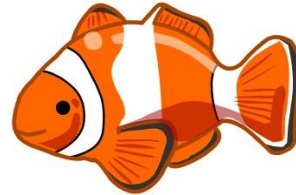
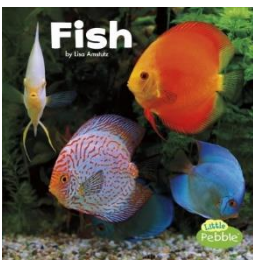


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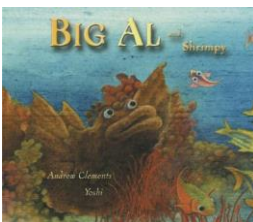
## Books and eBooks:



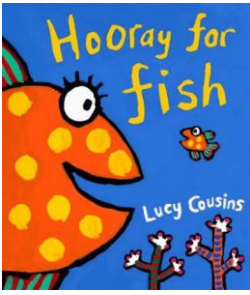
**Fish** by Lisa J. Amstutz (E 639.34 AMS): With their shiny scales and bright colors, pet fish put on a show! Some are wide and others are thin. Some even have stripes. Discover why these silent swimmers make great pets.



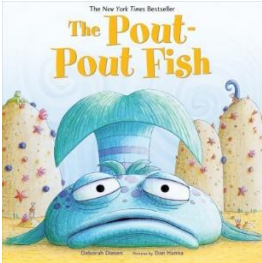
**Fish** by Aaron Carr (E 639.37 CAR): This book provides basic information about the care of pet fish.



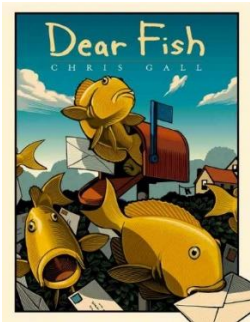
**Big Al and Shrimpy** by Andrew Clements (E CLE): Shrimpy learns that even though he may be small, he can still make a big difference to his friend, Big Al.



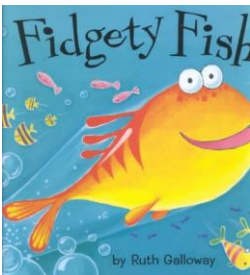
**[Hooray for Fish](#)** by Lucy Cousins (E COU): Little Fish has all sorts of fishy friends in his underwater home, but loves one of them most of all. Also available as [eBook](#).



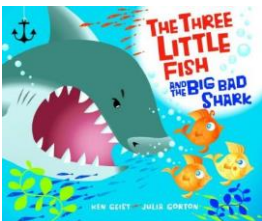
**[The Pout-Pout Fish](#)** by Deborah Diesen (E DIE): The pout-pout fish believes he only knows how to frown, even though many of his friends suggest ways to change his expression, until one day a fish comes along that shows him otherwise. Also available as [eBook](#) and [Audiobook](#).



**[Dear Fish](#)** by Chris Gall (E GAL): One afternoon at the beach, a small boy puts an invitation to the fish to come for a visit in a bottle and throws it into the ocean. The results are ... unusual!



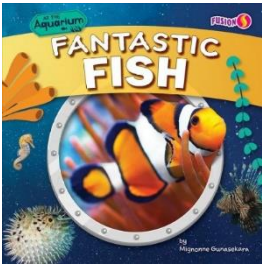
**[Fidgety Fish](#)** by Ruth Galloway (E GAL): Sent out for a swim in the deep sea, Tiddler, a young fish who just can't keep still, sees many interesting creatures and one very dark cave.



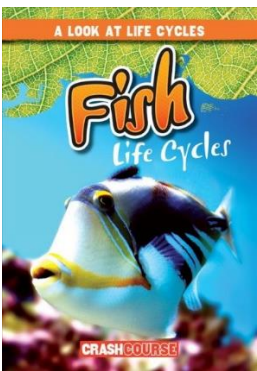
**[The Three Little Fish and the Big Bad Shark](#)** by Ken Geist (E GEI): In a spoof of The Three Little Pigs, Jim Fish builds his house of seaweed and Tim Fish builds his house of sand, but Kim Fish smartly sets up house in an old sunken ship to keep the big bad shark from destroying it. Also available as [eBook](#).



