

CORAL REEFS

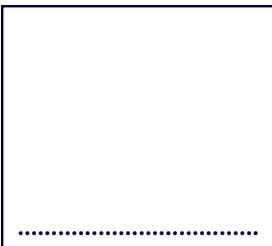
Welcome to the coral laboratory

We are now entering this laboratory filled with corals. What is coral?

Look around you and **determine** what coral is by circling the correct answer.

ANIMAL MINERAL PLANT

Draw two corals, each with a different shape

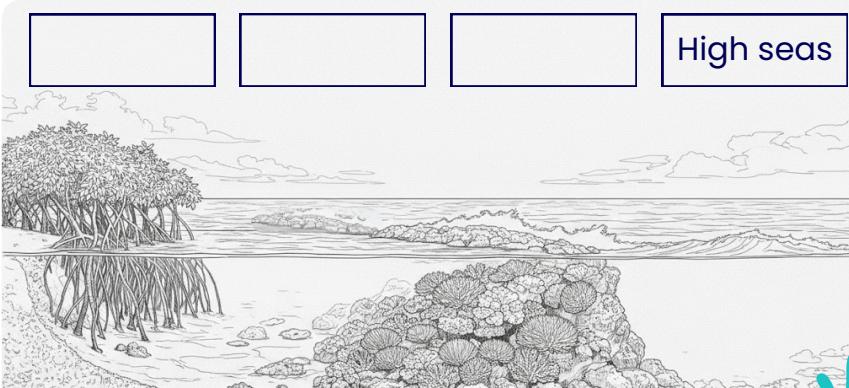


Over time, coral colonies build and form reefs.

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The three habitats studied are interconnected!

Complete the following diagram:



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CYCLE 3

Trip to the tropics

Tropical getaway - Mankind and Shores



MANGROVE

Let's discover the inhabitants of the mangroves!

Find and **write** the missing word in this sentence:

A mangrove is a forest of mangrove trees that grow with their..... Some animals have unique characteristics. It's up to you to investigate !

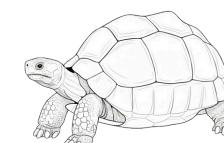
Look around you and **match** the corresponding animal with its characteristic.



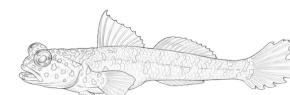
Archerfish



● **BLUE BLOOD**



Aldabra giant tortoise



Mudskipper



Horseshoe crab



● **150 YEARS**



Number 9

Mangrove biodiversity

Mangroves represent 1% of the surface area of tropical forests but host rich biodiversity: fish, crustaceans, and birds find food and shelter there.



Describe an animal with a shell that lives in this environment.

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What is the purpose of this shell ?

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Number 9

After the mangroves, we arrive at the tropical lagoon filled with colorful fish.

Observe the reef and **find** the name of the species described in this following riddle.

When I am young, my body is covered with black and white vertical stripes. As I grow older, these stripes disappear and are replaced by small brown spots.

My tail is very large, and I often rest on the sand.

Who am I?

Number 10

LAGOON

Dive into the lagoon waters and observe a fireworks display of colors and shapes.

Have you seen that small, bright yellow fish? What about the one with a sort of spike between its eyes? And the other one with a long, whip-like filament on its back...?



Find them, draw them, and make up names for them

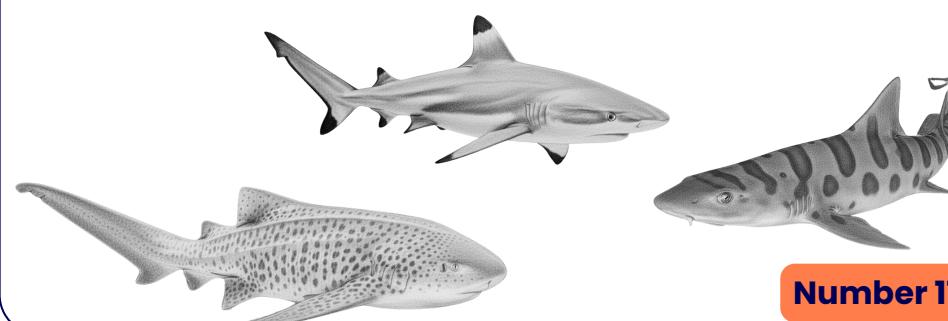
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After that, **look** for their real names in the exhibit.

Species name :

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Circle the shark species found in this area.



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