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Introduction to killer
whales and the reasons
that their numbers have
been declining.
Hunting with Killer Whales
Sierra Club Books for
Children
Killer whales are the
supreme predators in the

ocean. This introduction
to killer whales, or orcas,
pieces together the latest
information on their life
histories. How they
communicate and
maintain well-established
societies, with intricate
family relationships, over
long lifespans. We also
learn that killer whales
must now contend with
toxic pollutants,
overfishing of their prey
and a host of other
environmental concerns.

Illustrated by the world's
best wildlife
photographers, this book
brings us face to face with
these intriguing creatures
in their underwater
realms.

Animals Under Threat

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Introduces the behavior of
killer whales from birth to
old age, describing their
feeding and mating
habits, social structure,
threats, and more.

Killer Whale Mitchell Lane

The orca, also known as the killer whale, is one of the most intriguing and mysterious animals in the world. This lavishly illustrated portrait of this almost mythical sea mammal offers visions of the orca throughout the ages and across cultures, describing its hunting techniques and refined sonar and communication abilities. Full-color photographs capture whales breaching, playing, hunting, and caring for their young. The book also discusses the ethics of captivity and

the environmental threats to whale populations. A foreword by internationally acclaimed scientist and environmentalist David Suzuki is included.

The Blue Whale
Heinemann-Raintree
Library

Animals are under threat. Species are becoming extinct at a faster rate than in the past due to human activities. This book examines the issues surrounding animals and helps students learn how to protect endangered animals.

Killer Whale Capstone

It is hard to imagine that these creatures as big as trucks could be vulnerable. But the giants of the sea are endangered. What is their biggest threat? What is being done to save them? Learn about blue whales and how to help the largest animal on the planet.

Endangered Blue Whales

St. Martin's Press

Killer whales are actually a kind of dolphin. They got their name when sailors witnessed some killing a whale long ago.

Despite their deadly name, people have little to fear from these sea mammals. However, fish, seals, walruses, and even other killer whales have to watch out. These specially camouflaged creatures are huge and often hungry. Readers of this fact-packed book will learn how killer whales hunt in groups called pods, use echolocation to find their way, and why they're often called the "wolves of the ocean." Polar Bear Vs. Orca New Line Books
Describes the physical

characteristic, habitat, and behavior of one of the few marine mammals that eats other warm-blooded animals.

Gone is Gone

Heinemann Young Books
A journalist "convincingly spells out the threats to their survival, their misery in captivity, and what scientists can learn by studying them" (Kirkus). The orca—otherwise known as the killer whale—is one of earth's most intelligent animals. Remarkably sophisticated, orcas have languages and cultures and even long-

term memories, and their capacity for echolocation is nothing short of a sixth sense. They are also benign and gentle, which makes the story of the captive-orca industry—and the endangerment of their population in Puget Sound—that much more damning. In *Of Orcas and Men*, a marvelously compelling mix of cultural history, environmental reporting, and scientific research, David Neiwert explores an extraordinary species and its occasionally fraught

relationship with human beings. Beginning with their role in myth and contemporary culture, Neiwert shows how killer whales came to capture our imaginations, and brings to life the often catastrophic environmental consequences of that appeal. In the tradition of Barry Lopez's classic *Of Wolves and Men*, David Neiwert's book is a triumph of reporting, observation, and research, and a powerful tribute to one of the animal kingdom's most

remarkable members. Praise for *Of Orcas and Men* "Human beings need to learn from and understand the cooperative nature of orca society. Everyone who is interested in both animal and human behavior should read this remarkable book." —Temple Grandin, New York Times–bestselling author of *Animals in Translation* and *Animals Make Us Human* "Powerful and beautifully written." —Jane Goodall "Humans and killer whales have a long and complicated

history, one that David Neiwert describes forcefully and eloquently in this fascinating and highly readable book." —David Kirby, New York Times–bestselling author of *Death at SeaWorld* "[A] breathtaking survey of orca science, folklore, and mystery." —The Stranger
Killer Whale Capstone Classroom
 Describes the physical characteristics, habits, natural environment, and behavior in captivity of the killer whale.
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exemplified by the living conditions of whales

Raintree

Describes species listed by the federal government as threatened or endangered, and state-listed species as well. Illustrated with lovely drawings. Annotation

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Healthy Seas Oxford University Press

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additional titles coming in Fall 2000; this will probably complete the series. Follow a killer whale calf as it sets out on its exciting journey through life in the ocean. Discover how the calf takes its first breath of air and begins to explore its new underwater world. Join the young killer whale as it learns from the other members of its group how to hunt squid, fish, seabirds, and even blue whales. Find out about the threats that face killer whales and other whale species and what can be

done to protect these magnificent creatures.

