

Match the name with the picture

Read the descriptions below and match the name, underlined, to the picture of that animal on the next page.

A coral is a collection of tiny animals that build reefs that fish can live amongst. Even though it looks like a rock it is actually alive.

A sea turtle is a reptile that lives permanently in the sea, but has to come to the surface to breathe air. It eats jellyfish and comes on to land to lay eggs in the sand.

A crab has a hard shell and walks sideways. It has ten legs and the front two are claws to help catch its prey.

Jellyfish have long tentacles that dangle below them as they float through the sea.

A moray eel hides in dark holes during the day and comes out at night to catch its dinner.

Sting rays are related to sharks and they really do have a sting in their tail!

Sharks are the kings of the reef and include the whaleshark, which is the biggest fish in the sea.