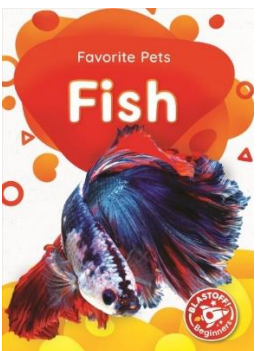
**Fish** by Sophie Geister-Jones (E 639.34 GEI): This book introduces readers to the behavior and proper care of pet fish.



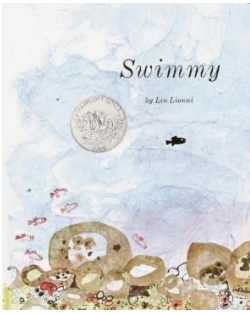
**Fantastic Fish** by Mignonne Gunasekara (E 597 GUN): The sea is full of fantastic fish! Pygmy seahorses hide in coral, Giant manta rays stretch almost 26 feet across, and fish that fly-you can learn about these and more.



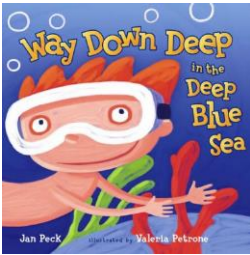
**Fish Life Cycles** by Bray Jacobson (E 597 JAC): From the candiru to the lionfish, there are so many kinds of fish on Earth. While all have different methods of production, the basic life cycle is the same, from egg to spawning swimmers.



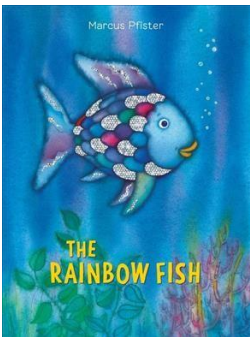
**Fish** by Christina Leaf (E 639.34 LEA): This book introduces beginning readers to pet fish through simple, predictable text and related photos.



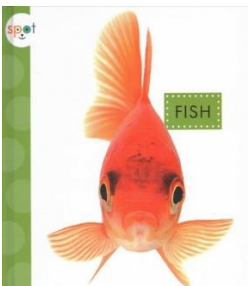
**Swimmy** by Lei Lionni (E LIO): A little black fish in a school of red fish figures out a way of protecting them all from their natural enemies. Also available as [eBook](#).



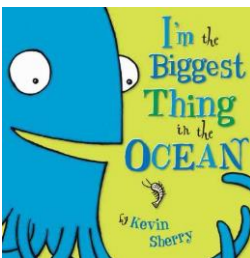
**Way Down Deep in the Deep Blue Sea** by Jan Peck (E PEC): A child explores the treasures of the deep blue sea from the safety of a bathtub.



**The Rainbow Fish** by Marcus Pfister (E PFI): The most beautiful fish in the entire ocean discovers the real value of personal beauty and friendship.



**Fish** by Mari C. Schuh (E 639.34 SCH): This search-and-find book invites early readers to look for new vocabulary words and pictures while giving simple facts about caring for a pet fish.



**I'm the Biggest Thing in the Ocean** by Kevin Sherry (E SHE): A giant squid brags about being bigger than everything else in the ocean--almost. Also available as [eBook](#).

## Fish Rhymes and Fingerplays:

### I'm a Little Fish (Tune: *I'm a Little Teapot*)

I'm a little fish, watch me go,  
I swim fast and I swim slow.  
When the sharks come out, I dare not play,  
I dive down deep and swim away!

