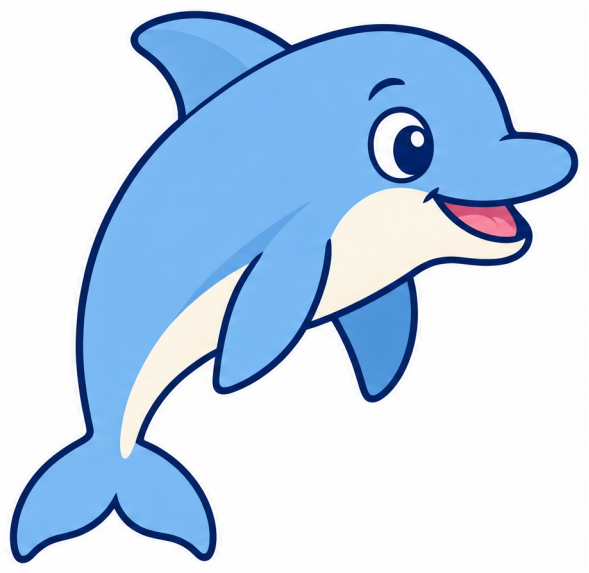
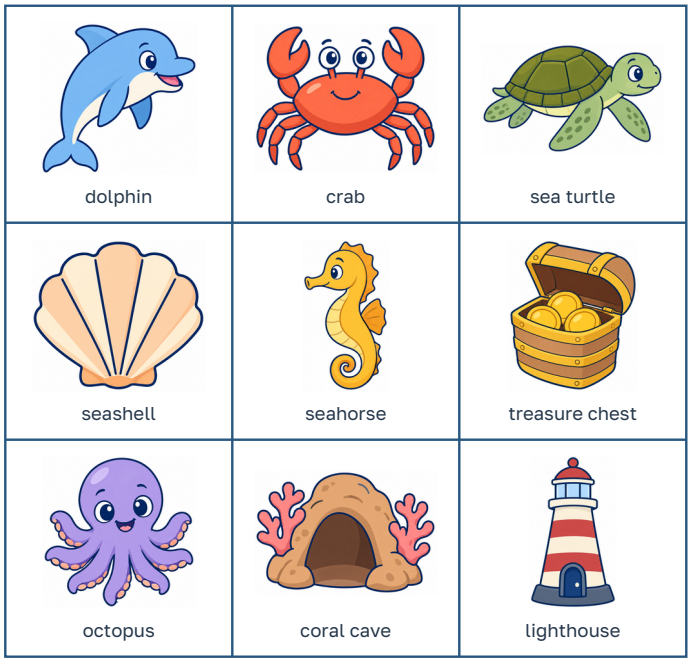
Sea Riddle Bingo

Listen, guess, and dive into the game





Which picture is hiding in the riddle?

2 rounds + 8 boards + 9 riddles

2-4 players in each round

How to play Riddle Bingo

1. Choose one round

Give each of 2-4 players one board from Round 1 or Round 2. Do not mix rounds.

2. Set up the caller

Cut out all nine caller cards. Shuffle them face down. Keep the riddle sheet with the caller.

3. Listen and find

Draw one card. Read its riddle, then the hint if needed. Say the answer and show the card. Everyone covers that picture. Keep drawn cards aside.

4. Make a line

Three covered pictures in a row or column make bingo. Diagonals do not count. Cover the center only when its picture is called.

5. Check and play again

Check the line against drawn cards. Players who finish on the same draw share the win. For Round 2, clear boards, switch groups, and shuffle all nine cards again.

The caller may play without peeking ahead and counts among the 2-4 players. An adult may just call the cards.

Give each player nine counters or small paper squares. Do not cut the boards. An adult cuts the caller cards.

Wrong guesses do not skip a turn: show the answer and find it together. Equal winning chances are not promised.

Print 2-4 boards from one round and page 12 on A4 paper at 100% / Actual Size.

Nine riddles for the caller

Draw a card and read its riddle. Add the hint if needed. Then say the answer and show the picture.

