**Planet Earth Video Worksheet – Shallow Seas**

1. How deep are “shallow seas”? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. What percentage of oceans are shallow seas? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Which have more biodiversity – shallow sea or deep ocean habitats? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. How old is the baby humpback whale? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. How much milk does he drink per day? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

6. Coral reefs contain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of all marine life on our planet.

7. What adaptation do the pygmy seahorses have?

8. What are dugongs?

9. Describe how dolphins catch their prey.

10. What grows in parts of the sea that produces most of the oxygen in our atmosphere?

11. Kelp forests off the coast of California can grow by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ per day!

12. Sunflower starfish like to eat brittlestars and sand dollars. They use their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to taste for prey.

13. Off the coast of Africa seals thrive on a diet of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

14. Each squid egg capsule contains about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ baby squid.

15. The ragged tooth sharks grow to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ meters while the Great White Shark is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the planet.

16. Why do Great White sharks only live in cold temperate seas? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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17. How long are King Penguin chicks dependent on their parents? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

18. Fur seals normally eat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but sometimes eat penguins.

19. Why do humpback whales travel 6000 miles each year on a round trip from the equator to the polar seas and back? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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On the map below, mark a coordinate for each organism’s location and place a label of the organism’s name next to your mark.





Kingdom of Bahrain,
26°S, 50°E

Aleutian Islands,
52°N and 173°W



Great Barrier Reef,
18°S, 147°E

Shark Bay,
25°S, 113°E

Marion Island,
47°S, 38°E