### Once I Caught a Fish Alive

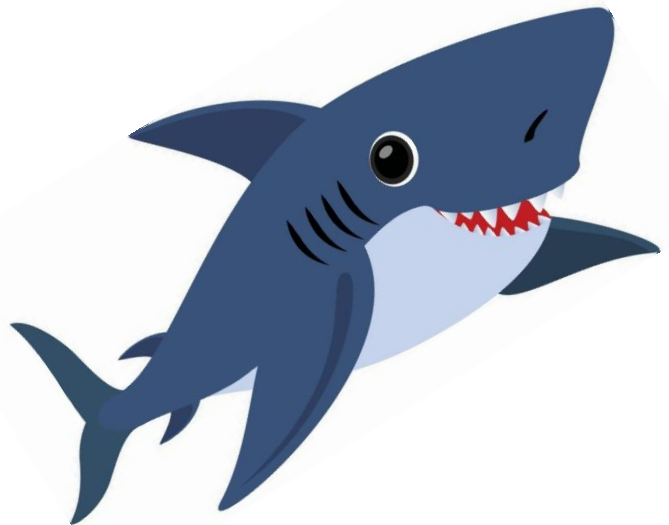
One, two, three, four, five,  
Once I caught a fish alive.  
Six, seven, eight, nine, ten,  
Then I let it go again.  
Why did you let it go?  
Because it bit my finger so.  
Which finger did it bite?  
This little finger on the right.