1. dolphin I have a two-part tail and a triangle-shaped fin on my back. Hint: Look for the blue swimmer with no shell or claws.	**2. octopus** My round head sits above soft, bending arms covered in little circles. Hint: I'm purple. Those circles are suckers.	**3. sea turtle** An oval shell covers my back. I swim with wide flippers. Hint: I'm green, with my head peeking out.
4. crab I have a round body, little legs, and two big claws held high. Hint: I'm orange, with eyes above my body.	**5. seahorse** I have a long snout, a small fin, and a curled tail. Hint: My yellow head looks like a horse's.	**6. seashell** I look like a fan, with lines spreading toward my wide edge. Hint: I'm pale. You might find me on a beach.
7. coral cave I have a dark entrance, stone walls, and pink branches on each side. Hint: I'm a shelter among corals, with an archway.	**8. lighthouse** I'm a tall, striped tower with a light at the top and a little door. Hint: I help ships find their way.	**9. treasure chest** I have an open lid, shiny coins, and wide gold bands. Hint: I'm a wooden box for treasure.

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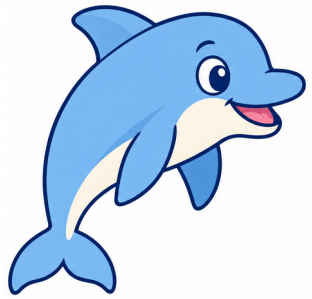
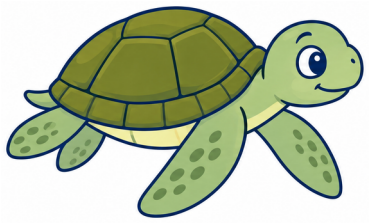
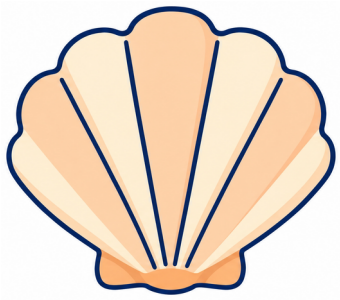
Round 1 · Board 1

Listen to the riddle. Cover the answer picture.

 dolphin	crab	 sea turtle
 seashell	seahorse	treasure chest
octopus	coral cave	lighthouse

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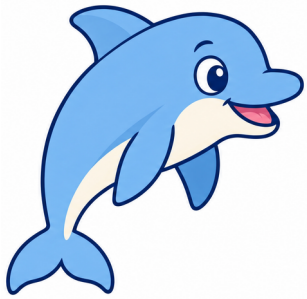
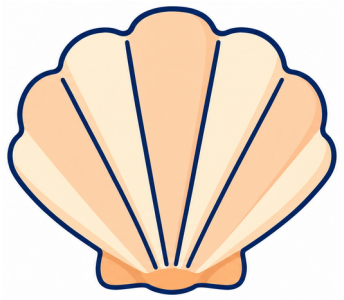
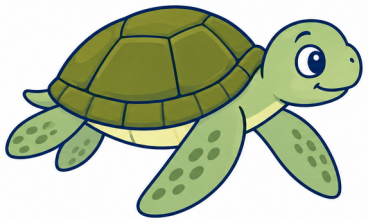
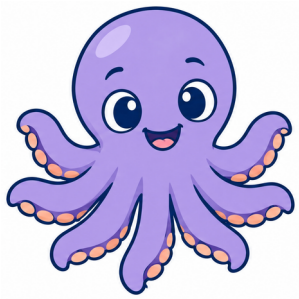
Round 1 · Board 2

Listen to the riddle. Cover the answer picture.

treasure chest	 dolphin	lighthouse
coral cave	 seashell	 sea turtle
seahorse	crab	 octopus

