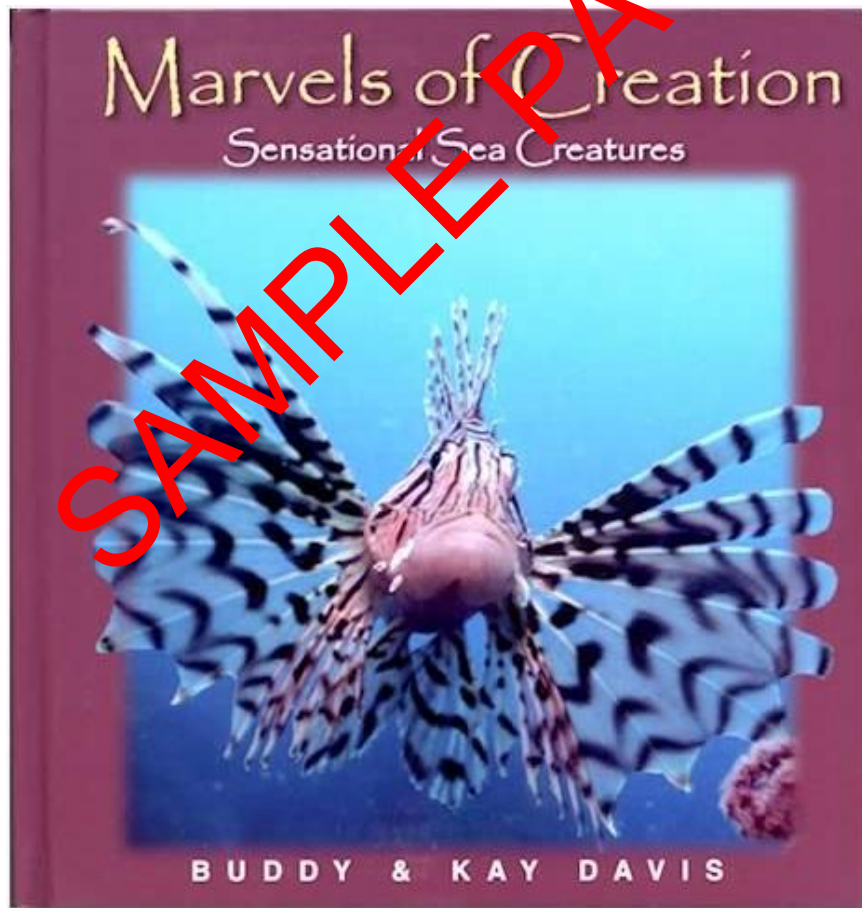




Grades 3-6

Marvels of Creation™

Sensational Sea Creatures Learning Lapbook



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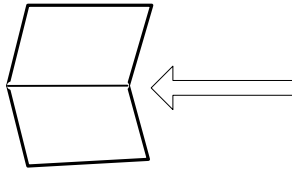
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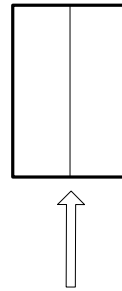
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Things to Know

Hamburger Fold-Fold horizontally



Hotdog Fold-Fold vertically



Dotted Lines-These are the cutting lines.

Accordion Fold-This fold is like making a paper fan. Fold on the first line so that title is on top. Turn over and fold on next line so that title is on top again. Turn over again and fold again on the next line so that title is on top. Continue until all folds are done.

Cover Labels-Most of the booklets that are folded look nicer with a label on top instead of just a blank space. They will be referred to as "cover label."

How Long Does it Take to Complete the Lapbook?

Reading a page in the book and doing the booklet that goes with it a day, a 3-folder lapbook takes about one month to complete. **Please note that NOT ALL pages have a booklet.** However, you can expand the study portion and make it last as long as you like! That's the beauty of homeschooling! Do it YOUR way!

Lapbook Assembly Choices

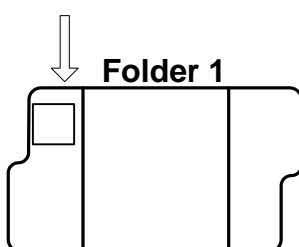
(see photos on how to fold and glue your folders together)

We recommend using Zip Dry Glue or Elmer's Extreme.

Choice #1 -Do not glue your folders together until you have completely finished all three folders. It is easier to work with one folder instead of two or three glued together.

