

Porci's Ocean Patrol Activity Sheet



True or False?

Here are some statements from Porci's Ocean Patrol Episode 8. Are they true or false? Circle your answer.

1. The Western Blue Groper is a type of Wasse.

TRUE

2. Western Blue Groper are safe from everyone and do not face any threats.

FALSE – Western Blue Groper face issues from spear fishers and overfishing.

3. Western Blue Groper can live up to 150 years old.

FALSE – Western Blue Groper can live up to 70 years old.

4. If a large male Western Blue Groper disappears, the female can take over and transform into a male.

TRUE

5. Western Blue Groper are not fully grown until they are 30 years old.

TRUE

6. The traditional name for the didgeridoo is Yidaki.

TRUE

7. Anyone is allowed to play the didgeridoo.

FALSE – for the Aboriginal people of Australia, they only allow the boys to play the didgeridoo.

8. Rhythms and vibrations are created through the mouth into the didgeridoo.

TRUE

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9. The instrument cannot be played for a long amount of time as you would run out of breath.

FALSE – The instrument can be played for long periods of time by a method of breathing called circular breathing.

10. Seaweed can only be found in warm tropical waters in the Northern Territory and Queensland.

FALSE – Seaweed can be found worldwide, even here in the Great Southern Reef.

11. All seaweeds are slow growers and can take up to 10 years to grow 50cm.

FALSE – Seaweed can grow really fast, some like giant kelp can even grow up to 50cm a day.

12. Seaweeds can be grouped into 3 colour groups, red, brown, and green.

TRUE

13. Some seaweeds will have hollow floats that help them to grow up towards the ocean surface to reach the sunlight.

TRUE