



## Marine Mammal Monday: Saving Species Activity Guide

1. Unscramble these four words that help define the mission of The Marine Mammal Center. (Hint: 4 of them begin with the letter "R")

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Hbiitotlaraien

Eserael



Seachhre

Dcauenoti

2. True/False: Answer the following statements by circling if it is true or false.

A. *Threatened species are in danger of extinction.*

True

False

B. *The Endangered Species Act provides conservation & protection for **endangered** and **threatened** species of fish, wildlife, and plants.*

True

False



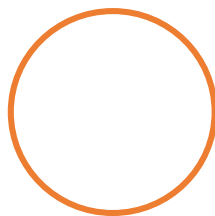
3. What are some *threats* that impact these threatened or endangered patients? List three below.

4. Pick one of the threats you listed above and tell us how you can help protect these animals from that threat.

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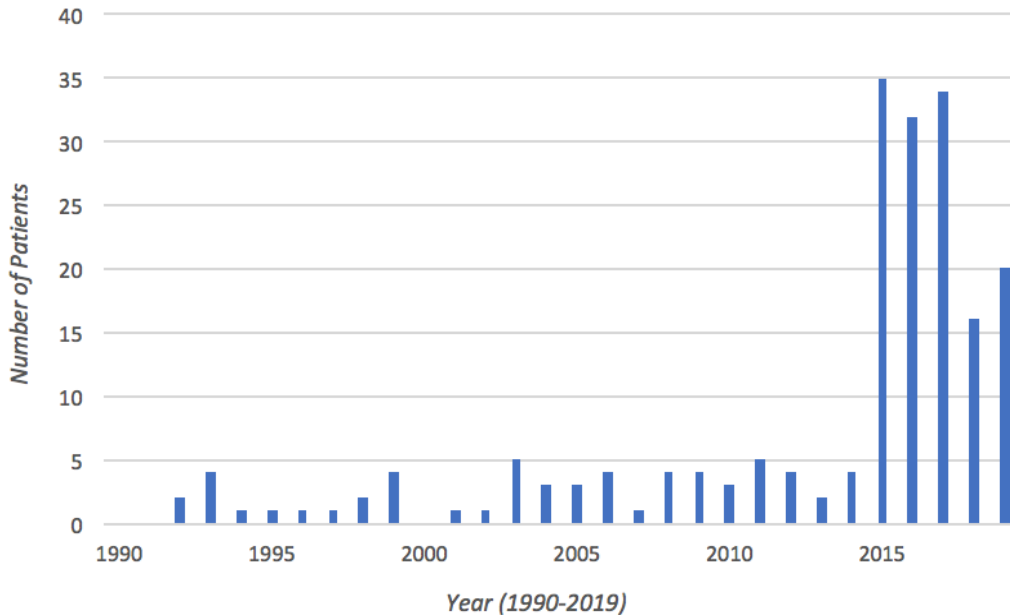
5. The ultimate goal of the Endangered Species Act is to hopefully delist many of the species that are either threatened or endangered due to their recovery. How many marine mammals have been delisted since 1990?





6.

Guadalupe Fur Seal Patients at The Marine Mammal Center



A. What does this chart show?

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B. In what year was there a large *increase* of Guadalupe fur seal patients at the Center?

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C. Why do you think that the Center has seen more Guadalupe fur seals in recent years?

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7. In the photo of the Hawaiian monk seal, identify or circle an item(s) that you see frequently in your home or in public.

A. Can this item be *recycled*?

B. What is a *reusable/alternative option* for this item?

C. How will you try to reduce your use of *single-use items* in your house?



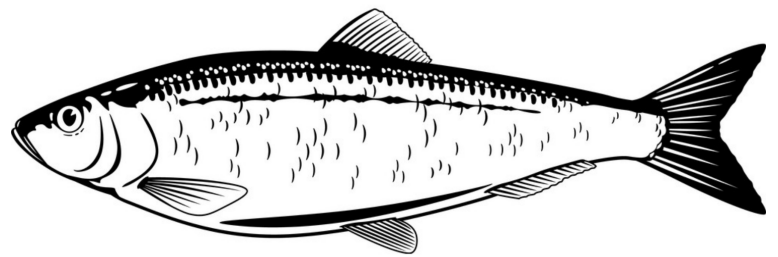


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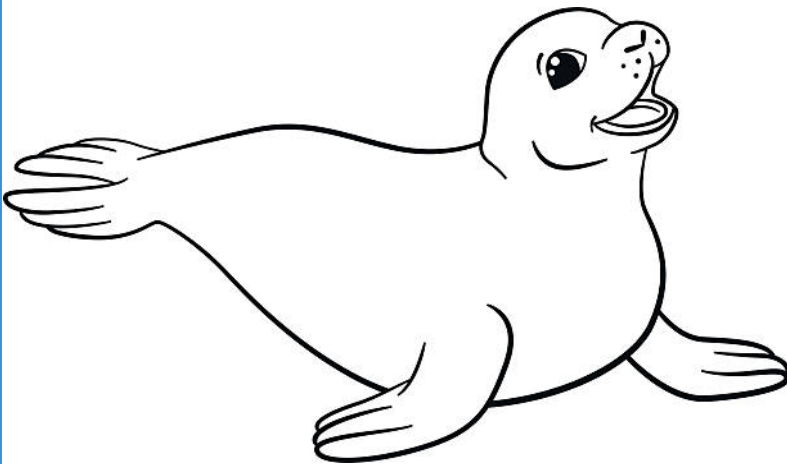
Now that you are an expert on endangered and threatened animals, how will you become an *ocean hero*? Color in (or draw on a separate paper) the pictures below of the ocean hero activities you want to try. You can also click on the words below to learn more about these topics on our website!



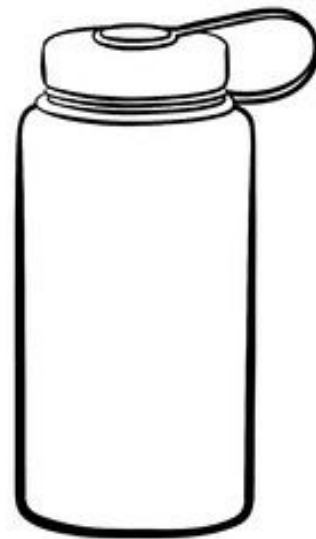
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