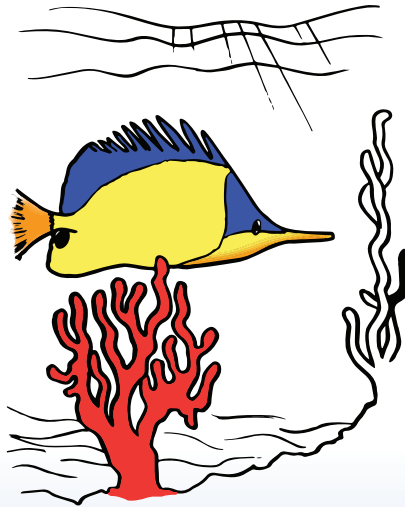
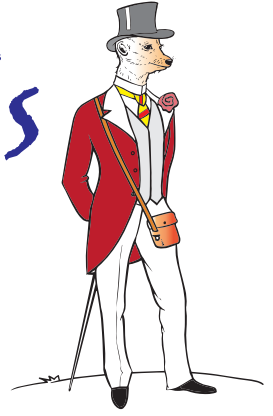


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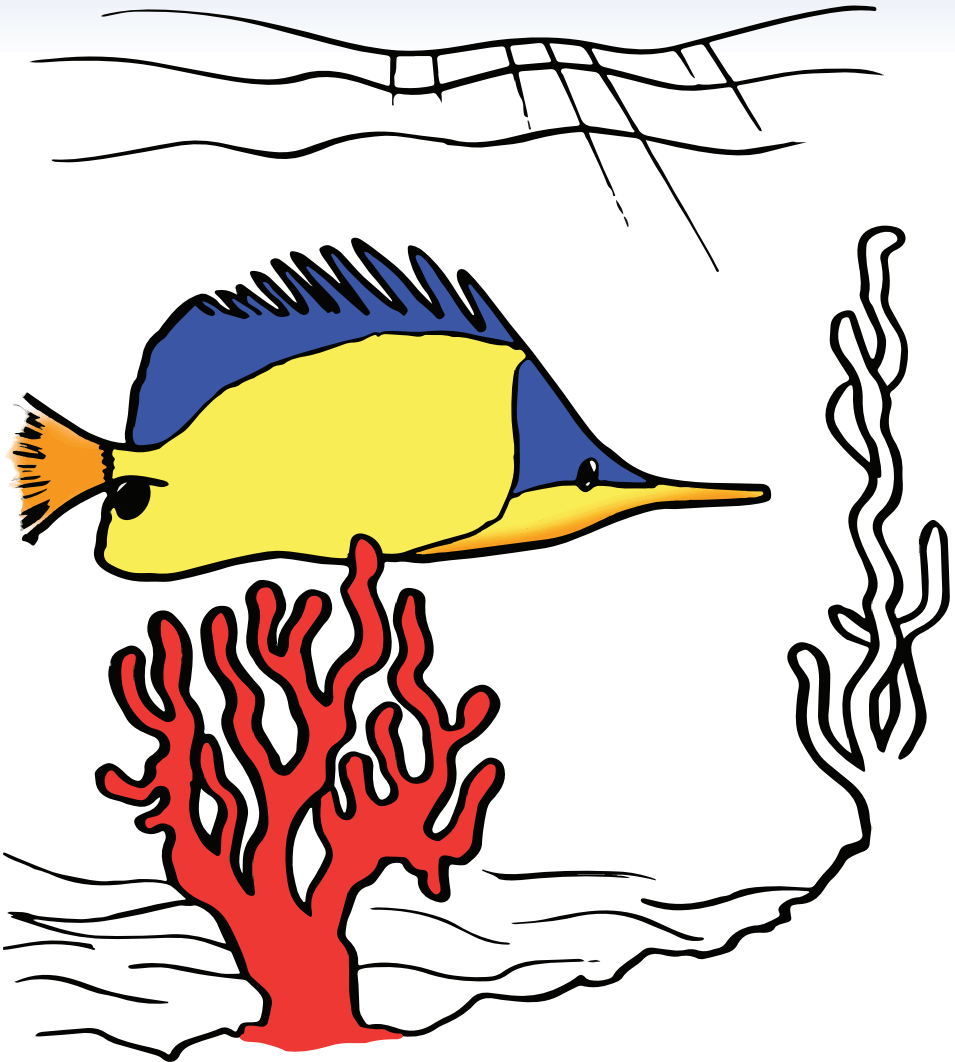
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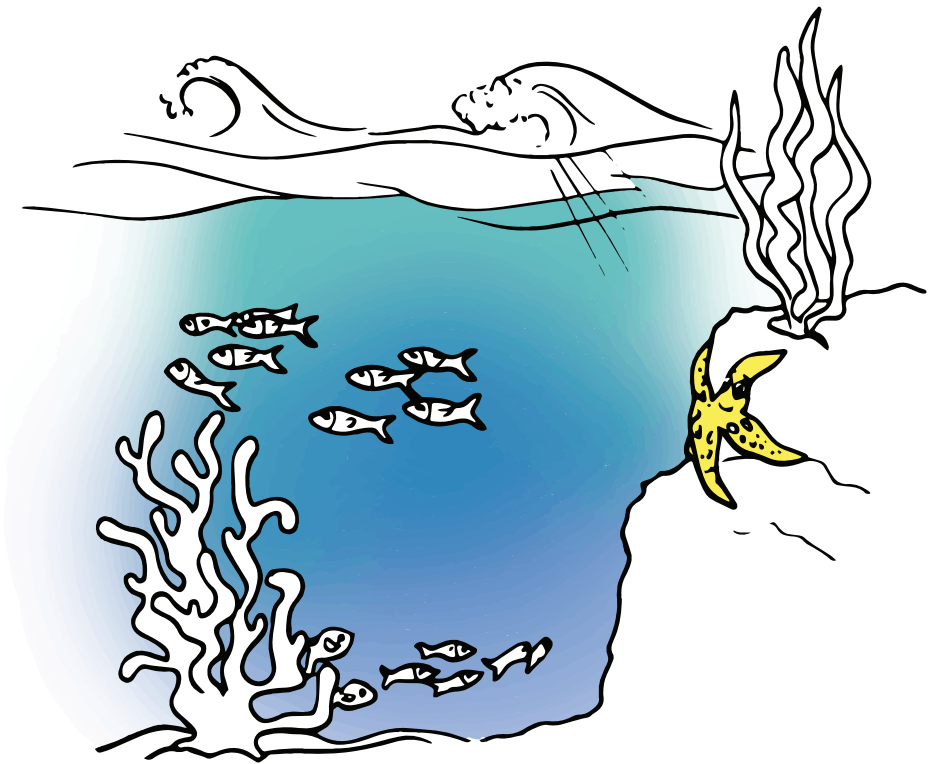
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# Whales Come to Visit

