



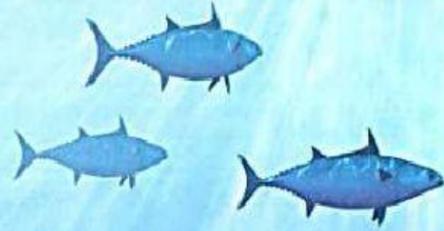
PREPARATION 1

Topic: Wonders of the Sea

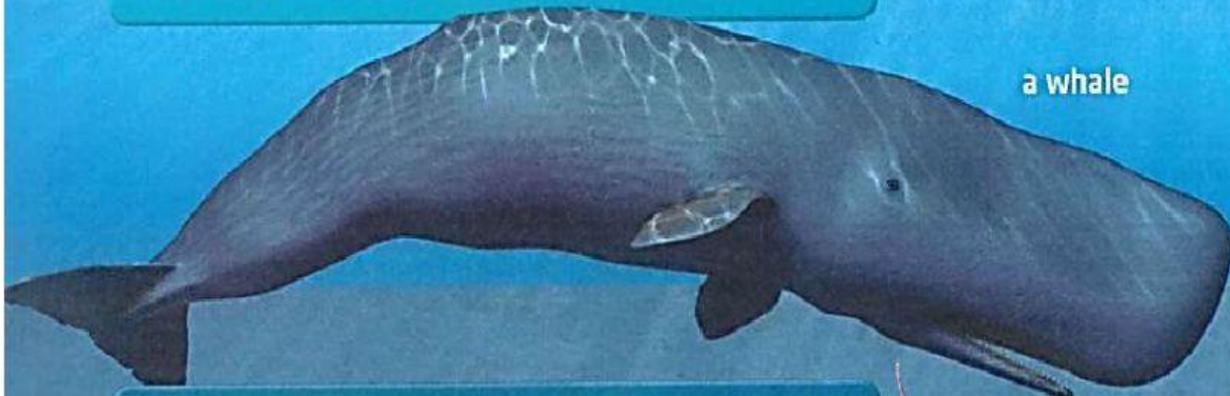
1 Listen and read. TR: A2

2 Listen and repeat. TR: A3

We must protect the oceans and the seas because they are full of life. If we don't, these important **resources** will **disappear**.

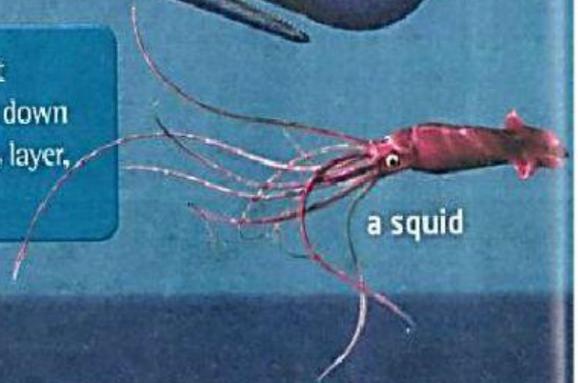


Many animals live near the top of the ocean because they like the light. There is lots of food there, too. This part of the ocean is called the "sunlit zone." It goes down to about 137 m (450 ft.). **Dolphins** live here.



a whale

The middle **layer** of the ocean is called the "twilight zone." This is because there isn't much light. It goes down to about 1,000 m (3,300 ft.). Few animals live in this layer, but one that does live here is the **octopus**.



a squid

The bottom layer of the ocean is cold and black. It is called the "midnight zone" because the sun doesn't reach below 1,000 m (3,300 ft.). Some amazing animals live in this dark part of the ocean!

