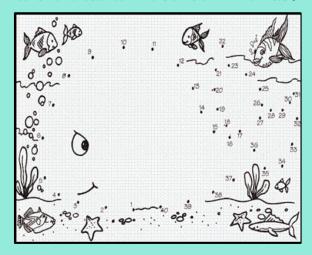
Connect the Dots and Find out Who is Swimming in our Marine Protected Areas.



What are Marine Protected Areas (MPAs)?

They are areas of ocean set aside to protect wildlife and habitat.

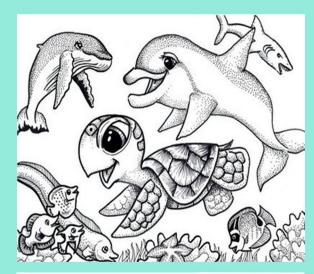
Where are they located?

California's new MPAs include dozens of sites on the coast, including The Farallon Islands, Año Nuevo, Point Lobos and La Jolla.

MPAs will ensure that future generations will be able to enjoy the natural heritage of California's coastal waters.

To view a map for other locations of MPAs and for more information please visit www.wildcoast.net or www.caloceans.org.

Who Lives Under the Waves? Find the Six Differences





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Marine Protected Areas: Refuge for Ocean Creatures Like Me



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Activity Brochure for Kids



Help Me Find My Home

Connect each object on the left to its home on the right



Ocean



Toy Chest



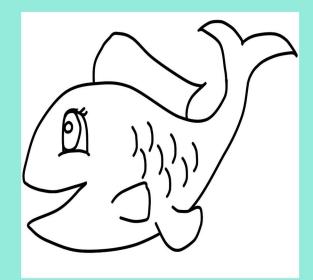
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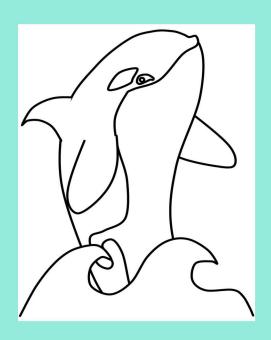


Recycle Bin

Marine Protected Areas are safe places for our plants and animals to live and grow. We need your help to keep our Marine Protected Areas safe, clean homes for our animals and plants.

Coloring Marine Animals





Learning About Marine Protected Areas

Find the hidden words in the word search to learn more about Marine Protected Areas



California is historically one of the richest marine ecosystems in the world. Forty years ago abalone were abundant up and down the coast - but due to severe overfishing, abalone are now rare to find.