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## Pacific Ocean Wildlife Answer Key

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| 1. Blue whale | 5. Dolphin     |
| 2. Sea turtle | 6. Reef fish   |
| 3. Shark      | 7. Whale shark |
| 4. Coral      | 8. Sea urchin  |

### Teacher's Guide

**Purpose:** Introduce students to a variety of Pacific marine species and build identification skills.

### Instructional Tips

- Review the names of key Pacific species before beginning the activity.
- Encourage students to underline clue words such as largest, filter feeder, nests, or coral reefs.
- Pair this worksheet with images for students who benefit from visual support.

### Differentiation

- Provide a short word bank for students who need additional help.
- Challenge advanced students to write their own clue for a different Pacific species.
- Support English language learners with simple definitions of terms like **predator**, **plankton**, or **filter feeder**.

### Engagement Ideas

- Begin with a quick discussion asking students to name any ocean animals they know.
- Show a short video clip of Pacific wildlife to build excitement before the activity.