

Self-Guided Scavenger Hunts at Adventure Aquarium

First, Second and Third Grade: Habitats

Answer Key

Zone A

Irazu Falls is a rainforest habitat where many animals live. Here they find plenty of food and shelter to survive. How many different kinds of fish do you see? **Numbers will vary**

Some animals live in or near places made by people. Name two fish that can be found under the boardwalk, where they find shelter from crashing waves.

Gray Angelfish, Sergeant Major, Porkfish, Parrotfish

In the Rainbow Reef exhibit, there are many colorful fish. A coral reef has lots of food for the animals that live there or the ones just passing through. Draw a picture of a coral reef with your 3 favorite fish. What color are your fish? **Fish can be yellow, red, blue, purple, orange or black**

Ocean Realm is home to sea turtles, sharks, rays and other fish. Sea turtles live in the water but need to go to the surface to breathe air.

How many sea turtles can you find in Ocean Realm?

A sea turtles is a (circle one): Mammal Fish Bird

Reptile



A habitat with trash is not good for animals. Too much plastic ends up in the ocean, hurting the animals that live there.

What can you do to keep plastic out of the ocean and help marine animals?

Pick up trash on the beach, put trash in a trash can, don't put trash in water, recycle plastics, use a refillable water bottle



Zone B

Mystery Animal in Zone B

Most people think I like really cold weather
 But most of my relatives like warmer temperatures
 I live on the beach and in the water
 I need lots of fish to eat
 I am black and white
 Who am I? **Penguin**

I am a (circle one): Mammal Fish Bird Reptile

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Zone C

Some animals like colder water, some like it warm. Find the animals below. Is their water cold or warm? Circle the correct answer

Sea Star



COLD

WARM

Horseshoe Crab



COLD

WARM

Cleaner Shrimp



COLD

WARM

Zone D



Hippos share their habitat with many fish. Here at the aquarium, those fish are cichlids. These fish find food around the hippos. Take a few minutes to watch the fish.

What are the fish doing? ***Eating hay/straw left in the water by the hippos. They also might be swimming or resting***

Can you see the hippos? What are the fish doing near the hippos? ***Fish will be eating food bits on the hippo's skin, around their eyes, near their mouth***

A hippo is a (circle one): Mammal Fish Bird Reptile