Choice #2 -Glue all of your folders together before beginning. Some children like to see the entire project as they work on it. It helps with keeping up with which folder you are supposed to be working in. The choices are completely up to you and your child!

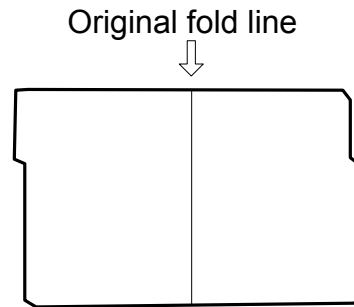
How do I know where to place each template in the folder?



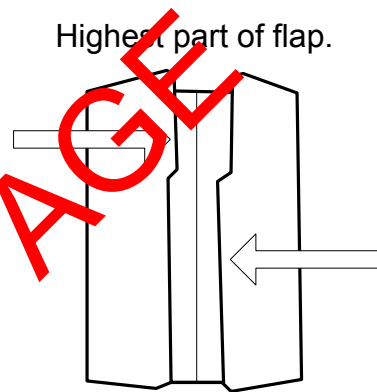
This placement key tells you the template goes in the first folder at the top of the left flap.

Folding a Lapbook Base

Gather the number of folders required for the project. Fold them flat as seen here.



For each folder, fold the left and right sides inward toward the original line to create two flaps. Crease so that the highest part of each flap is touching the original line. It is important not to let the two flaps overlap. *You may want to take a ruler and run it down each crease to make it sharper.*



Glue your folders together by putting glue (or you may staple) on the inside of the flaps. Then press the newly glued flaps together with your hands until they get a good strong hold to each other. Follow this step to add as many folders as you need for your project. Most of our lapbooks have either 2 or 3 folders.

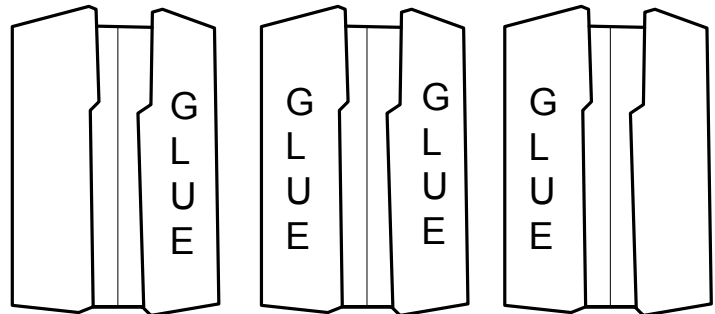
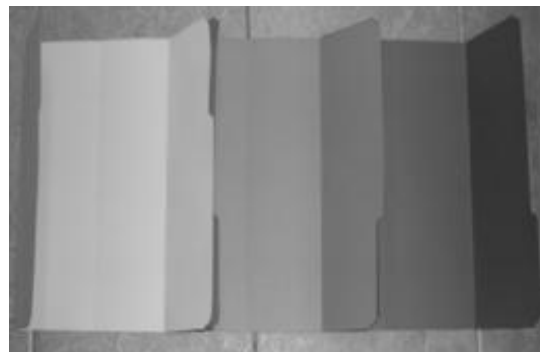
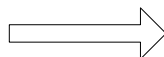


Photo of a completed lapbook base



Supplies and Storage

- *Marvels of Creation™ Sensational Sea Creatures
- *Lapbook Pages
- *3 Colored File Folders
- *Scissors
- *Glue
- *Stapler
- *Brads (not needed for every lapbook. If brads are not available, a stapler will do.)
- *Hole Puncher (again, not needed for every lapbook.)

To make the storage system (optional)

