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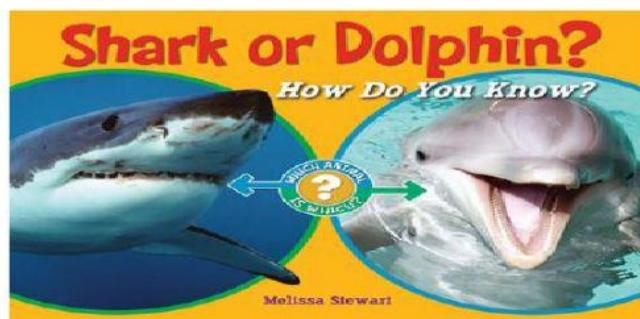
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Compare and Contrast

Compare

When you compare, you tell how two or more things are alike, the same or similar. Some key words that let you know you are comparing are:

- alike
- the same as
- similar
- in common
- also
- too
- both



Example: Let's compare a shark and a dolphin. Let's tell how they are alike.

Both of them are gray and white.

Sharks live in the ocean and dolphins live in the ocean too.

Contrast

When you contrast, you tell how two or more things are different or not alike. Some key words that let you know you are contrasting are:

- different
- differ
- difference
- unlike
- although
- even though
- instead
- however
- on the other hand
- but

Example: Let's contrast a shark with a dolphin.

- 1) A shark is a fish but a dolphin is a mammal.
- 2) A shark breathes with gills. However a dolphin breathes using lungs.