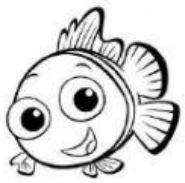
LIFE SCIENCE STORIES

FISH



gills	vertebrates	oceans	fish	animal	cold-blooded	fins

Fish are a kind of _____. Fish can be found in river, lakes, swamps, seas, and _____. Fish always need water to live. Perch, sunfish, bluegill, salmon, trout, and tuna are some common _____.

Fish are _____, so they have backbones. They have scales, just like reptiles. Like reptiles and amphibians, fish are _____. They get warm or cold depending on how hot or cold the water around them is.

Fish have special body parts to help them live in water. Fish have _____ to breathe air from the water. They do not have hands and feet. Instead, they have lots of _____ to help them swim. Many fish also have swim bladders so they do not sink.



Answer the questions! .....

1. Fish have _____ to breathe air from the water.

   A. GILLS B. FINS C. SCALES D. EYES

2. Which of these is NOT a place you would find fish?

   A. SWAMPS B. LAKES C. TREES D. RIVERS

3. What kind of body covering do fish have?

   A. FEATHERS B. SLIME C. SCALES D. FUR

4. DEFINITION: a body part that helps fish swim.

   A. FOOT B. WING C. LEG D. FIN

5. All fish need water to live.

   A. TRUE B. FALSE

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