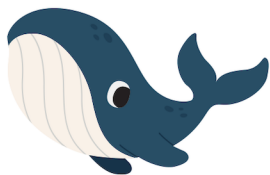
Some marine organisms, like fish, jellyfish, and plankton, can produce bioluminescence.



Many marine species migrate long distances for various reasons like feeding, breeding, or avoiding harsh conditions.



Pufferfish can inflate their bodies to deter predators.



Marine mammals, such as whales, dolphins, seals, and sea lions, are warm-blooded and breathe air but spend most of their lives in the ocean.



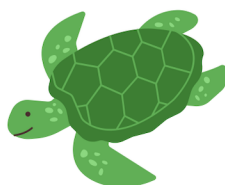
Cephalopods, such as octopuses, squid are intelligent marine animals with complex nervous systems.



Seahorses are unique among fish in that the males carry and give birth to the offspring.



Despite their name, jellyfish are not actually fish; they belong to a group of animals called cnidarians.



Sea turtles are ancient reptiles that have been around for millions of years.



Kelp forests are underwater ecosystems dominated by large brown algae known as kelp.