



# SeaWorld/Busch Gardens Young Learners P-2 Classroom Activities

## My Book of Ocean Friends

### OBJECTIVE

The student will work with placing book pages in numerical order. The student will read simple sentences.

### BACKGROUND

The oceans are home to many animals. Some ocean habitats include tide pools, rocky shorelines, open seas, coral reefs, and icy antarctic seas. Different kinds of animals live in different ocean homes.

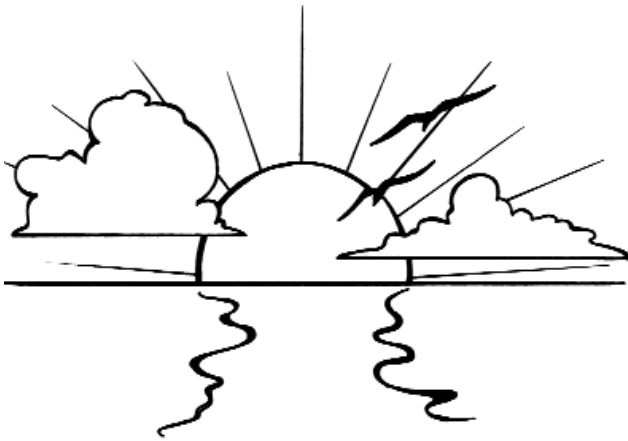
### ACTION

1. Distribute a set of "The Sea is Home" book pages to each student.
2. Students cut apart the book pages and assemble their books: they put the pages in order and staple them. Then they color the drawings.
3. On page 8, students draw their own home. (They can draw a house, a city, or anything that they identify as home.)
4. Students practice reading their books. They take them home and read them with their families.
5. For an additional project, cut and assemble "blank" pages for students to write and draw a book about a favorite animal or activity.

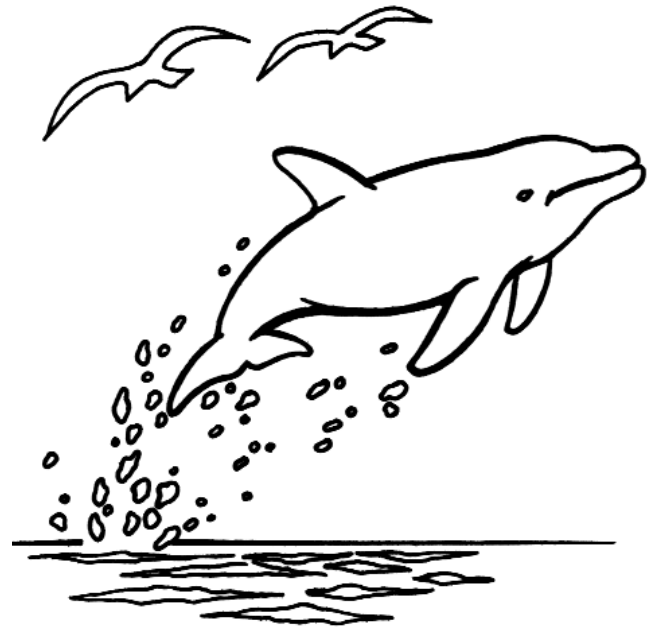
### MATERIALS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> scissors | <input type="checkbox"/> copies of nametags on the next page |

# The Sea is Home



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The sea is home  
for dolphins.

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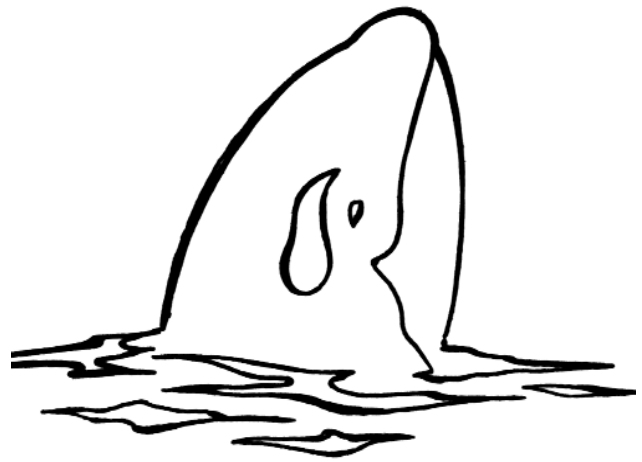
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The sea is home  
for sea lions.