Beneath the Surface

Heinemann-Raintree Library

Offers a comparative overview of sharks and killer whales, describing each animal's physical characteristics and behavior and speculating about which would win in a fight.

Of Orcas and Men
Barron's Educational Series

This book was written by undergraduate students at The Ohio State University (OSU) who

were enrolled in the class Introduction to Environmental Science. The chapters describe some of Earth's major environmental challenges and discuss ways that humans are using cutting-edge science and engineering to provide sustainable solutions to these problems. Topics are as diverse as the students, who represent virtually every department, school and college at OSU. The environmental issue that is described in each chapter is particularly

important to the author, who hopes that their story will serve as inspiration to protect Earth for all life. *Puget Sound Whales for Sale* Capstone
The author looks at the issues surrounding the health of the world's seas and the future of the people and animals who depend on them and suggests sustainable solutions.
Orca Kidhaven
Many people fear the great white shark. But an even deadlier animal lurks in the world's oceans--the killer whale. What would

happen if these two faced off? This book looks at the advantages and attack moves of each of these underwater predators. Charts and graphs compare and contrast the two in tooth size, secret weapons, weight, and more. A final narrative tells of an epic battle between the animals. Who will rule the ocean?
Killer Whales
MyReportLinks.com Books
Now a New York Times Best Seller Over the course of two decades, John Hargrove worked with 20 different whales

on two continents and at two of SeaWorld's U.S. facilities. For Hargrove, becoming an orca trainer fulfilled a childhood dream. However, as his experience with the whales deepened, Hargrove came to doubt that their needs could ever be met in captivity. When two fellow trainers were killed by orcas in marine parks, Hargrove decided that SeaWorld's wildly popular programs were both detrimental to the whales and ultimately unsafe for trainers. After leaving SeaWorld,

Hargrove became one of the stars of the controversial documentary *Blackfish*. The outcry over the treatment of SeaWorld's orca has now expanded beyond the outlines sketched by the award-winning documentary, with Hargrove contributing his expertise to an advocacy movement that is convincing both federal and state governments to act. In *Beneath the Surface*, Hargrove paints a compelling portrait of these highly intelligent

and social creatures, including his favorite whales Takara and her mother Kasatka, two of the most dominant orcas in SeaWorld. And he includes vibrant descriptions of the lives of orcas in the wild, contrasting their freedom in the ocean with their lives in SeaWorld. Hargrove's journey is one that humanity has just begun to take toward the realization that the relationship between the human and animal worlds must be radically rethought.

Whale Rescue

Bellwether Media

The history--and future--of one of the sea's greatest mammals

The Encyclopaedia

Britannica Capstone

Global Library Limited

Pre-University Paper from the year 2018 in the subject Biology -

Miscellaneous, grade: 1,0, , language: English,

abstract: What are the main reasons for whales being threatened to the point of extinction? How severely does pollution, and the current problem of plastic rubbish, that is

spreading to an unimaginable level, endanger whales? What impact does captivity have on the behaviour of whales? And what can we do to end whale hunting and the cruelty that these animals must face daily? The aim of this paper is to show how modern-day human behaviour is affecting the lives of many other species on planet earth - especially in our oceans. My work is divided into two main subjects: Firstly, how humans affect nature using the example of

whales and, secondly, measures previously and currently taken to protect whales. The first chapter is subdivided into the following areas: threats caused by overfishing, contamination and pollution, subaqueous noise and changes in behaviour in whales held in captivity. The second chapter has been structured into three sections: intensification of regulations relating to whaling, measures that every individual can undertake to support organisations working

towards the rescue of the marine environment and, finally, what these organisations actually do to help.

Threat to the Yangtze River Dolphin Northland Publishing

Yangtze River dolphins, also known as Baiji, have splashed in the waters of Chinas Yangtze River for

millions of years. The Chinese people have always loved these mammals. They considered the Baiji to be a beautiful part of their river, and they have told many stories about them. Today, the Yangtze is a very different place. Trash floats in the water, and toxic chemicals pollute it. Thousands of boats travel

up and down the river every day, and people use dangerous fishing equipment with sharp rolling hooks. The Yangtze River is no longer a safe place for the Baiji to live. Most of them have died out. Scientists worry that it might be too late for these dolphins. Is there any way to save them?

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