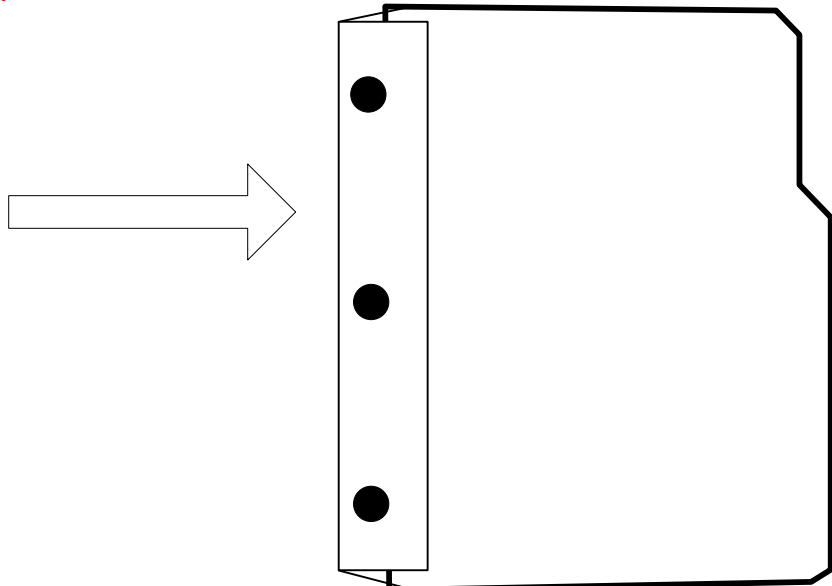
See details below about the use of a storage system.

- *Duct tape (any color)
- *One 3-ring binder
- *Hole Puncher

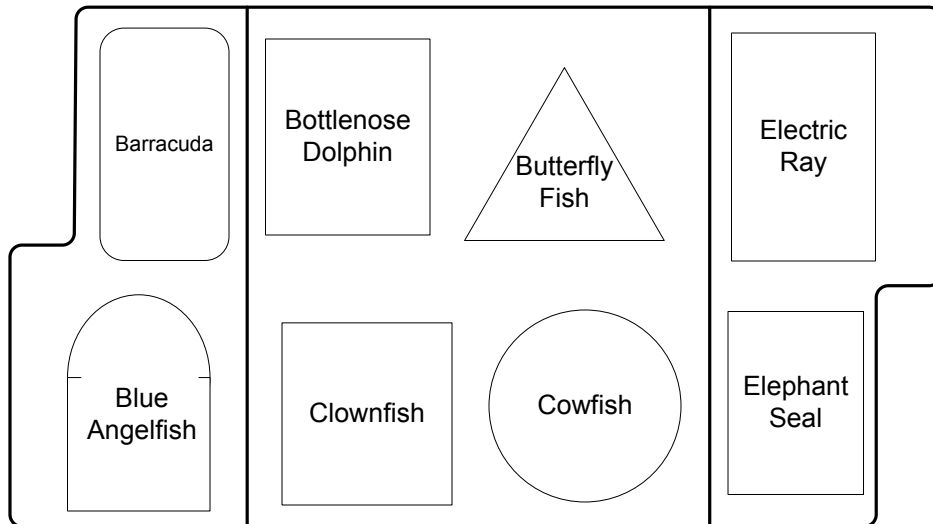
My child has made several lapbooks. Can I store all of the lapbooks together in one place?

Yes! A three-ring binder serves as a great place to keep your lapbooks. This method of storage not only keeps your lapbooks from getting lost but also keeps them neat and readily available to share with dad, grandparents, friends, etc. When you are through sharing your lapbooks, just place the three-ring binder back on your bookshelf! Below are step-by-step directions of how to prepare each lapbook to be placed in a three-ring binder.

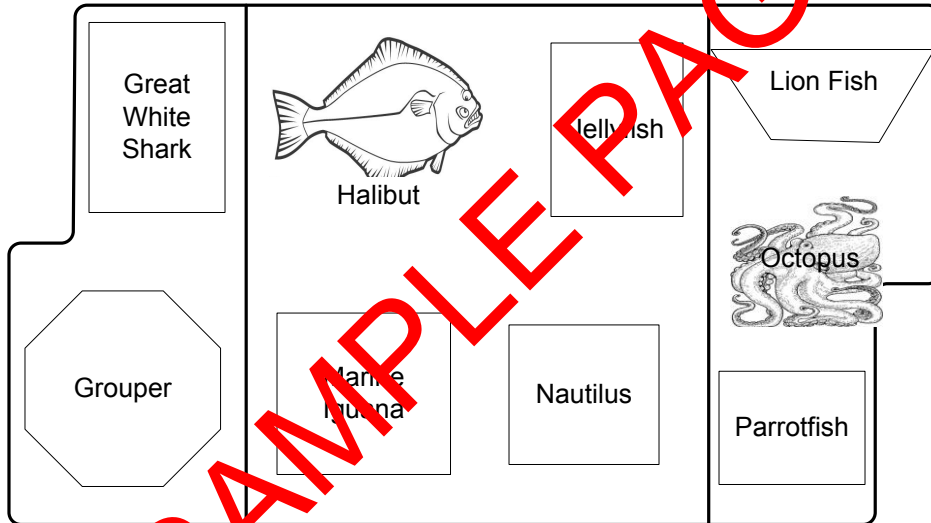
Close the lapbook. Measure a piece of duct tape that is as long as the lapbook. Place the edge of the duct tape on the top edge of the lapbook. Then fold the duct tape over so that it can be placed on the bottom edge. Make sure to leave enough duct tape sticking out from the edges to punch three holes. Be careful when punching the holes that you do not punch the holes in the folder. If you do, that's okay. Then place in three-ring binder. Depending on the size of your three-ring binder, you can store many lapbooks in it.



