

SHELBY WRITING PROJECT

1. Choose a type of shark to be:



Leopard shark



Great White



Bull Shark

2. Create a character

Character development:

- a. Where do you live?
- b. What do you like to eat?
- c. What do you do for fun?
- d. Do you live in a group or alone?
- e. What particular characteristics make you different from other sharks?
- f. Who are your enemies?
- g. Do you have any offspring?
- h. What is your name?
- i. How do you communicate?

Use the library, internet, aquarium, and anyone you know who might know something about your shark. Be creative!

3. When you have created a character, write your story that begins with:

"My teeth are too big for my mouth. My mouth is too big for my head. I am going to ..."

4. Remember to have a beginning, middle and end!

5. Practice reading your story out loud with other students in the class. Help each other spell check and correct for grammar.