

Vocabulary 3A

The sea

Complete the sentences about the sea with the words in the box. There are two extra words you do not need.

currents dive jellyfish sands seaweed
shellfish snorkel tide wave

There are probably around 2,000 different species of (1) _____ in our seas, but of these only around 100 are dangerous to humans. A jellyfish can move or swim, and even (2) _____ by opening and closing its bell (a bit like an umbrella), but much of its movement is dictated by the ocean (3) _____. This is one reason why many are washed up on the (4) _____ of a beach when the (5) _____ comes in. They usually eat small fish, some (6) _____ like shrimps and zooplankton (very small animals), but they don't eat (7) _____.