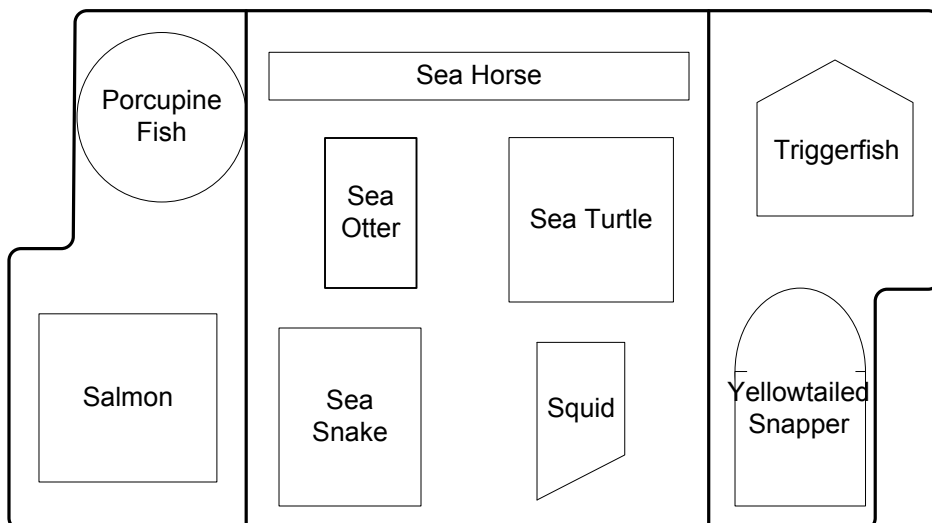
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Folder 3



