Florida has 1,197 miles of coastline. The Florida fishing industry is very valuable to the United States.
Reef fish are colorful fish. Amberjack, Snapper and Grouper are found around reefs.
The Mahi-Mahi, also known as Dolphin, is not the same as a porpoise. The porpoise is a mammal. The Mahi-Mahi is a fish.
The Blue Crab, Golden Crab and Stone Crab have five pairs of legs. One of these pair is the claws. Crabs have a hard shell or “exoskeleton.”
In Florida, shrimp are harvested with trawls, cone-shaped nets, towed along the bottom in waters near shore. The nets have doors to let turtles out.
Florida Shrimp

Brown Shrimp

Pink Shrimp

White Shrimp

Royal Red Shrimp

Rock Shrimp

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The Spiny Lobster has many spines on the body, two horns, a pair of long antennae and five pairs of walking legs.
Oysters are harvested from small boats by fishermen using large long handled tongs to scoop clumps of oysters from the bottom.
Message in a Bottle

There’s a message in the bottle but the last word in the message has washed away. Guess each word in the list of clues. The letters in the darkened boxes will give you the missing word in the message.

clues:
1. glad
2. simple
3. everyone
4. correct
5. city

answers:
1. happy 2. easy 3. all 4. right 5. town

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Aquaculture or Aqua Farming

Aquaculture is the growing of plants, marine or freshwater species in water.
Clams are placed in protective nylon mesh bags to grow in the ocean.
Florida farm-raised Shrimp are naturally grown without chemicals.
Farm-raised Catfish are raised in ponds filled with pure, fresh, water and fed a high-protein diet.
Farm-Raised Alligator

Farm-raised Alligators are regulated by wildlife management programs. Alligators are farm-raised for their meat and skins.
Florida seafood is transported in refrigerated trucks and airplanes.

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Restaurants and supermarkets sell Florida’s seafood because it is wholesome and delicious.
Florida seafood is delicious when grilled, steamed, broiled, baked or microwaved.
Tropical Fish

Did you know aquarium fish are the most popular pets in America? There are more than 185 million pet fish in the United States.
Who Am I?

Draw a line connecting the fish with its name.

Yellowfin Tuna
Red Snapper
Mullet
Mahi-Mahi
Flounder
Shark
Grouper

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Name My Body Parts

Draw a line from the fish to the proper body part name.

Gill Plate       Pectoral Fin       Dorsal Fin       Lateral Line

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