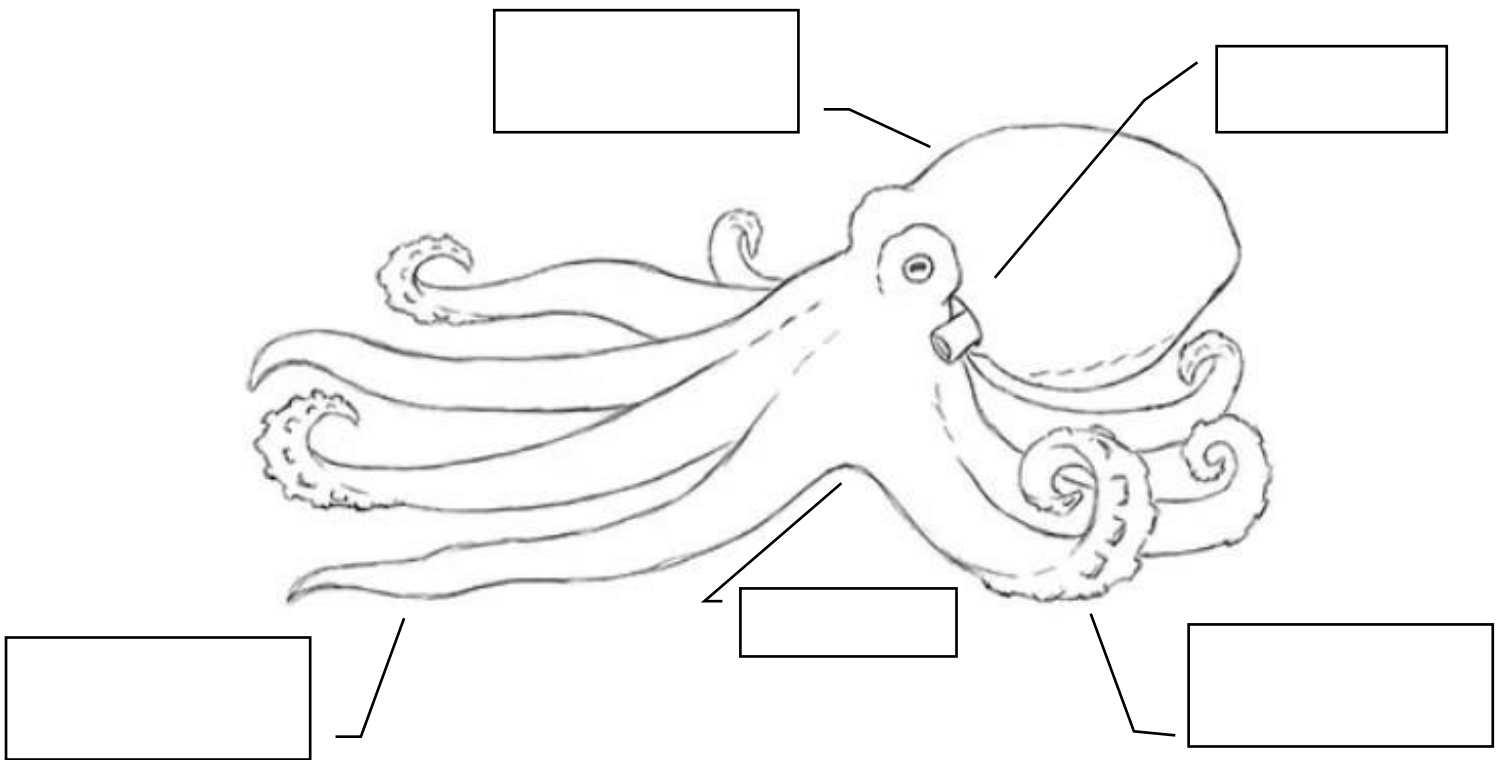


Porci's Ocean Patrol Activity Sheet



Help the Blue Ringed Octopus

Can you help this Blue Ringed Octopus to protect itself? Add some blue rings to its body to warn predators they are venomous. The rest of its body is sandy coloured to help it blend in and camouflage. It also likes to hide in rock pools. Can you add some rock and seaweeds for this octopus to find a safe place to live?



Can you help me to label my friend? Here are the names of some of its body parts, can you add them to the picture above?

Mantle: the head of the octopus that contains the gills.

Beak: the mouth and the only hard part of the octopus.

Arms: octopus don't actually have tentacles, but arms that help them move around and find food!

Siphon: openings on either side of the head that help the octopus to breathe and move with jet propulsion.

Suction cups: found underneath the arms, they can attach to food or surfaces, but also help the octopus to taste.