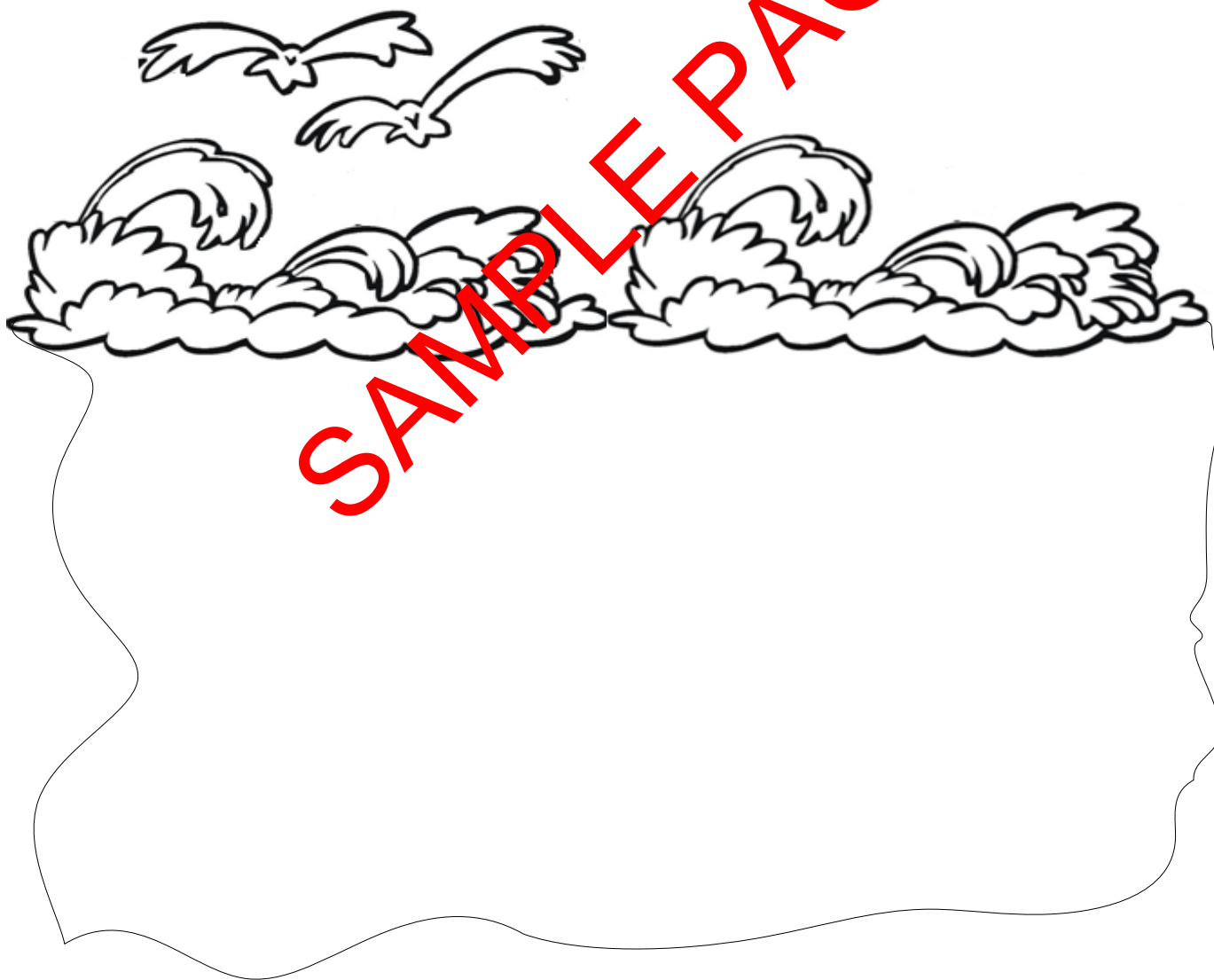
Cover Sheet for *Marvels of Creation: Sensational Sea Creatures*. Cut out the cover sheet and glue to the first page of your lapbook.

Marvels of Creation: Sensational Sea Creatures

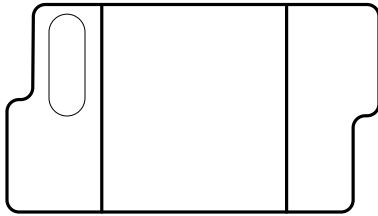
Sea creatures, birds (Gen 1:20-23):

And God said, "Let the water teem with living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the expanse of the sky." So God created the great creatures of the sea and every living and moving thing with which the water teems, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them and said, "Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the water in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth." And there was evening, and there was morning - the fifth day.

Draw what you think it looks like under the ocean.



Folder 1

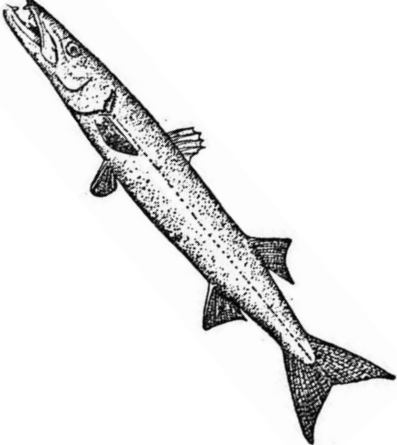


Read Barracuda.

Cut out each piece on this page. Stack together with shortest on top. Staple together. Glue into lapbook.

Directions: Fill out the information on each booklet.

Barracuda



How many species are there?

What other names are they known by?

