Label the Shark

Write the correct part name on each line. Use the word bank.

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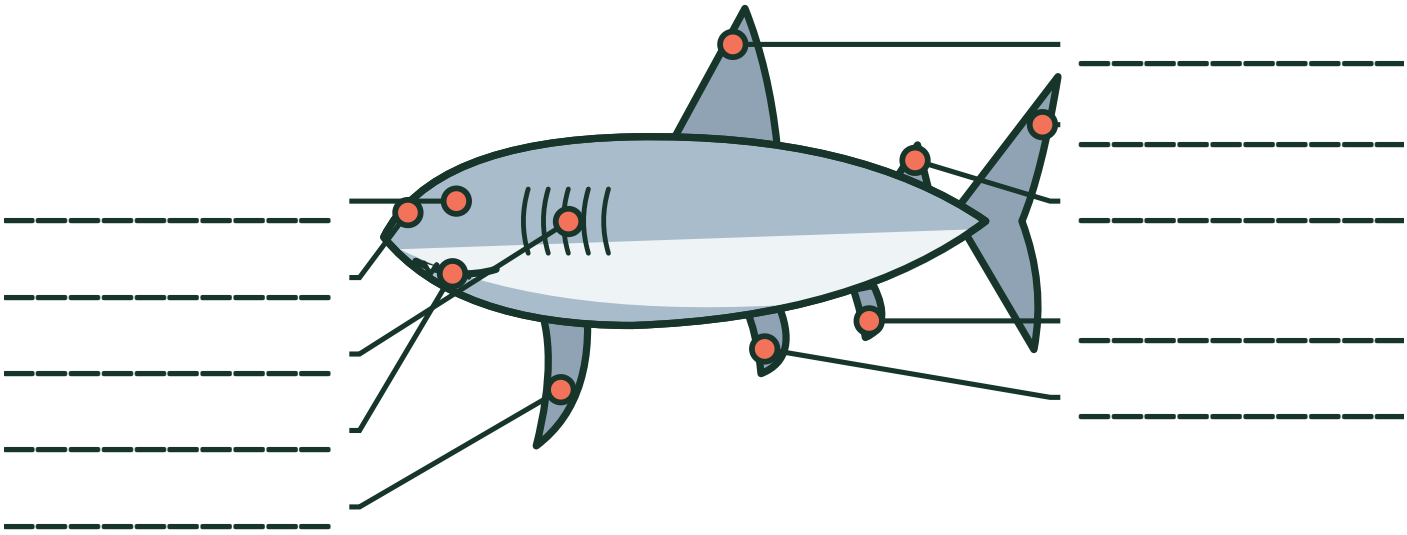
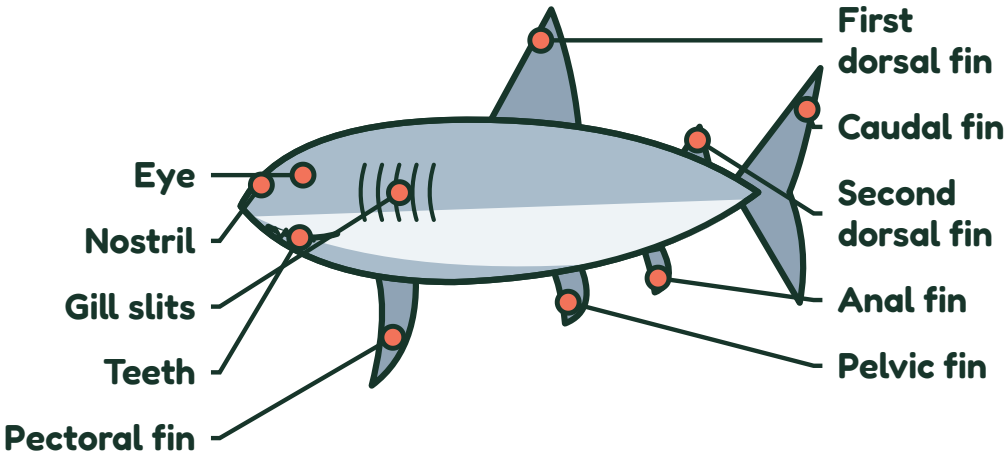


Word bank

Anal fin • Caudal fin • Eye • First dorsal fin • Gill slits • Nostril • Pectoral fin • Pelvic fin • Second dorsal fin • Teeth

Answer Key

Shark Anatomy



Bonus: match the word to its meaning

1. cartilage ____	A. the tail fin, which pushes the shark through the water
2. dermal denticles ____	B. openings on the side of a shark's head where water leaves the gills
3. gill slits ____	C. tiny tooth-like scales that cover a shark's skin
4. ampullae of Lorenzini ____	D. a tough, bendy material that forms a shark's skeleton
5. caudal fin ____	E. jelly-filled pores on a shark's snout that sense electric fields

Answers: 1–D, 2–C, 3–B, 4–E, 5–A