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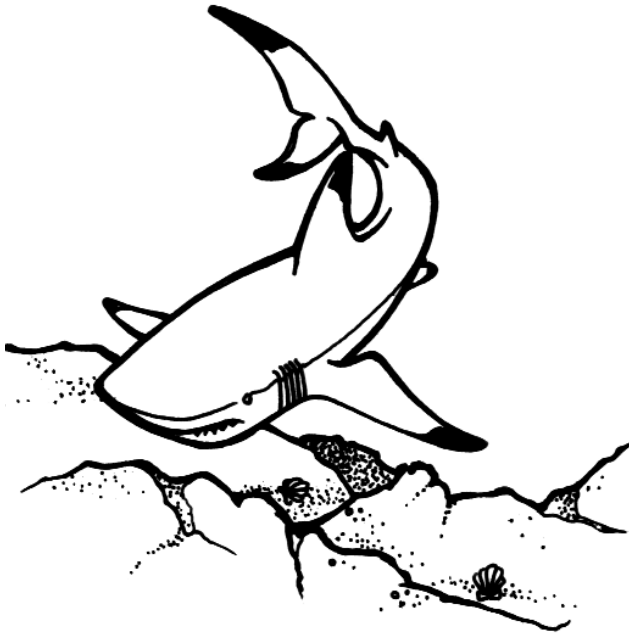
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The sea is home  
for whales.

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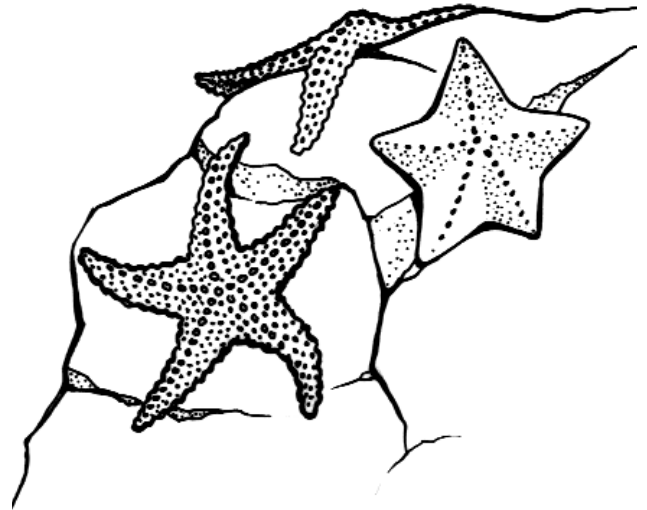
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The sea is home  
for sharks.

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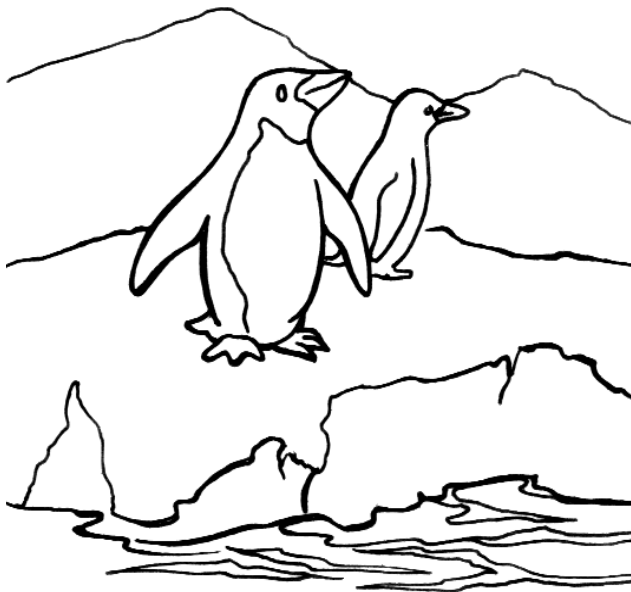
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for sea stars.

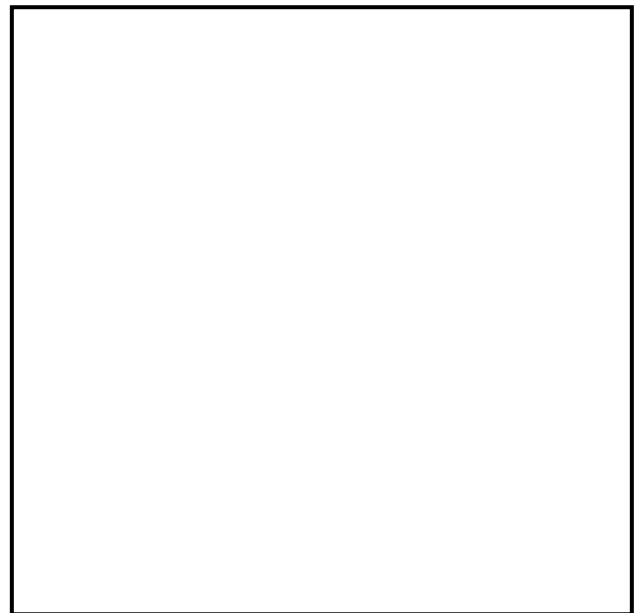
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The sea is home  
for penguins.

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This is home  
for me.

8

Large empty rectangular box for drawing or writing.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line. The bottom line is shorter than the top line.

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