

Make a Whale

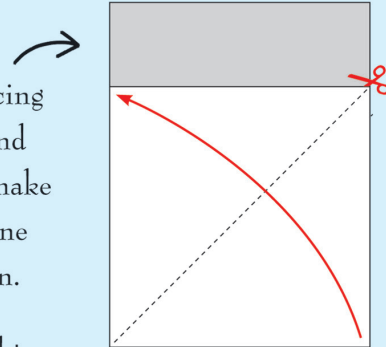


You will need:

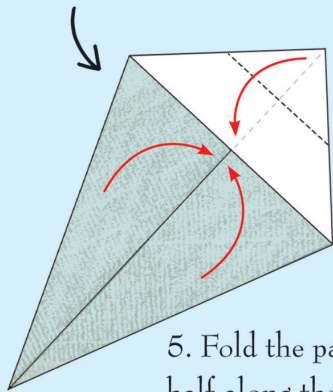
A piece of A4 paper, a blue or grey crayon, a square of white paper (about 8cm square), ruler, safety scissors, black pen or crayon.

The Body

1. Lay out the A4 paper with a short edge facing you. Pick up the bottom right-hand corner and fold it diagonally across to the long edge to make a triangle. Trim off the extra paper. Colour one side of the paper with your blue or grey crayon.

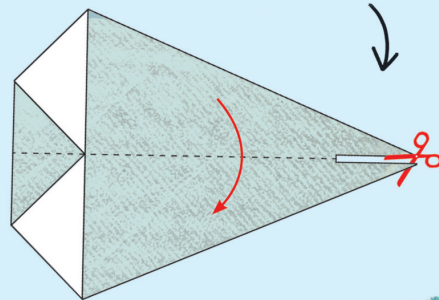


2. Unfold the triangle to make a square. Fold two opposite corners to the crease to make two long thin triangles.



3. Fold the top corner down to meet the two triangles.

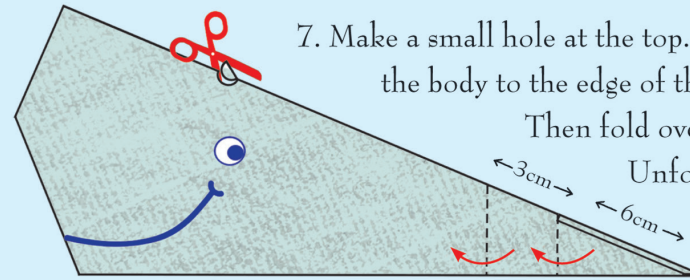
4. Make a 6cm cut here. This will become the tail.



5. Fold the paper in half along the central crease.



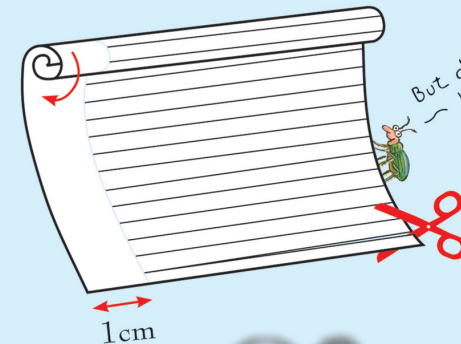
6. Draw some eyes and a smile on your whale.



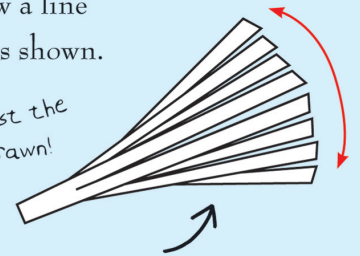
7. Make a small hole at the top. Fold the tail back over the body to the edge of the cut you made earlier. Then fold over once again as shown. Unfold the tail and separate the two ends of the tail at the cut.

The Blowhole

8. On the 8 x 8cm square of white paper, draw a line 1cm from the edge. Cut strips up to the line as shown.



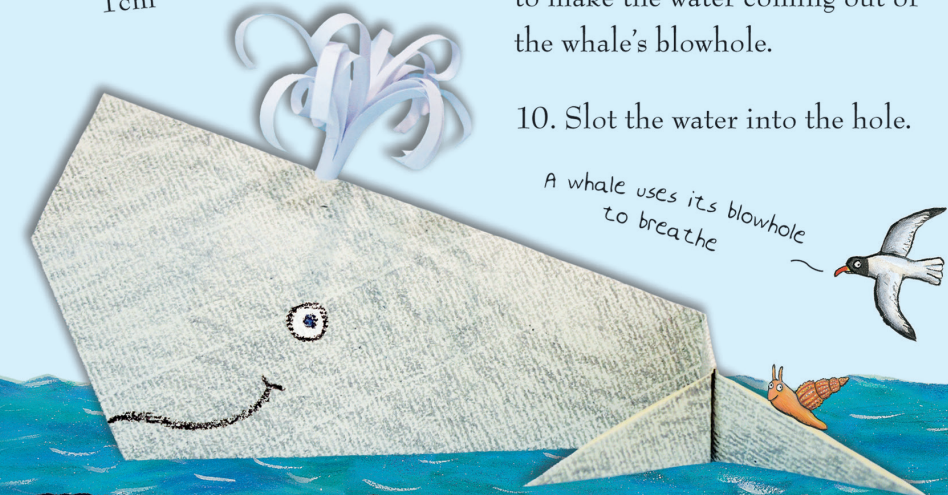
But don't cut past the line you've drawn!



