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Quotes as Evidence #3

Answer each question below in your own words. Then, choose a quote from the text that supports your answer. Remember to use quotation marks when you write each quote.

Example: Where do narwhals live?

Answer: Narwhals live in very cold oceans in the Northern Hemisphere.

Evidence: "It lives in the arctic waters of the North Atlantic Ocean, off the coast of Canada and sometimes as far as Greenland and Russia."



1. Why are narwhals called "unicorn whales"?

Answer: Narwhals are called unicorn whales because they have a single horn on their head just like a unicorn.

Evidence: "It is famous for its single tusk, or 'unicorn horn,' which sticks out just above its mouth."

2. Why do narwhals have a tusk?

Answer: A narwhal's tusk helps it fight, survive, and hunt.

Evidence: "[It] allows the narwhal to detect things in its environment."

3. What sets a narwhal apart from other tusked animals?

Answer: Unlike other animals with tusks, the narwhal only has one and it is spiral shaped.

Evidence: "Some mammals, such as walruses and elephants, have tusks, but none are as strange as the narwhal's. It has a spiral shape and is hollow on the inside."