

Name _____

Ocean Neighbors Answer Key

1. Pacific Ocean
2. Coral Sea
3. Indian Ocean
4. Pacific Ocean
5. Coral Sea

Teacher's Guide

- Review the three options as a class and point out their relative locations on a map or globe.
- Read the descriptions aloud to support comprehension before students begin.
- Encourage students to use clues such as direction words and features like reefs or island groups.

Differentiation Tips

- Provide a simple word bank with small definitions for students who need extra support.
- Allow pairs or small groups for students who benefit from discussion.
- Challenge advanced students to create an additional description of one of the oceans or sea.

Engagement Ideas

- Show maps or photos that highlight the different bodies of water around Oceania.
- Ask students which ocean or sea they would want to explore and why.

Extension Activities

- Have students draw a simple outline of Australia and label the three bodies of water.
- Invite students to write a short paragraph describing how oceans affect life in Oceania.