

READING

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Lesson 7 Literacy: a wildlife guide

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BEFORE YOU READ Look at the wildlife guide.
How many kinds of animals are on this page?

2

Think Ask a question about the wildlife in the guide.

3

Read and listen. Did the guide answer your question?

Jake



What's amazing about the sea?

Amazing animals live in the sea.



ALASKA BAY BOAT TRIPS WILDLIFE GUIDE

Welcome to Seward, Alaska, the perfect place for wildlife fans. This guide has information about some of the animals in the bay. Look for them on your boat trip!

Orcas are called **killer whales** too. But they aren't whales – they're part of the dolphin family. We usually see orcas in family groups, called pods. A good time to see orcas is from June to September. They're black and white.



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Sea otters live in groups. Sometimes there are 100 otters in one group. They're brown or black. Sea otters love swimming and they often swim on their backs.



Puffins usually live on the sea. They've got black, white and grey bodies. Their beaks are black and orange. In May, they come to the coast and make their nests. They have one chick. You can see them flying to their nests with lots of fish in their beaks.

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Our Values

Don't give animals
your food!



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Read and tick ✓ the correct animal.

- 1 They come to the coast in May.
- 2 The best time to see them is from June to September.
- 3 They've got brown or black fur.
- 4 Sometimes there are 100 in a group.
- 5 They've got black and orange beaks.
- 6 They're a type of dolphin.


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Match.

1 Groups of orcas

2 Sea otters swim ☐

3 Puffins carry fish ☐

4 Orcas have ☐

5 Puffins live ☐

a in their beaks.

b black and white bodies.

c are called *pods*.

d on their backs.

e on the sea.

