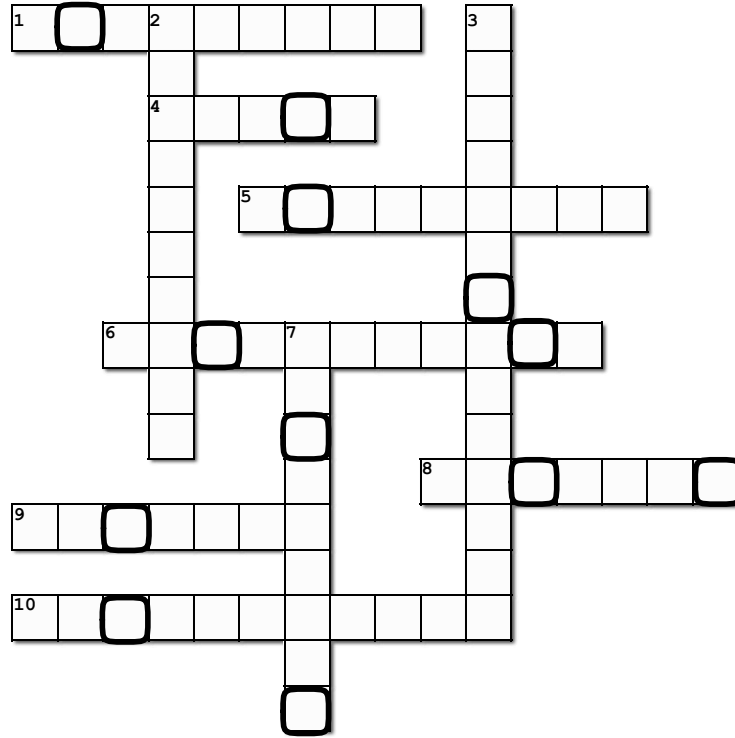


# Sea turtles

Complete the crossword puzzle then unscramble the highlighted letters to discover the Morehead City hiding spot of this week's treasure! (Hint: crossword solutions are found in information located at oceanservice.noaa.gov/)



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## Across

1. Along with salps, this is the leatherback sea turtle's favorite prey.
4. The largest hard-shelled sea turtle.
5. The flatback turtle is found in Papua New Guinea and in this country.
6. The largest sea turtle species.
8. The English translation of 'arribada,' the Spanish name given to the mass nesting of Kemp's Ridley.
9. An adult hawksbill sea turtle eats an average of 1,200 pounds of this.
10. The only sea turtle that nests predominantly during daylight hours. (two words)

## Down

2. This sea turtle has powerful jaws for cracking hard-shelled prey like whelks and conchs.
3. It takes 20-30 years for a sea turtle to reach this. (two words)
7. The sea turtle species that builds its nests the fastest.

