



The characters in Sharing a Shell live in a rock pool habitat. They are fictional but the creatures they are based on are real so the Non-fiction Ninjas have another challenge for you!



Choose one of the creatures from the story, or another rock pool creature that interests you, and find out some facts that you can share. Remember that non-fiction writing contains information and not imagination! Use your new knowledge to write 2 or 3 sentences that tell your reader all about the creature you have chosen.

There is a word mat and lined paper on the website that you can print if you would like to.

Remember: Think it, say it, write it, read it.

There is a PowerPoint on the school website with information about rock pool creatures or you could look at these links with an adult:

5 Facts about hermit crabs: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LhKo-S8QHvQ>

Octonauts and the Hermit Crabs <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zZMfUiQnPlg>

Octonauts Anemone Creature Report <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h8Sa88XZehg>

BBC Bitesize Rockpools <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zpfncw>

Remember to look in non-fiction books at home too. Use the contents and index to help you find the information you need.

If you go to a beach over the summer, you might find a rock pool and spot some of these creatures! Stay with an adult when you are near the water and remember to look after yourself and the wildlife.