Names

Length: _____

Weight: _____

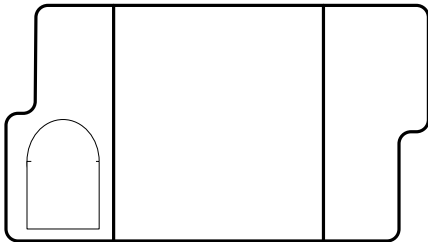
Life Span: _____

Habitat

Facts

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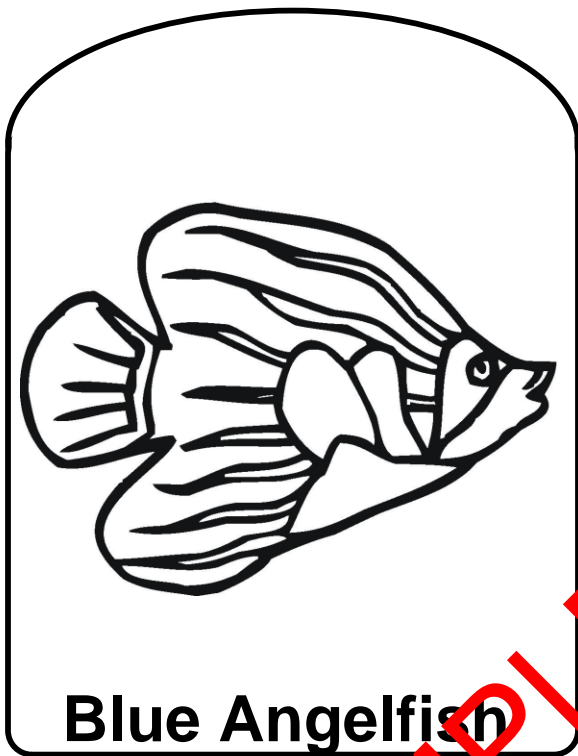
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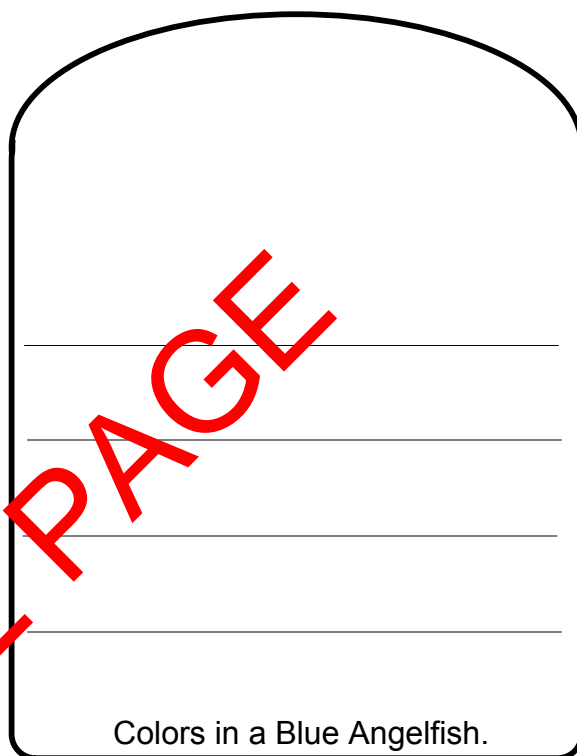
Read Blue Angelfish.

Cut out each booklet. Stack together and fasten with a brad. Glue into the lapbook.

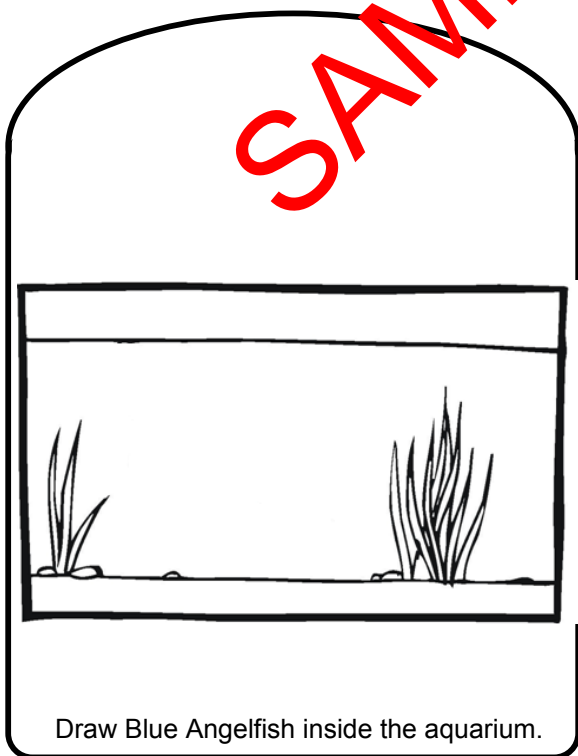
Directions: On each booklet, write what you have learned.



