

# Sand Dollars and Starfish

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Fill in the blank with a word from the word bank.

1. Sand dollars are also referred to as sea biscuits and mermaid money.
2. Sand dollars and starfish have no spines. This means they are invertebrates.
3. Sand dollars and starfish typically can be found in tide pools.
4. Sand dollars and starfish have tube feet which help them move across the ocean floor.
5. The exoskeleton of a sand dollar, or the shell part, is also called a test.
6. Starfish are sometimes called sea stars.
7. Sand dollars and starfish breathe underwater, using their spines as gills.
8. Sand dollars and starfish eat plankton, larvae, and algae because they are filter feeders.



sea stars

sea urchin

invertebrates

tube feet

saltwater

sea biscuits

test

tide pools

filter feeders

echinoderm

gills

cilia



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