



## 1 Listen to an aquatic veterinarian talking about dolphins.

Complete the sentences using one of the adjectives in the box and *less* or *the least*.

active    confident    happy    healthy    sociable    stressed

- There are many reasons why dolphins are \_\_\_\_\_ living in captivity.
- They have to swim with different species, and this makes them \_\_\_\_\_.
- Dolphins are \_\_\_\_\_ in the wild because they help each other.
- When dolphins are stressed, they become \_\_\_\_\_.
- In captivity, dolphins live only about 14 years, and they become \_\_\_\_\_.
- Dolphins born in captivity are \_\_\_\_\_.

## Open to Learn

Orcas in captivity are **less sociable than** orcas in the wild. **The least sociable** ones can get aggressive.

2 Look at the pictures, read about the girls and complete the sentences using *less* or *the least* and the word *sociable*.

Veronica has a lot of friends and gets along with all of them. She thinks it's really easy to make new friends.

Veronica is very sociable.



Jenny likes to spend time with her best friend Barb, but she doesn't have a lot of other friends.

1. Jenny \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Sophie \_\_\_\_\_.



Sophie doesn't have any friends. She's very shy. She's going to join a school club to make some friends.

### 3 Match the statements with the question tags.

1. Dolphins are beautiful,
2. Dolphins swim in large groups,
3. We shouldn't go to dolphin shows,
4. It's important to respect wildlife,
5. There are some dangers in the ocean,
6. A wild dolphin can live many years,

- a. aren't there?
- b. isn't it?
- c. can't it?
- d. aren't they?
- e. should we?
- f. don't they?

### 4 Complete the tag questions. Then choose the arrow that shows the probable intonation of each question.

1. He's having fun in the pool, \_\_\_\_\_?
2. They like pizza, \_\_\_\_\_?
3. You can dive, \_\_\_\_\_?
4. You saw an orca last summer, \_\_\_\_\_?
5. These mountains are huge, \_\_\_\_\_?
6. She swims really well, \_\_\_\_\_?

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### • Listen and check your answers.