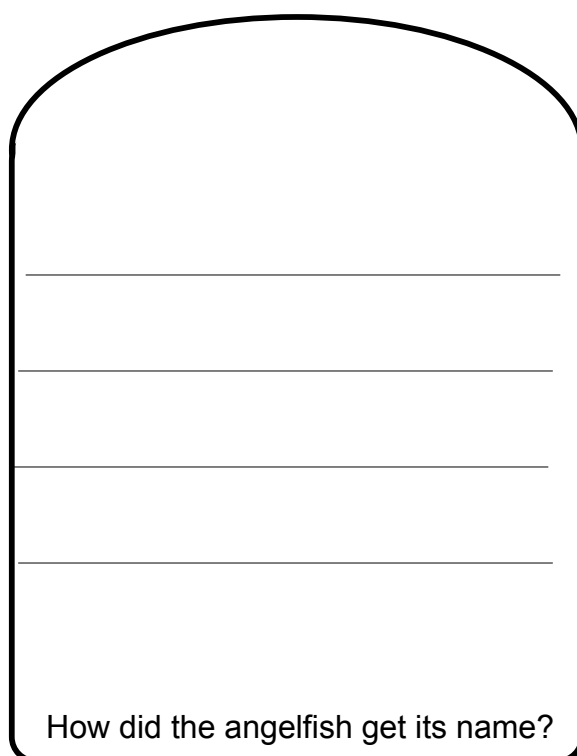
Blue Angelfish



Colors in a Blue Angelfish.



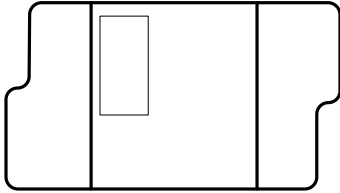
Draw Blue Angelfish inside the aquarium.



How did the angelfish get its name?

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Folder 1



Read Bottlenose Dolphin.

Cut out the booklet as one piece. Hotdog fold in half. Cut out the cover label. Glue to the front of the closed booklet. Glue into lapbook.

Directions: Inside of the booklet, tell what you have learned.

Shade in the area that is home to the Bottlenose Dolphin.

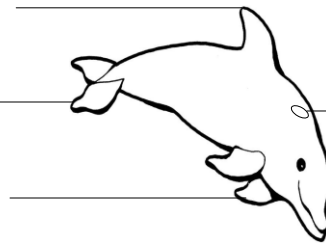


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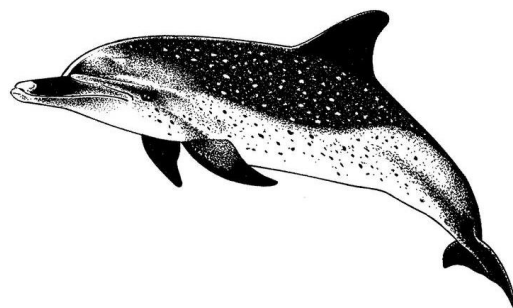
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Label



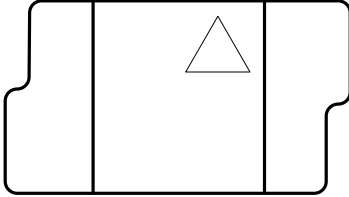
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Cover label



