

Oceans



Oceans

- The ocean is a large body of salt water.
- Billions of living things can be found in the oceans.
- Almost all living things in the ocean are found in the shallow waters.



Animals

- Fish are the largest animal group found in the ocean.
- Animals that live in the ocean have special adaptations that help them survive.
 - gills to help them breathe
 - camouflage
 - fins to help them move



Plants

- Few plants can survive in the ocean.
- Most ocean plants are not true plants, they are algae.
- Plants that can survive the ocean have special adaptations.
 - shallow, or no roots
 - air bladders



VOCABULARY

- Algae- plantlike living things
- Gill- a body part that gets oxygen from the water.

