

MONTEREY: A CITY OF THE SEA

Answer the questions about the text.

1. Where is the city of Monterey? Fill in the blanks in the sentences below.

Monterey is in the state of California.

It sits on the coast of the Pacific Ocean.

2. Why do so many whales come to Monterey Bay?

[Sample Answer] Monterey Bay has a lot of the food that whales like to eat.

3. What type of whale is Monterey most famous for?

Monterey is most famous for California gray whales.

4. Look at the word in bold in the second paragraph. Based on clues in the text, what does **migrate** mean?

Migrate means to travel from one place to another.

5. What locations in Monterey are shown in the pictures in the passage?

1. Old Fisherman's Wharf

2. a kelp forest in Monterey Bay

3. Monterey Bay Aquarium

6. Based on the text, which of the following animals can be found in or around Monterey Bay? Select all that apply.

a. crocodiles

b. sea otters

c. manatees

d. sea lions

e. dolphins

f. harbor seals

g. penguins

h. pelicans

7. What is the main idea of the passage? Write your answer in a complete sentence.

[Sample Answer] The city of Monterey, California, is a great place to see and learn about many ocean animals.