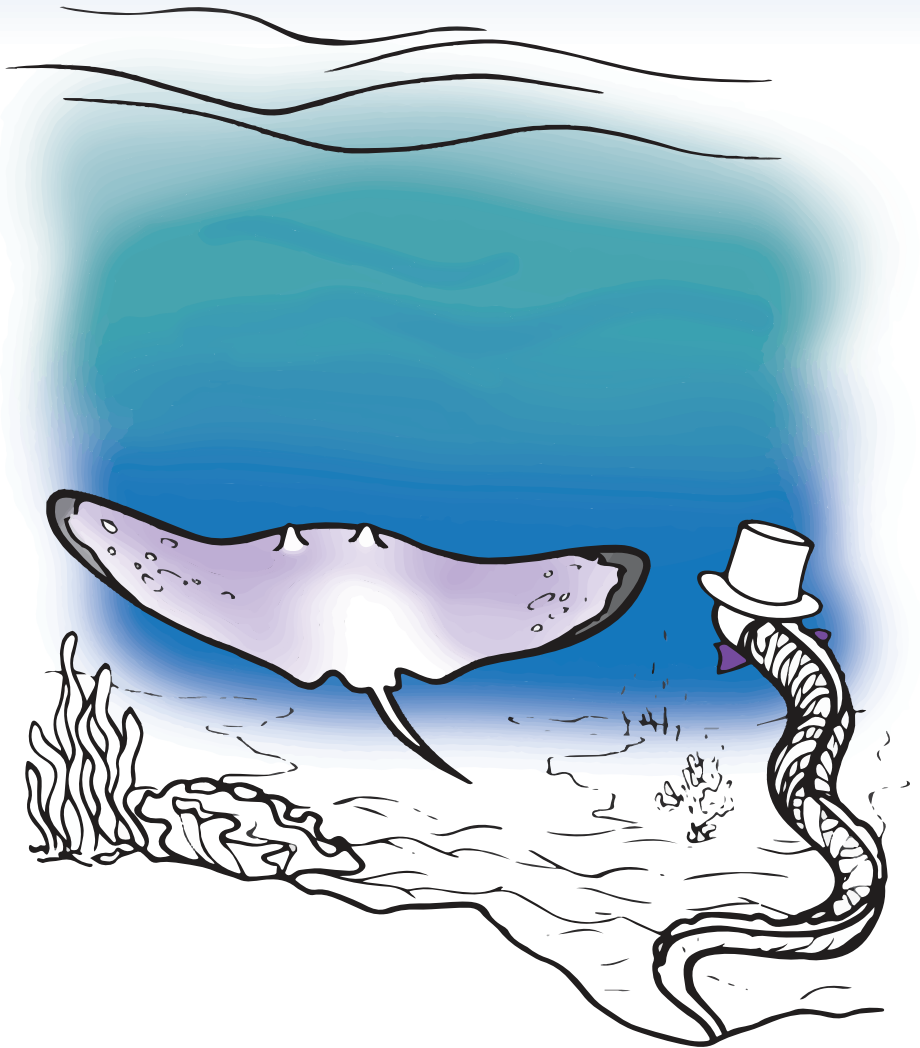
Sunlight streamed to the ocean floor  
The sea was mirror blue  
And yellow butterfly fish swam by  
Where the red coral trees grew

