

How Sharks Attack Their Prey

receptor	pore	sensory	surfer	nostril
vision	approximately	electroreception	prey	ampullae
highly tuned sense	sensitive impulses	nervous struggle	give off license plate	surfboard predator

No	Words	Meaning
1		an animal that is hunted and killed for food by another animal
2		an animal that hunts, kills, and eats other animals
3		a metal sign with numbers on it attached to the back, and sometimes the front of your car
4		able to sense or feel in a stronger than normal way
5		a nerve ending that reacts to a change, such as heat or cold, in the body by sending a message to the central nervous system
6		to produce heat, light, a smell, or a gas
7		to be aware of
8		to use much physical or mental effort and energy to do something
9		a short electrical, radio or light signal which carries information or instructions
10		a special sensing organ in the skin of a shark
11		a tiny opening
12		a sensory system used by some animals to detect movement
13		used to show that something is almost, but not completely, accurate or correct
14		a person who rides on a wave on a special board
15		a long, narrow board made of wood or plastic, used for riding on waves as they come in towards the beach
16		worried and anxious
17		connected with the physical senses of touch, smell, taste, hearing, and sight
18		the ability to see
19		extremely sensitive and able to react quickly
20		either of the two openings in the nose through which air moves when you breathe

Scan the text and answer the questions.

1. Why are sharks called the King of Predator?

2. How do sharks attack prey?

3. What sensory system do sharks have?

4. Who sends electrical signals?

5. Is it true that sharks can smell blood from miles away?

6. What do sharks like to eat most?

Unscrambled the words below and write the answers on the line and give their meanings.

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Word

1. ryep

2. rpdratoe

3. isinov

4. nloistr

5. nstesievi

6. seesn

7. trgugles

8. ipeulsm

9. bsufordra
