

Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary Giant Matching Game

Preparation: Please print and laminate photos for use in the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary Diver activities. For more information refer to the lesson plan.

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This habitat is often compared to a bustling city.

A: Coral Reef

Little animals work together in groups called colonies to form this habitat.

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1 out of 4 (or 25%) of types of marine creatures depend on this habitat for food and shelter.

A: Coral Reefs

This habitat helps keep the seafloor stable and stops land from washing away.

A: Seagrass

There are over 50 species of the plants that form this habitat.

A: Seagrass

The plant that forms this habitat spends its entire life completely underneath salt water.

A: Seagrass

This habitat includes groups of trees with roots that act like snorkels, helping them breathe during high tide.

A: Mangroves

The trees in this habitat grow only in warm, slow moving waters.

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The tangled roots of this habitat is attractive to fish and other creatures seeking food and shelter from predators.

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