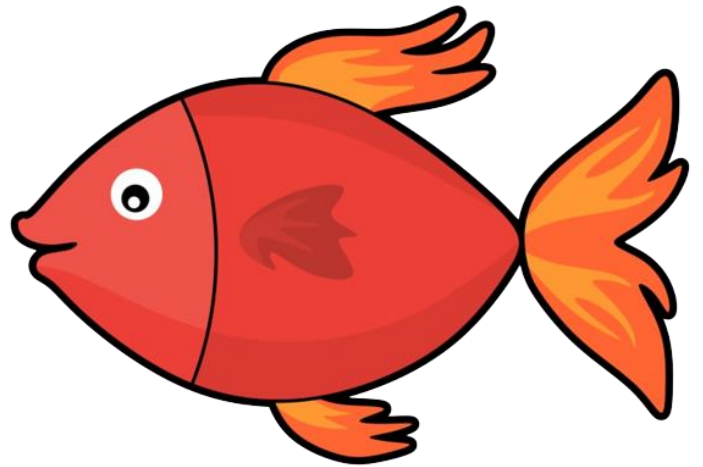
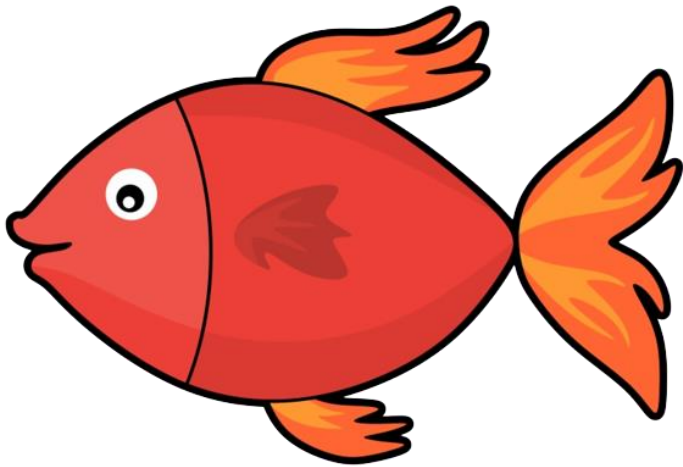
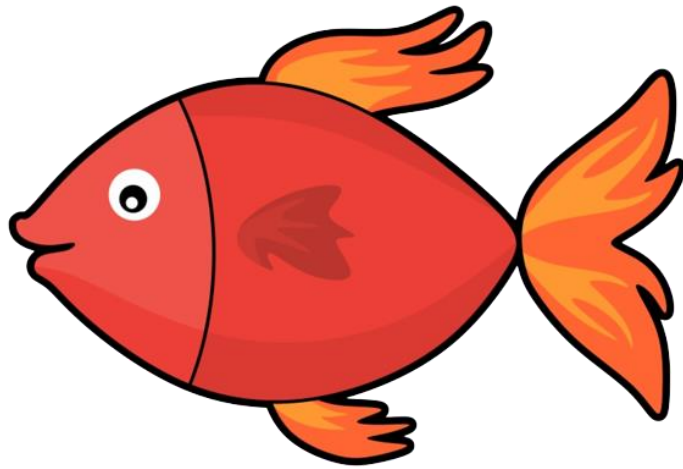
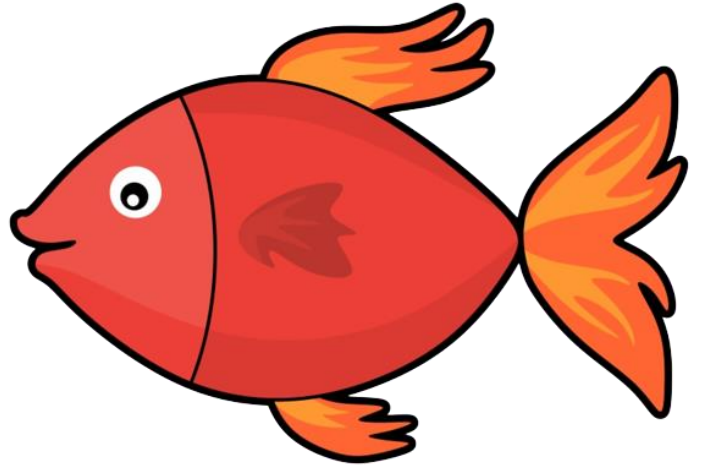
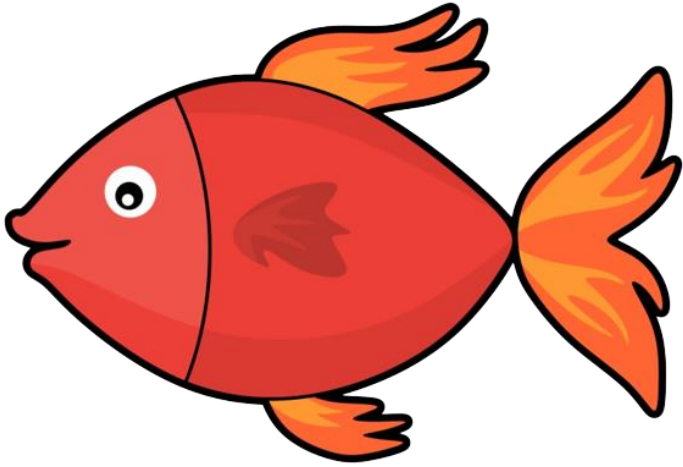
**Five Little Fishes - Print and cut out the fish images below and use to count down with the rhyme.**

