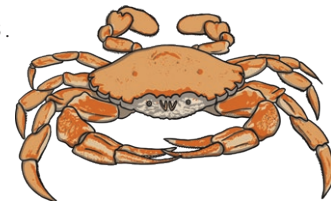


All About Sharks

There are more than 500 different species of sharks. A few species of sharks include great white sharks, gray reef sharks, hammerhead sharks, and tiger sharks.

Sharks are found in every ocean. Some sharks can be deadly, but only about 12 species have ever attacked humans. Most sharks are meat eaters. Some larger sharks eat dolphins, sea lions, and small whales. Smaller sharks eat small aquatic life like clams and crabs.



Sharks can smell a single drop of blood in the water from 400 meters away. They can hear fish moving from 500 meters away. Great white sharks can swim up to 18 mph! Most sharks die if they stop swimming. As long as they keep swimming, water keeps moving over their gills.

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**Sharks are good hunters because they have a very good sense of smell.
They are also very fast swimmers, which helps them catch their prey.**