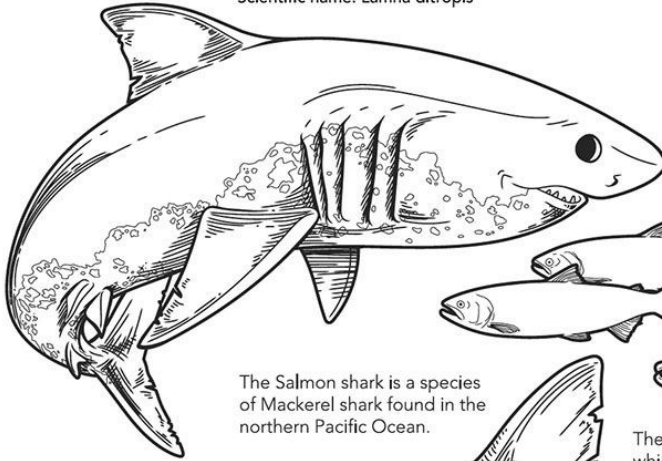


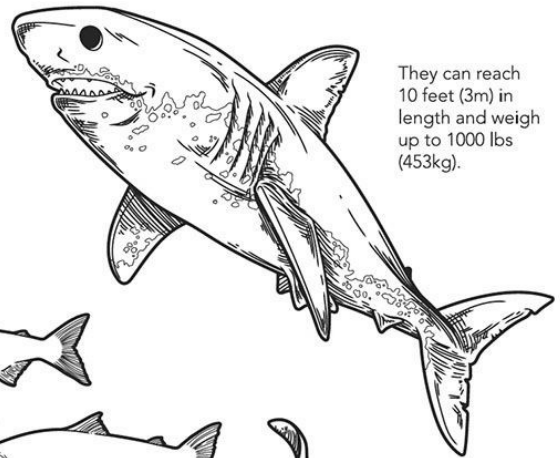
## SALMON SHARK

Scientific name: *Lamna ditropis*

They can reach 10 feet (3m) in length and weigh up to 1000 lbs (453kg).



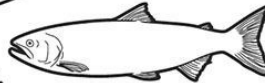
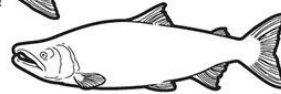
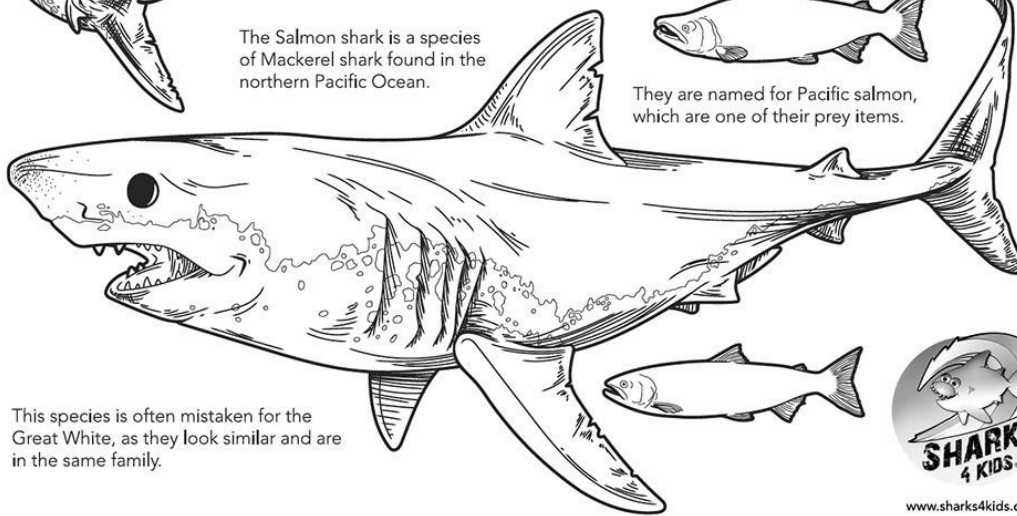
The Salmon shark is a species of Mackerel shark found in the northern Pacific Ocean.



They are named for Pacific salmon, which are one of their prey items.

They are endothermic, meaning they can maintain a core body temperature higher than the water around them.

This species is often mistaken for the Great White, as they look similar and are in the same family.



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