

# SEA CUCUMBERS



through – such that – even though – when  
despite – in contrast to – as – in order to – due to

1. .... common belief that sea cucumbers are not plants, they are animals
2. .... they don't look like each other, sea cucumbers are related to sea stars.
3. .... their tentacles, they collect food particles.
4. Some sea cucumbers filter-feed ..... many obtain food from the ocean bottom
5. .... one sea cucumber can filter up to 99 pounds of sediment in a year, they have an important role in ocean ecosystem.
6. Sea cucumbers live in ..... a wide range of habitats ..... they can be seen in shallow coastal areas, deep-sea and all oceans.
7. .... they feel threatened, they can expel their inner organs.
8. .... having no visible differences, in most species of sea cucumbers, there are both males and females.
9. .... unregulated harvest of sea cucumbers, there has been a decline in some areas.
10. .... restrict sea cucumber harvesting, rules were put into place.