

English

KS2

2016

Year 3 Reading Assessment Answer Booklet - Non-Fiction

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1. What allows sharks to be *flexible*?

1 mark

2. How many varieties of shark are there?

1 mark

3. Draw a line to match the heading with the information provided in each text box of **Shark Infested Facts**

2 marks

A Shark's Body

an explanation about how sharks are designed to find and eat their prey

Fun Facts

an explanation of what sharks are

What Are Sharks?

a short description of the range of shark species and their history

Going Back In Time...

simple statements about sharks

Terrifying Teeth

a description of the different body parts, including statements about them

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4. Look at the section headed: **Going Back in Time...**

Find and copy a phrase that proves that sharks are older than dinosaurs.

1 mark

5. Why do you think the sawshark has its name?

1 mark

6. How does having many rows of teeth help a shark to survive?

2 marks

7. Fill in the table below.

1 mark

Name of shark	What it does
	This can grow as large as a bus.
	This has a very long snout.
Hornshark	

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8. Explain why you think sharks are seen as terrifying.

Explain fully referring to the text in your answer.

2 marks

9. Look at the section headed: **A Shark's Body**

Find and copy one phrase that shows that a nurse shark has gills that perform two jobs.

1 mark

10. What does the word 'jagged' mean?

1 mark

11. Look at the text again.

Tick to show which statements about sharks are **true** and which are **false**.

Statement	True	False
Sharks' skeletons are made of cartilage.		
The Great White Shark can eat large mammals.		
Sharks' teeth cannot be replaced once broken.		
A set of bongo drums was once found in a hammerhead shark's stomach.		

2 marks

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12. What ideas are we given about how a shark's body is adapted to help it survive?

2 marks

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