Five little fishes, swimming in the sea  
Teasing Mr. Shark, "You can't catch me!"  
Along came Mr. Shark,  
As quiet as can be - SNAP!

Repeat with four, three, two, one...

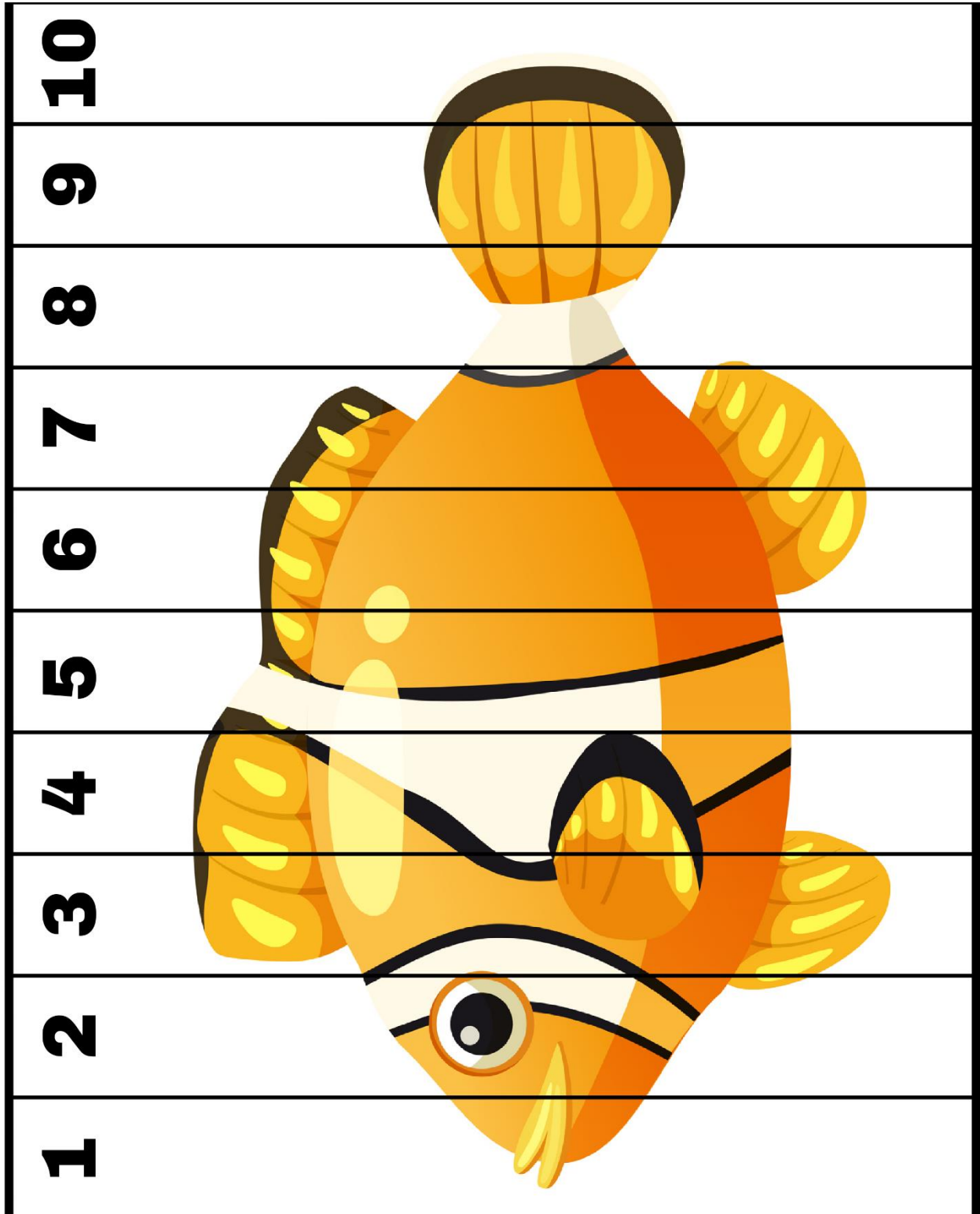
No little fishes swimming in the sea  
Along came Mr. Shark,  
As quiet as can be - SNAP!  
Help! Help! He's chasing me!