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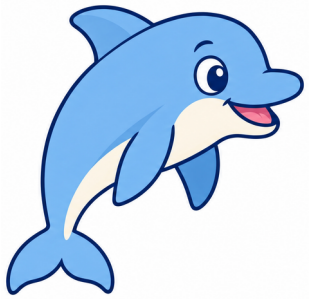
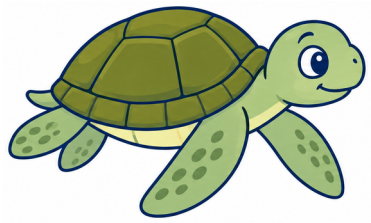
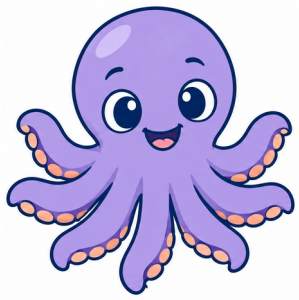
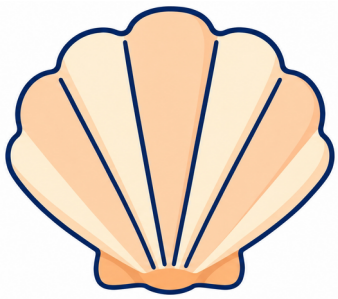
Round 1 · Board 3

Listen to the riddle. Cover the answer picture.

 dolphin	lighthouse	 sea turtle
seahorse	coral cave	 octopus
crab	 seashell	treasure chest

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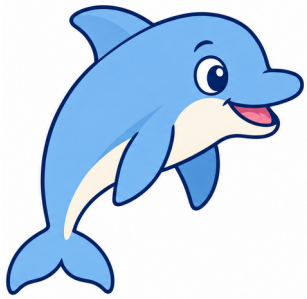
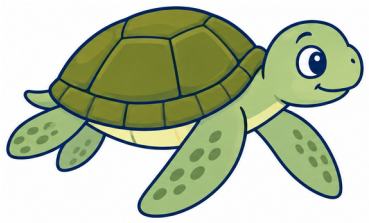
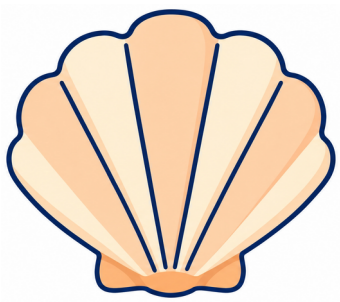
Round 1 · Board 4

Listen to the riddle. Cover the answer picture.

seahorse	 dolphin	 sea turtle
crab	lighthouse	coral cave
 seashell	octopus	treasure chest

3 pictures in a row or column: bingo!

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Sea Riddle Bingo

Round 2 · Board 1

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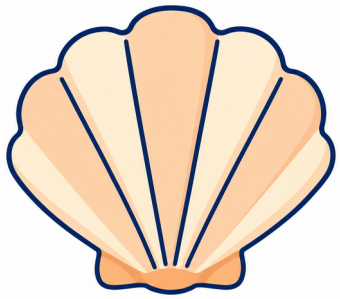
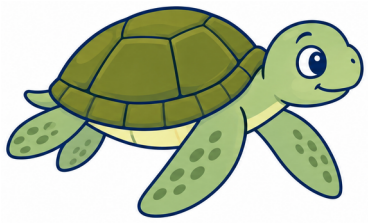
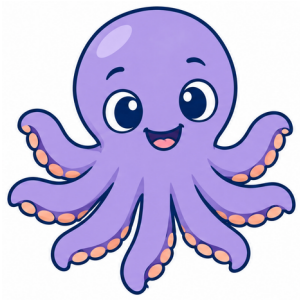
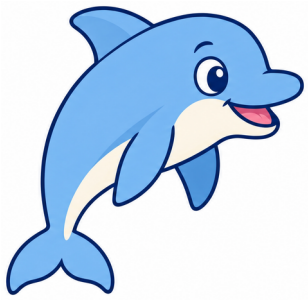
 seashell	 sea turtle	coral cave
 octopus	treasure chest	 dolphin
seahorse	lighthouse	crab

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Sea Riddle Bingo

Round 2 · Board 2

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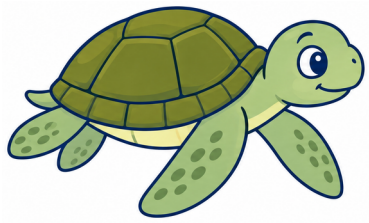
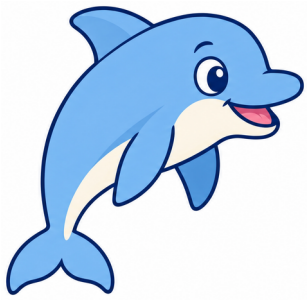
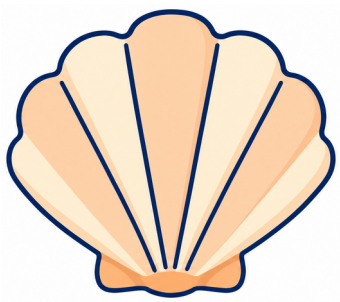
 sea turtle	crab	treasure chest
seahorse	 dolphin	lighthouse
 seashell	octopus	coral cave