9. Tightly roll the paper into a tube. Gently open up the strips and curl each one around a pencil to make the water coming out of the whale's blowhole.

10. Slot the water into the hole.

A whale uses its blowhole to breathe

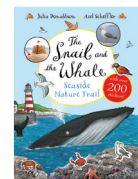
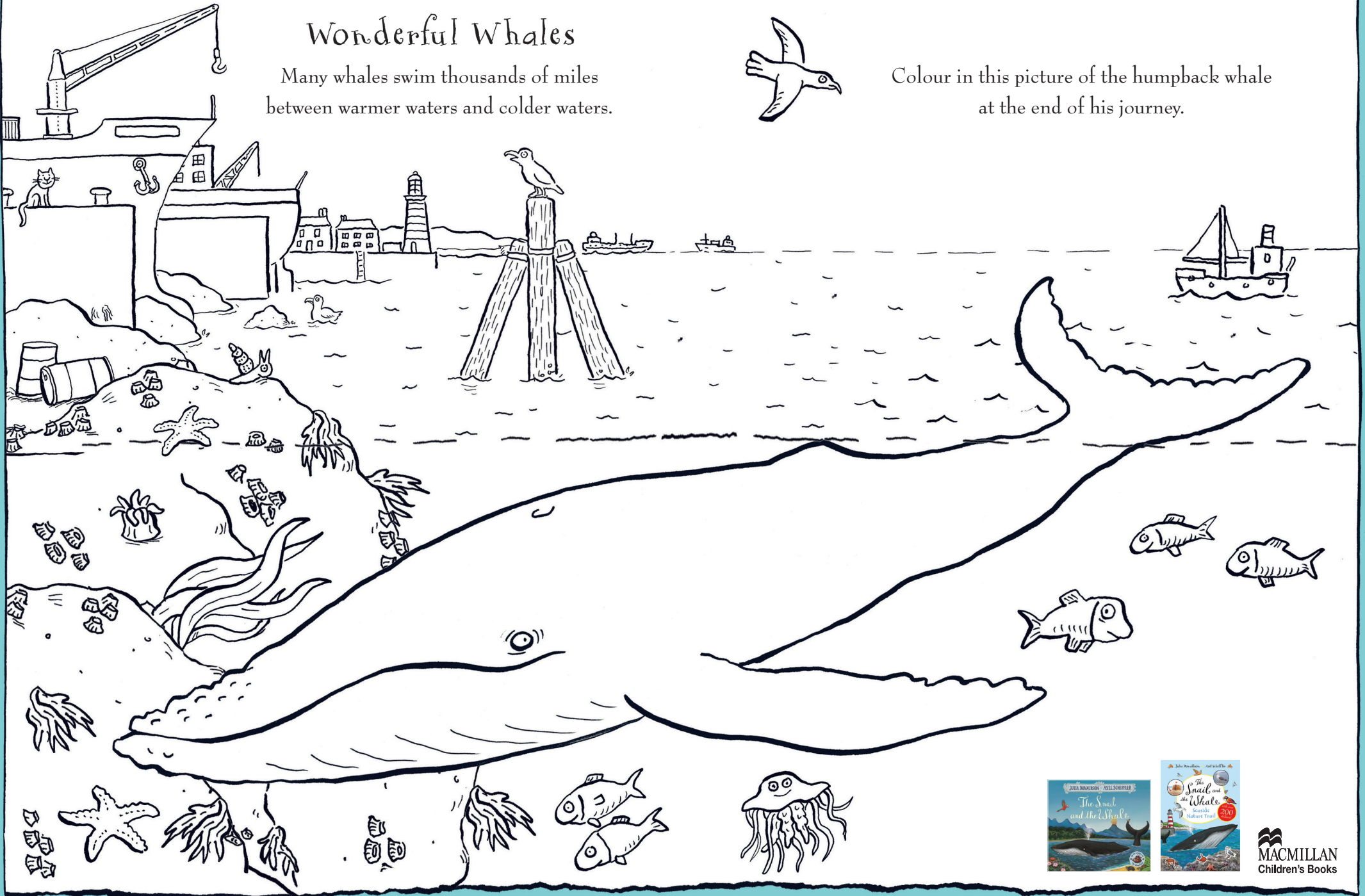


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between warmer waters and colder waters.



Colour in this picture of the humpback whale
at the end of his journey.



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