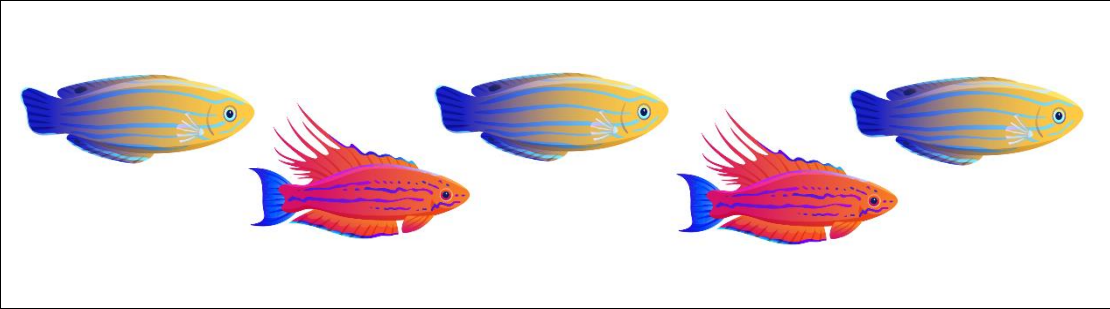
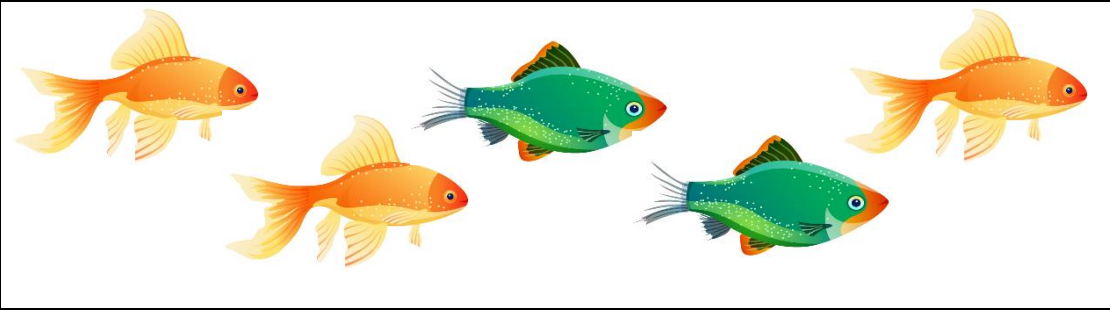
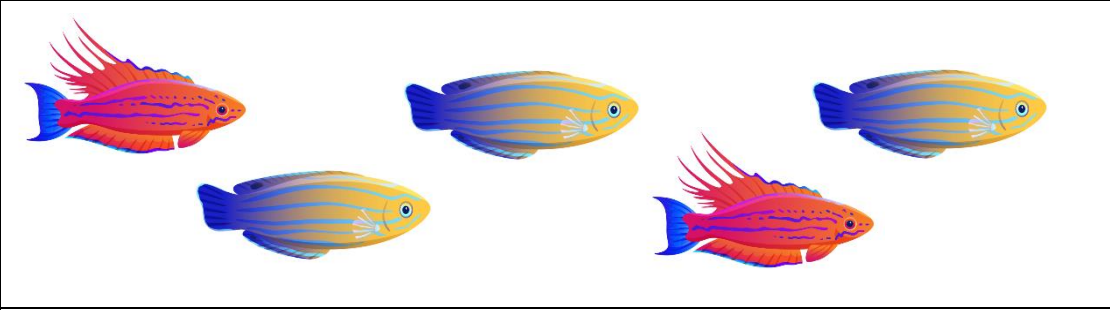
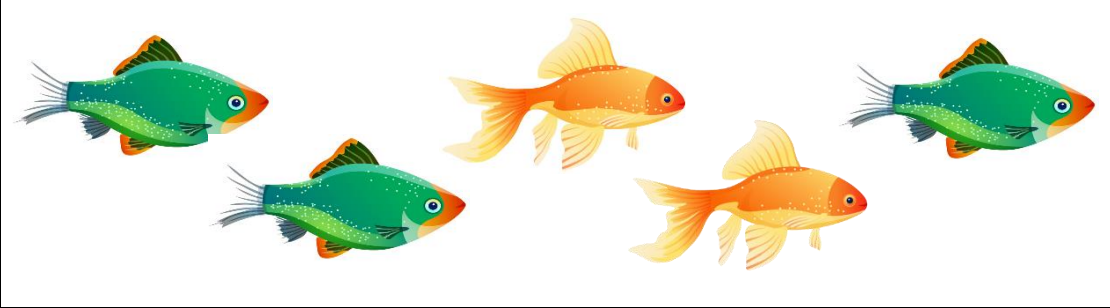
## STEAM Activity - Fish Puzzle:

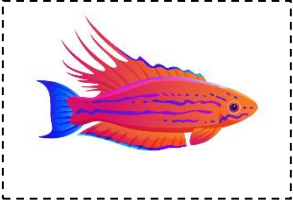
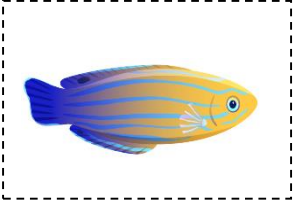
Help your child cut out the puzzle along the lines. Mix up the pieces and help your child put the puzzle back together using the numbers as a guide and to practice counting and number recognition!



**Steam Activity - Patterns:**

Cut out the fish images in the boxes at the bottom and help your child complete the patterns below!





## Coloring Activity:

Have your child color the picture and trace the word "FISH" for some extra writing practice!

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