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Round 2 · Board 3

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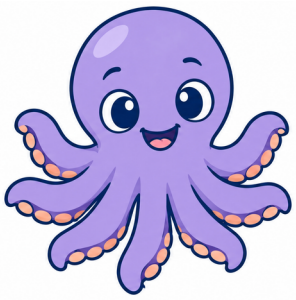
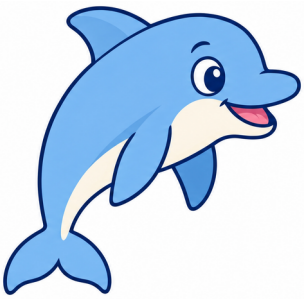
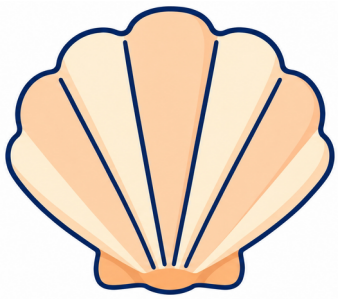
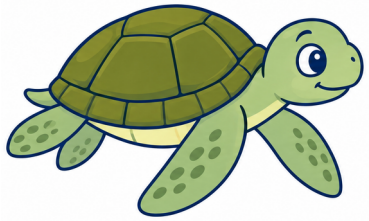
seahorse	 octopus	coral cave
 dolphin	 seashell	 sea turtle

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Round 2 · Board 4

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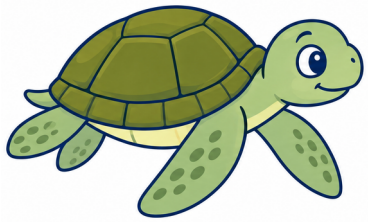
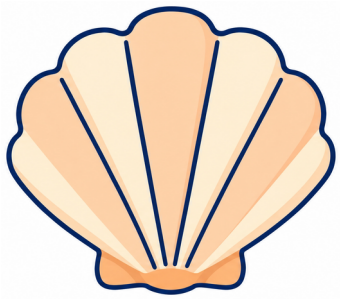
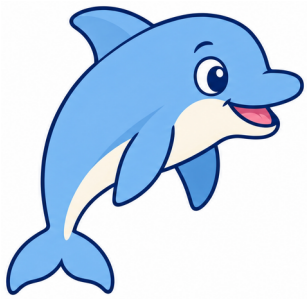
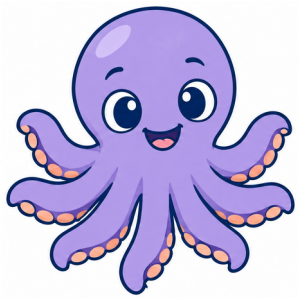
seahorse	 sea turtle	lighthouse
 seashell	 dolphin	 octopus

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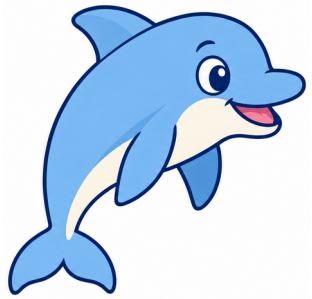
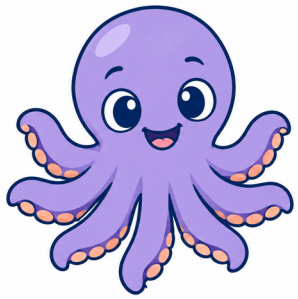
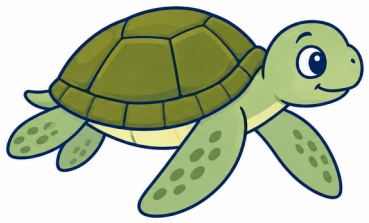
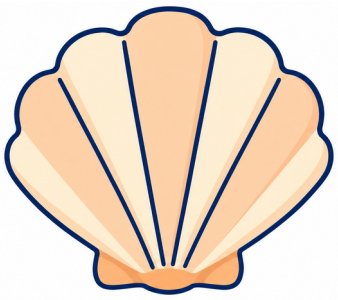
Caller cards

Cut along the dashed lines. Shuffle all nine cards before each round.

 dolphin	 octopus	 sea turtle
crab	seahorse	 seashell
coral cave	lighthouse	treasure chest

Draw one at a time. Keep drawn cards aside. Answers are on the riddle sheet.

