

UNH Marine Docent Program

Marine Mammals Program

Internet Links to Material Related to Marine Mammals

<http://www.arkive.org/explore/species/mammals?q=whales> Information about Whales

<http://www.arkive.org/explore/species/mammals?q=dolphin> Images and information on Dolphins

<http://www.arkive.org/explore/species/mammals?q=porpoise> Information on Porpoises

<http://www.arkive.org/blue-whale/balaenoptera-musculus/videos.html> Videos of Blue Whales

<http://www.arkive.org/blue-whale/balaenoptera-musculus/photos.html> 52 images of Blue Whales

<ftp://ftp.fao.org/docrep/fao/009/t0725e/t0725e03.pdf> Marine Mammals of the World (Identity Key) Easily printed resource material.

<http://www.coastalstudies.org/what-we-do/marine-mammals/index.htm> Provincetown Center for Coastal Studies; marine mammal research

http://www.cresli.org/cresli/cresli_educational_materials_.html Coastal Research and Education Society of Long Island, educational materials

<http://www.cresli.org/cresli/cetacean/cetapage.html> Coastal Research and Education Society of Long Island, Information on Cetaceans (Whales)

<http://www.seaworld.org/animal-info/info-books/index.htm> Detailed resources re: various marine mammals

<http://www.seaworld.org/just-for-teachers/classroom-activities/k-3/pdf/How%20Big%20is%20a%20Blue.pdf>

Classroom activity for comparing sizes of Whales

<http://www.seaworld.org/just-for-teachers/guides/pdf/whales-4-8.pdf> Gr 4-8 program on Whale with lesson plans and activities.

<http://www.ucmp.berkeley.edu/mammal/cetacea/cetacean.html> Introduction to Whales including evolution

<http://www.afsc.noaa.gov/Quarterly/jas2010/divrptsNMML2.htm> The Life and Death of Whaling Wife, An account the the life of Whalers based on logbooks and journals.

www.dolphins.org/distance_learning.php Dolphin Research Center classroom materials

Web Sites for Harbor Seal Information (from Sibylle Carlson)

en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Common_Seal

www.google.com/search?hl=en&q=harbor+seals+photos&aq=5&oq=harbor+seals Images of Seals

www.youtube.com/watch?v=P2xqqXp3-p0 A short documentary on seals in California

Conservation, Protection, Whaling

<http://www.wdcs.org/>

Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society – N. American Office, Plymouth, MA; whale identification photos; general information; online activities for children (puzzles, coloring, etc.)

www.whalecenter.org - Whale Center of New England – Research, Conservation, Protection, Education; species information – Gloucester, MA [On-line Whale Curriculum Guide with information and activities.]

stellwagen.noaa.gov/ Conserve, protect and enhance biological diversity and ecological integrity of Stellwagen Bank

www.ifaw.org

Cape Cod Stranding Network merged with IFAW (International Fund for Animal Welfare) – Organization works to save individual animals, animal populations, and habitats (re marine mammals: eliminate whaling, protect seals, and rescue stranded marine mammals) through education, action and advocacy.

Opportunities:

UNH Marine Docent Marine Mammal Team – *We hope you will join our team.*

www.blueoceansociety.org/ - **Blue Ocean Society**, Portsmouth, NH – “promoting marine conservation through education and research in New England” – beach cleanup, whale naturalists on whale watching vessels (Rye Harbor, Newburyport), training in data collection; species information. Jen Kennedy has a website with extensive information about marine life, conservation, habitats, etc. (marinelife.about.com/).

www.seacoastsciencecenter.org/ - **Seacoast Science Center** has exhibit and programs related to *Tofu, the Journey of a Humpback Whale*, as well as varied marine education opportunities.