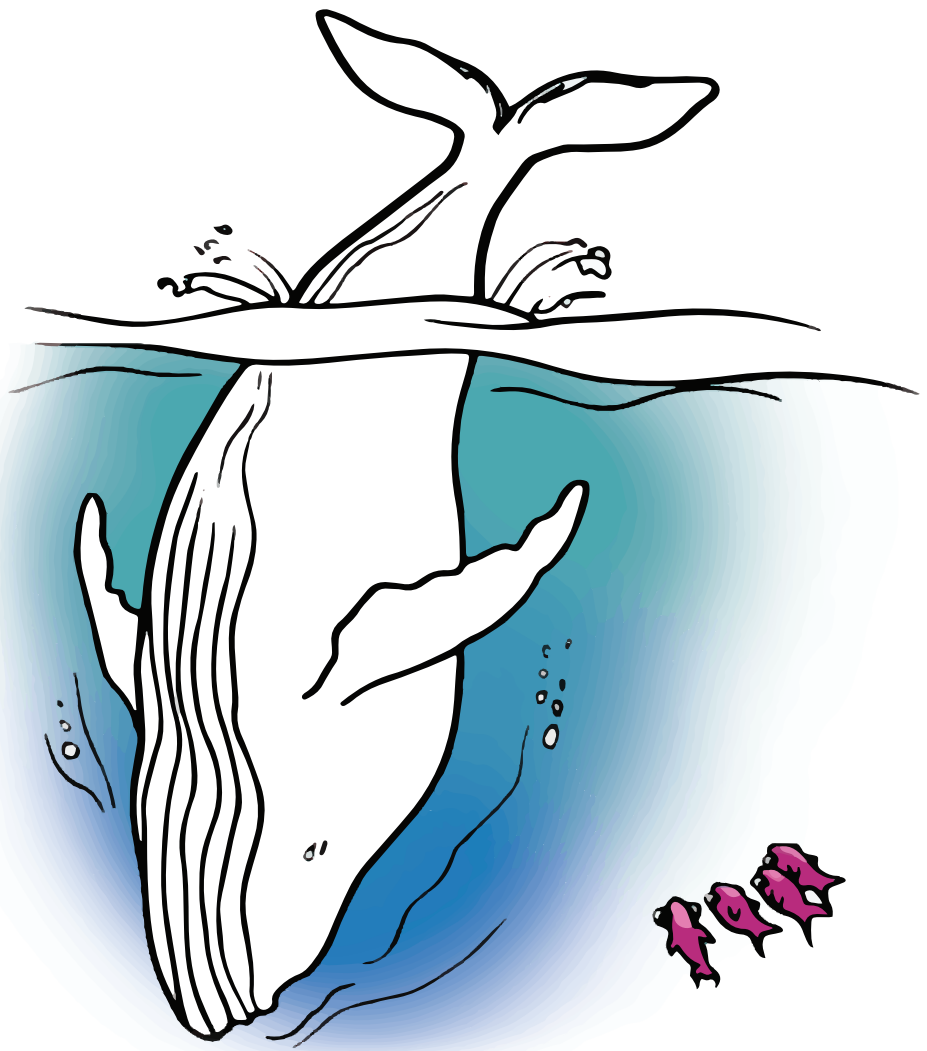




*Waves are splashing and dancing about  
For summer time has come  
And creatures of the reef are glad  
To play with everyone*

