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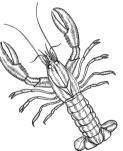
## LOBSTER SCAVENGER HUNT

## See if you can find these objects relating to lobsters around your home or in your yard. Check off what you find!

Lobsters are benthic animals, meaning they like to crawl around on the ocean floor. Can you find something that crawls on the floor?

Write it here.

Lobsters are decapods since they have 10 appendages (8 walking legs and 2 claws). Do you have 5 pairs (10) of something? Draw them here.



Lobsters are usually greenish-brown in color and only turn red when they are cooked. Can you find something green or brown? Draw it here.

Lobsters can regenerate or grow back legs, claws, and antennae if they come off. Can you find something that grows back when it is lost or cut?

Write it here.



Lobsters are sometimes called "bugs" because they are closely related to insects. Can you find an insect? Draw it here.
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 tail. Do you see something that flaps back and forth, or up and down

 to move?

 Write it here.

**Lobsters never stop growing.** Is there something you can find that grows or gets taller its entire life?

Write it here.

**Lobsters smell with their legs and antennae.** Can you find something you like to smell?

Write it here.



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**Rarely, lobsters can be blue, yellow, or white in color.** Can you find something of each color in your home or yard? Draw them here.

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