

SHIP ACTIVITY SHEETS



DiscoverSea Shipwreck Museum

DiscoverSea Museum Scavenger Hunt

Put the number of the case in
the blank where each item is located.

(Numbers are usually found on the bottemright hand corner of the case)



1. A Child's Leather Shoe _____



2. A Sundial Pocket Watch _____



3. A Human Skull _____



4. A Large Ax _____

5. A Wooden Chest _____



6. A Group of Wine Bottles _____

7. A Ship's Bell _____



8. A Large Coinage Barrel _____

9. A Boarding Sword _____



10. A Wash Basin _____

WHAT DID PIRATES USE?

Which ten of these items would a pirate use?

Put an X beside the items you think were used by Pirates.



1. A Sword _____

2. Flowers _____

3. Cannons _____

4. Treasure Chest _____

5. Sun Tan Oil _____

6. A Ship _____

7. Cameras _____

8. Sewing Machine _____

9. A Flag _____

10. A Pen _____

1. Pistols _____

2. Computers _____

3. Dishwashers _____

4. Drinking Bottles _____

5. A Compass _____

6. Automobiles _____

7. Pipes _____

8. A Television _____

9. Radios _____

10. A Knife _____

DID YOU KNOW THERE WERE FEMALE PIRATES?

Color the picture of
Mary Read



Although most pirates were men, there were a few exceptions. Mary Read is one example. Mary's mother raised her as a boy. Mary ran away when she was fourteen and enjoyed the life of a pirate. She had many adventures at sea. In 1720, Mary was captured by the Royal Navy and taken to Jamaica for trial. She was found guilty of piracy, but was not executed. Instead, Mary went to prison and soon died of fever.

DO YOU KNOW THE PARTS OF A SHIP

Directions: The picture below is of the ship the Susan Constant, which carried settlers to Jamestown, Virginia on 1607. The ship was a typical sailing ship of the seventeenth century. See if you can correctly unscramble the letter groups of things found on the ship. Write the names on the numbered lines below.

1. dhlo
2. ibacn
3. rtsoe moro
4. satm
5. raeegtse oomr
6. ckde
7. lulh
8. estrn
9. duerd
10. asodrbart



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____



TRUE OR FALSE

How much do you know about Pirates?

1. Pirates always did what they wanted. _____

2. Pirates often rammed other boats with their ships. _____

3. Pirates usually traveled with pet parrots. _____

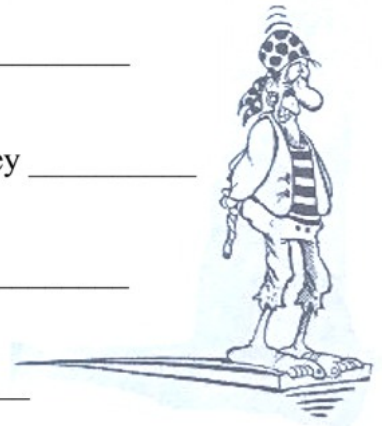


4. Pirates looked like the ones we see in movies. _____

5. A pirate always used a gun when trying to take over someone's ship. _____

6. When a pirate was injured in battle, he usually was rewarded with money _____

7. Pirates sometime dressed in women's clothing to fool an enemy ship _____



8. Blackbeard the pirate shot one of his own men for no reason. _____

9. When a pirate was sentenced to death aboard ship, he was forced to walk the plank. _____

10. There are no more pirates today. _____



SHIPS

Fill in the blanks with the names of the ships

1. Which was the most common two-masted ship in North America ?

2. What French ship was developed for fishing but was also used for privateering and smuggling?

3. Which 18th century ship increased greatly in size over the span of one hundred years?

4. Which ship was used in Holland during the 16th century?

5. What two or three masted ship was common in America and the West Indian waters?

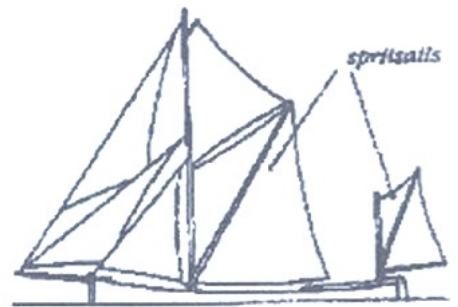
Chasse Maree

These French Ships were developed for fishing, but also profitably used for privateering and smuggling.



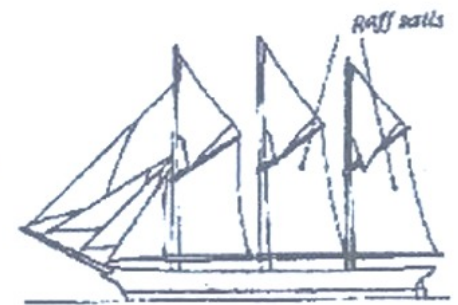
Thames Sailing Barge

The fore-and-aft spritsail, used in Holland from the 16th century, survived longest in Britain on the Thames sailing barge.



Schooner

Schooners may have two or three masts, the tallest always being called the mainmast. It was common in American and West Indian waters.



Brig

These two-masted ships were the most common of all northern square-riggers. However, the mainsail was huge, which made the brig extremely maneuverable.



Ketch

At the beginning of the 18th century this was a small square-rigged ship. During the next 100 years, it increased in size and became entirely fore-and-aft rigged.



HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT OUR OCEANS

Match the questions with the right answers.

1. What is a school of fish? _____

2. What is a sand dollar? _____

3. What is the fastest know marine animal? _____

4. What is extinction? _____

5. How many different types of plants and animals live in the ocean? _____

6. What is a rip tide? _____

7. What are the barrier Islands? _____

8. What does flora mean? _____

9. Do whales swim in groups? _____

10. What is a reef? _____

1. A sailfish has been clocked at 68 miles per hour.

2. Over 250,000 can be found in the ocean.

3. It happens when a species of animal completely dissappears from our planet,

4. They are long, narrow, sandy islands that separate the ocean from the mainland.

5. It is another word for plant life on earth.

6. A group of fish that are all headed in the same direction.

7. A flat version of a sea urchin. It has tiny movable spines on the body that gives it a smooth appearance and touch.

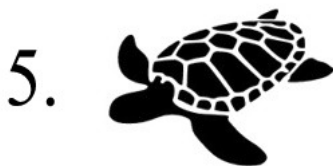
8. It is also called an undertow. It is actualt a strong current that flows quickly out from the shoreline.

9. It is a permanent ridge, mound, or a mass of material located in a waterway.

10. These large mammals swim in groups called pods.



CAN YOU NAME THESE THINGS FOUND IN THE OCEAN?



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

WHAT DID YOU LEARN?

Write a short paragraph on the things you learned from this activity booklet



What did you learn about ships?

What did you learn about Pirates?



What did you learn about our oceans?