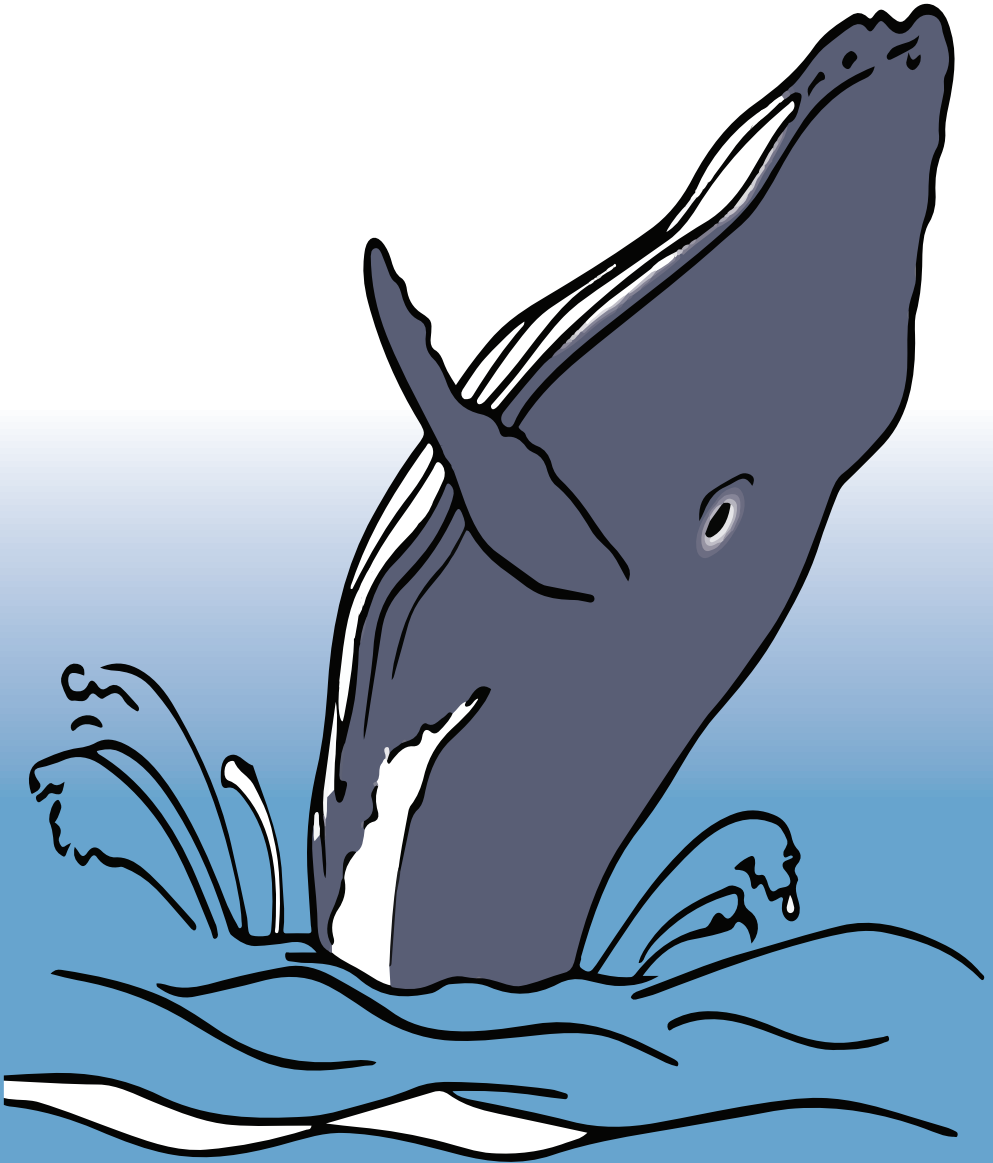
Now Rocky Ray is out of bed  
And Maurie's hat's on straight  
For today they'll see the whales pass by  
It's really quite a treat





*They dive down low to say hello  
Then swim towards the sky  
They breach the waves and take some air  
And throw their tails high*

*The fish are always so impressed  
To see the monsters breaching  
And all are glad to see their fun  
And listen to them calling*





*But say goodbye for another year  
Their play today is done  
For whales swim far north each year  
To chase the summer sun*