

Turtles

Nabil learned about turtles. Many kinds of turtle are endangered. Turtles move slowly on land. They can swim quickly in the sea. Their flippers help them swim. They have a hard shell where they hide if they are in danger. Their shells are brown, grey, and green.

Sea turtles lay eggs in the sand. Baby turtles race to the sea on their flippers. Many die before they get to the sea because they get too hot or other animals eat them.

Nabil's teacher said turtles are special and we must all work together to protect them.

Using a dictionary (book or online), find the meanings of the words.

Word	Meaning (in English)
hide	
lay	
flippers	
special	
protect	

Comprehension Questions:

1. What did Nabil learn about?

2. How do turtles move in the sea?

3. What do turtles do if they are in danger?

4. Where do sea turtles lay their eggs?

5. What did Nabil's teacher say about turtles?
