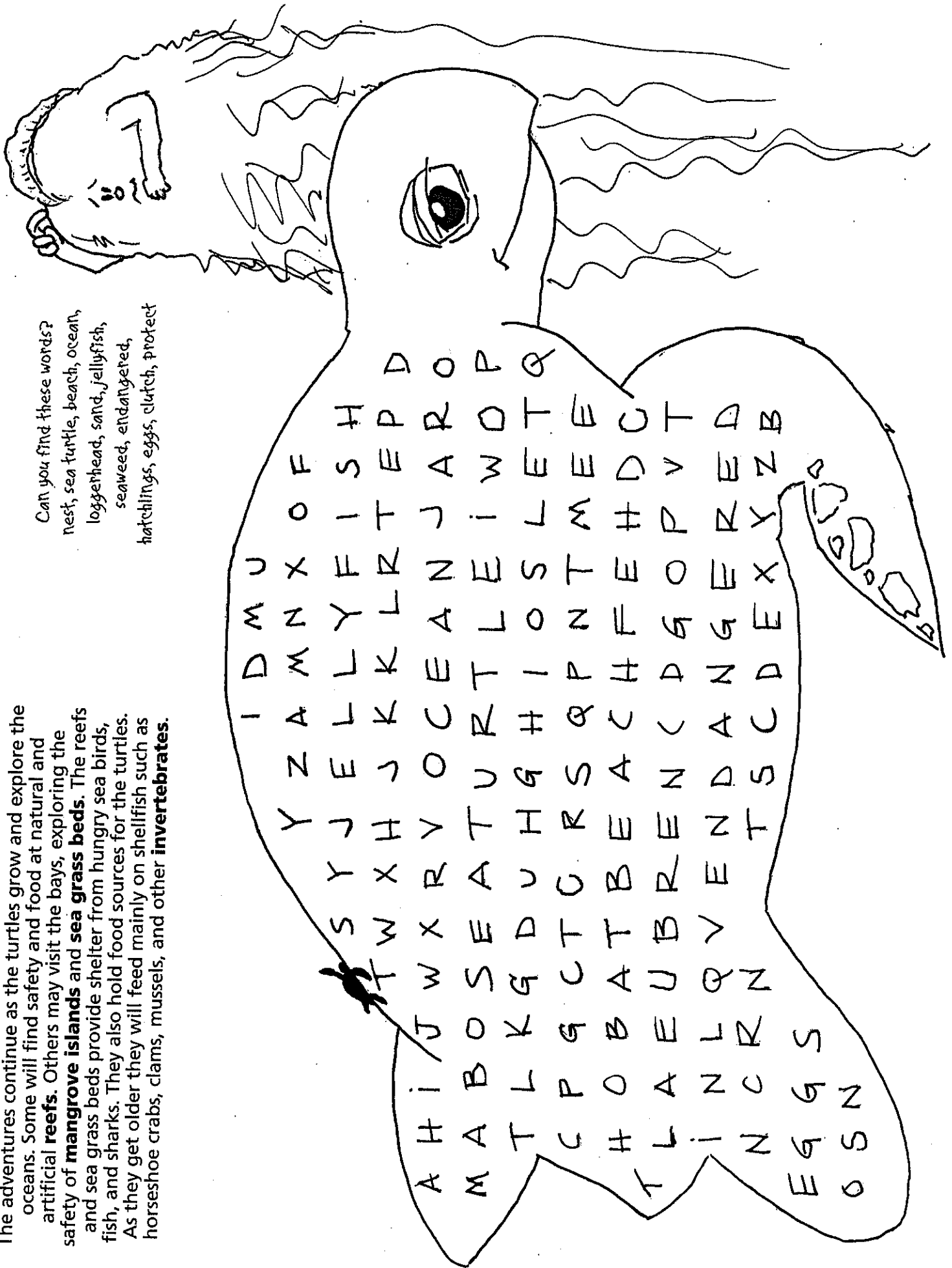


The adventures continue as the turtles grow and explore the oceans. Some will find safety and food at natural and artificial reefs. Others may visit the bays, exploring the safety of mangrove islands and sea grass beds. The reefs and sea grass beds provide shelter from hungry sea birds, fish, and sharks. They also hold food sources for the turtles. As they get older they will feed mainly on shellfish such as horseshoe crabs, clams, mussels, and other invertebrates.

Can you find these words?
 nest, sea turtle, beach, ocean,
 loggerhead, sand, jellyfish,
 seaweed, endangered,
 hatchlings, eggs, clutch, protect



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