*Bottlenose
Dolphin*

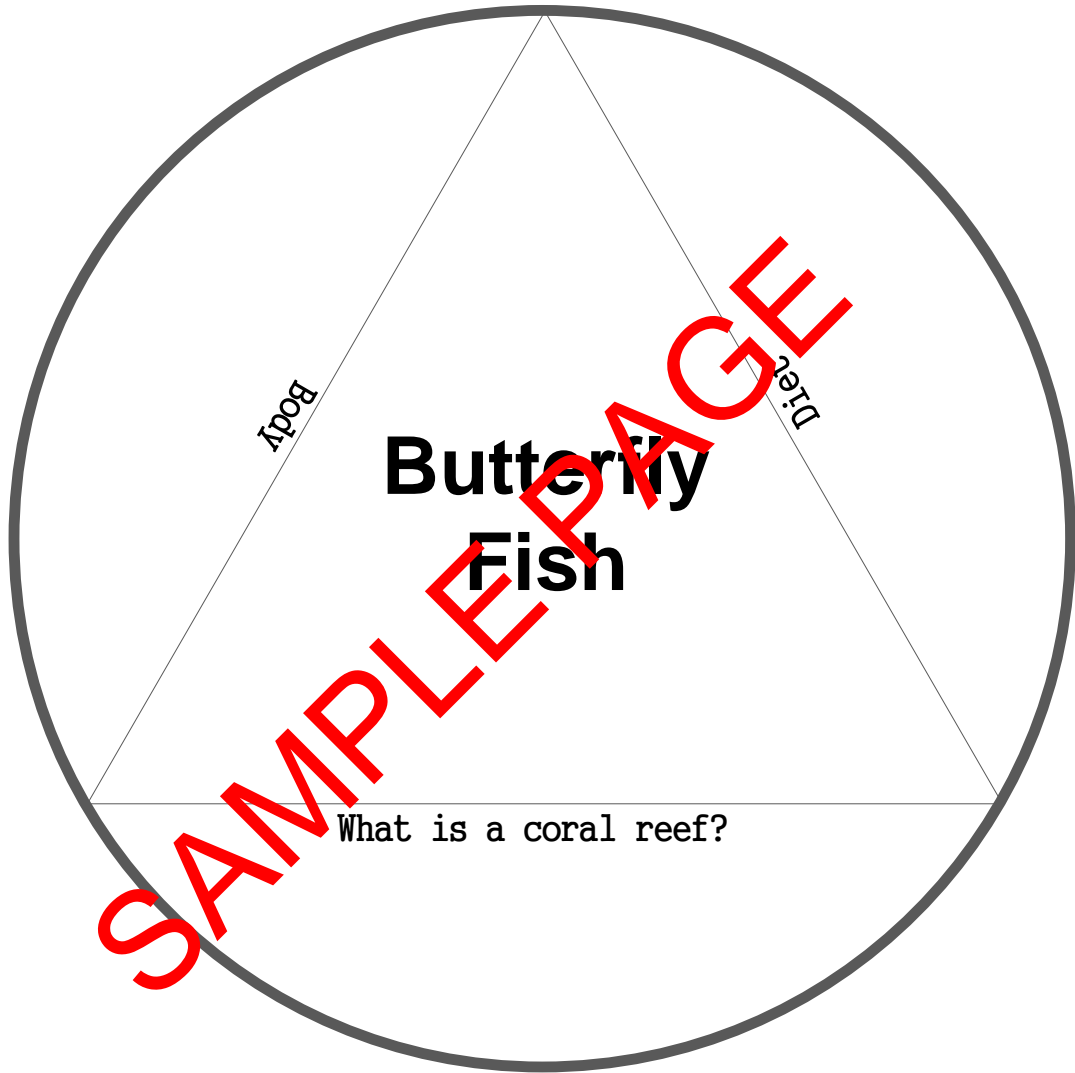
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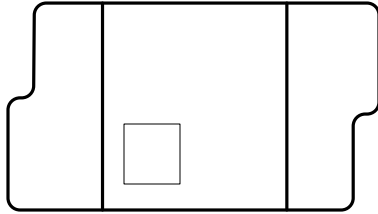
Read Butterfly Fish.

Cut out the circle. Fold on thin lines to form a triangle. **MAKE SURE THE WORDS ARE ON THE INSIDE!** Glue into the lapbook.

Directions: Under the words and question, write what you have learned.



Folder 1



Read Clownfish.

Cut out booklet as one piece. Fold the back bottom section up in back and then fold the flaps back and glue to make a pocket. Cut out the cards on the next page.

Directions: On each booklet, write or draw what you have learned.

Flap

Clownfish

Flap

Hamburger fold

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A large diagram of a clownfish booklet template. It features a central rectangular area containing the word "Clownfish" in a large, bold, black font. Below the text is a line drawing of a clownfish, facing left, with three vertical black stripes on its white body. The central area is flanked by two vertical rectangular flaps, each labeled "Flap" in black text. Below the central area and flaps is a large, empty rectangular box labeled "Hamburger fold" in black text. A large, red, diagonal watermark reading "SAMPLE PAGE" is overlaid across the entire diagram.

Length: _____

Weight: _____

Life Span: _____

Why are they unique?

Shade in the area that is home to the Clownfish.



Family Group

Enemies

Diet

Cool Fact