



secrets of the shark

student worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

1. What is a shark?

2. How many different kinds of sharks are there? _____

3. Do all sharks have teeth? If not, name one that doesn't. _____

4. True or False: All sharks are big. Explain your answer. _____

5. Describe the different types of shark teeth discussed in class.

6. What is shark finning? Should this be illegal? Why or why not?

7. Why do some sharks attack humans? How many shark attacks are there worldwide in a year (on average)? How many people die each year from shark attacks?

8. What are some of the problems affecting sharks?

9. Why do people fear sharks?

BONUS: Do research and name the top ten sharks that are know to attack humans.

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