

Shellfish

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Some shellfish have only one shell.

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**Some shellfish have two shells.
These shellfish can open and close
their shells.**

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**Most shellfish with one shell live on
rocks. These shellfish have a large foot
to help it cling to the rocks.**

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The shellfish also uses its foot to move with.

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Most shellfish with two shells live in the sand or the mud.

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These shellfish use their large foot to dig in the sand.

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A clam hides from other animals by doing this.

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Some shellfish eat tiny plants and animals that float about in the water.

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Most shellfish live in the sea.

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Some shellfish live in rivers or lakes.

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**Shellfish belong to the snail family.
Snails live on land.**

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Many shellfish are good to eat. Some people eat snails too.

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Fish like to eat shellfish too.

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The shell of a shellfish protects it from small fish.

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A shellfish does not have a backbone. It has a shell instead.

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