After the game: two ideas

1. Sort and explain

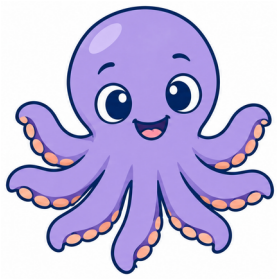
Set aside the five animal cards. Find the tower with a light, the box of treasure, the fan-shaped shell, and the shelter among corals. Say which picture details helped you.

Animals: dolphin, octopus, sea turtle, crab, and seahorse. Other pictures: lighthouse, treasure chest, seashell, and coral cave. Sort the pictures shown; the seashell is pictured without an animal inside.

2. Now you're the caller

Choose a picture and describe it without saying its name. Give two clues about visible details. If two pictures fit, add another detail. Swap roles after the guess.

For a seahorse: 'It has a curled tail. Its head looks like a horse's.' Make up your own description; there is no single required riddle.



Check: Round 1

A full row or column wins. Check the three pictures against drawn cards. Diagonals do not count.

Board 1

Row 1: dolphin · crab · sea turtle
Row 2: seashell · seahorse · treasure chest
Row 3: octopus · coral cave · lighthouse
Column 1: dolphin · seashell · octopus
Column 2: crab · seahorse · coral cave
Column 3: sea turtle · treasure chest · lighthouse

Board 2

Row 1: treasure chest · dolphin · lighthouse
Row 2: coral cave · seashell · sea turtle
Row 3: seahorse · crab · octopus
Column 1: treasure chest · coral cave · seahorse
Column 2: dolphin · seashell · crab
Column 3: lighthouse · sea turtle · octopus

Board 3

Row 1: dolphin · lighthouse · sea turtle
Row 2: seahorse · coral cave · octopus
Row 3: crab · seashell · treasure chest
Column 1: dolphin · seahorse · crab
Column 2: lighthouse · coral cave · seashell
Column 3: sea turtle · octopus · treasure chest

Board 4

Row 1: seahorse · dolphin · sea turtle
Row 2: crab · lighthouse · coral cave
Row 3: seashell · octopus · treasure chest
Column 1: seahorse · crab · seashell
Column 2: dolphin · lighthouse · octopus
Column 3: sea turtle · coral cave · treasure chest

Check: Round 2

A full row or column wins. Check the three pictures against drawn cards. Diagonals do not count.

Board 1

Row 1: seashell · sea turtle · coral cave
Row 2: octopus · treasure chest · dolphin
Row 3: seahorse · lighthouse · crab
Column 1: seashell · octopus · seahorse
Column 2: sea turtle · treasure chest · lighthouse
Column 3: coral cave · dolphin · crab

Board 2

Row 1: sea turtle · crab · treasure chest
Row 2: seahorse · dolphin · lighthouse
Row 3: seashell · octopus · coral cave
Column 1: sea turtle · seahorse · seashell
Column 2: crab · dolphin · octopus
Column 3: treasure chest · lighthouse · coral cave

Board 3

Row 1: crab · lighthouse · treasure chest
Row 2: seahorse · octopus · coral cave
Row 3: dolphin · seashell · sea turtle
Column 1: crab · seahorse · dolphin
Column 2: lighthouse · octopus · seashell
Column 3: treasure chest · coral cave · sea turtle

Board 4

Row 1: treasure chest · coral cave · crab
Row 2: seahorse · sea turtle · lighthouse
Row 3: seashell · dolphin · octopus
Column 1: treasure chest · seahorse · seashell
Column 2: coral cave · sea turtle · dolphin
Column 3: crab · lighthouse · octopus