

Dolphins



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Circle the correct answer(s) for each question below.

1. Dolphins scratch each other with their teeth as a way of communication. What are these scratch marks called?
 - A. Scrape marks
 - B. Graze marks
 - C. Gash marks
 - D. Rake marks

2. The tail of a dolphin is called:
 - A. Fluke
 - B. Pectoral Fin
 - C. Flipper
 - D. Dorsal Fin

3. What are some things that make each dolphin unique, and make it easier to identify each individual?
 - A. Fluke shape
 - B. Signature whistle
 - C. Melon shape
 - D. Dorsal shape

4. What does a dolphin breathe from?
- A. Nose
 - B. Gills
 - C. Blowhole
 - D. Mouth
5. What do dolphins eat?
- A. Bait fish
 - B. Sharks
 - C. Squid
 - D. Shrimp
6. What is a hunting technique that dolphins use that is unique to the Hilton Head area?
- A. Tail slapping
 - B. Bubble nets
 - C. Strandfeeding
 - D. Mud rings
7. How are dolphins able to see with sound, even in murky water?
- A. With their eyesight
 - B. Night vision goggles
 - C. Perception
 - D. Echolocation



8. What species of dolphin do we have in Hilton Head?
- A. Pacific Bottlenose Dolphin
 - B. Atlantic Bottlenose Dolphin
 - C. Common Dolphin
 - D. Spinner Dolphin
9. A group of dolphins is called a:
- A. Pod
 - B. Tribe
 - C. Pride
 - D. Cluster
10. How fast can dolphins swim (in short bursts)?
- A. 10mph
 - B. 15mph
 - C. 20mph
 - D. 25mph

