Fish Body Shapes Activity Name: _____

There are a lot of fish in the sea. And they all look very different from each other. Each is effective in their own way, despite vast differences in body shape. Draw your own unique fish with the body shape corresponding to each example picture.

Compressiform: Flattened side-to-side



Example: Lookdown

Depressiform: Flattened back-to-front

Example: Polka-Dot Stingray

Filiform: Snakelike, rod-shaped

Example: Spotted Garden Eel

Fusiform Streamlined and fast

Example: Blond Naso Tang





Globiform: Round, globe-shaped

Example: Tasseled Anglerfish

