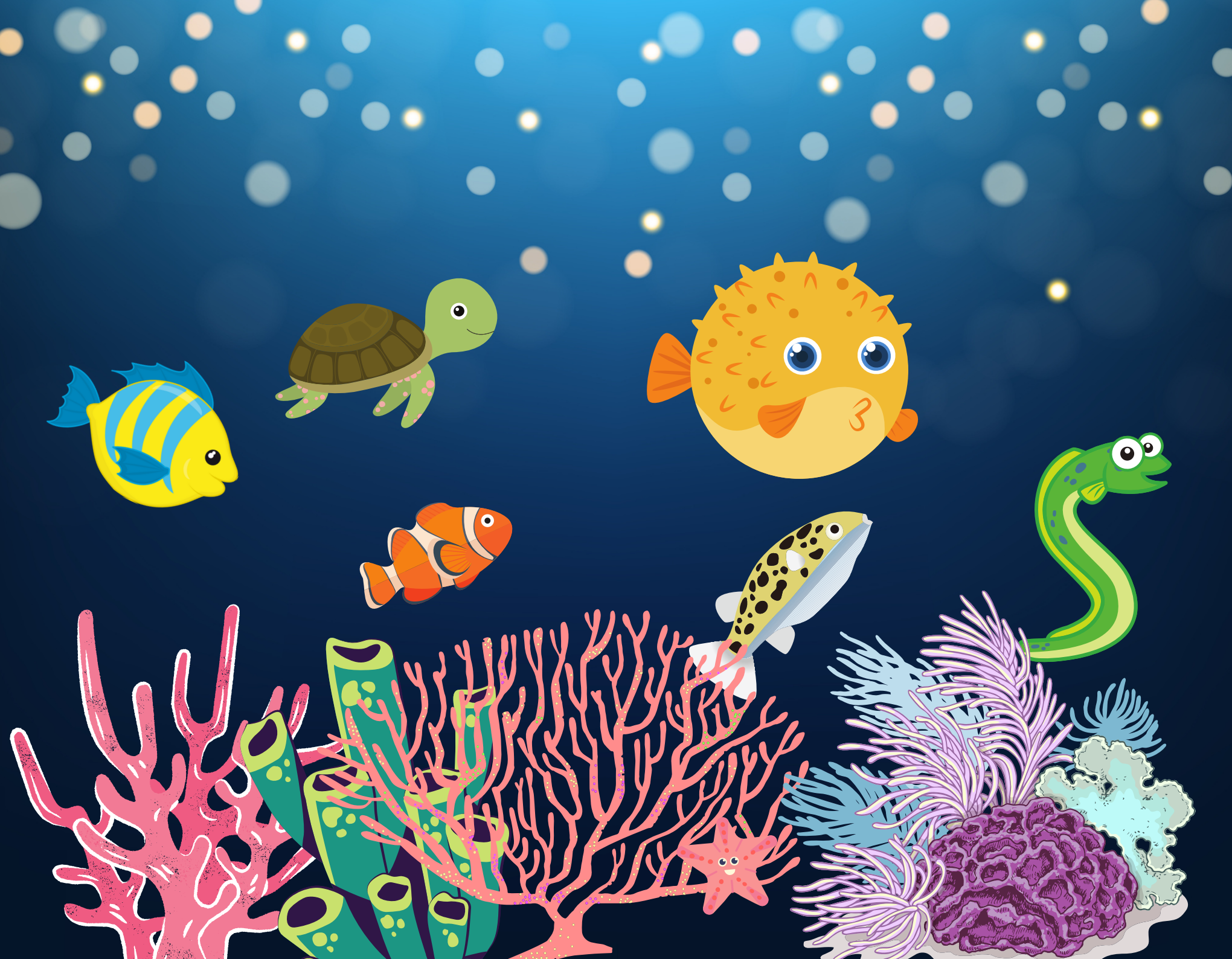


# UNDER THE WATER



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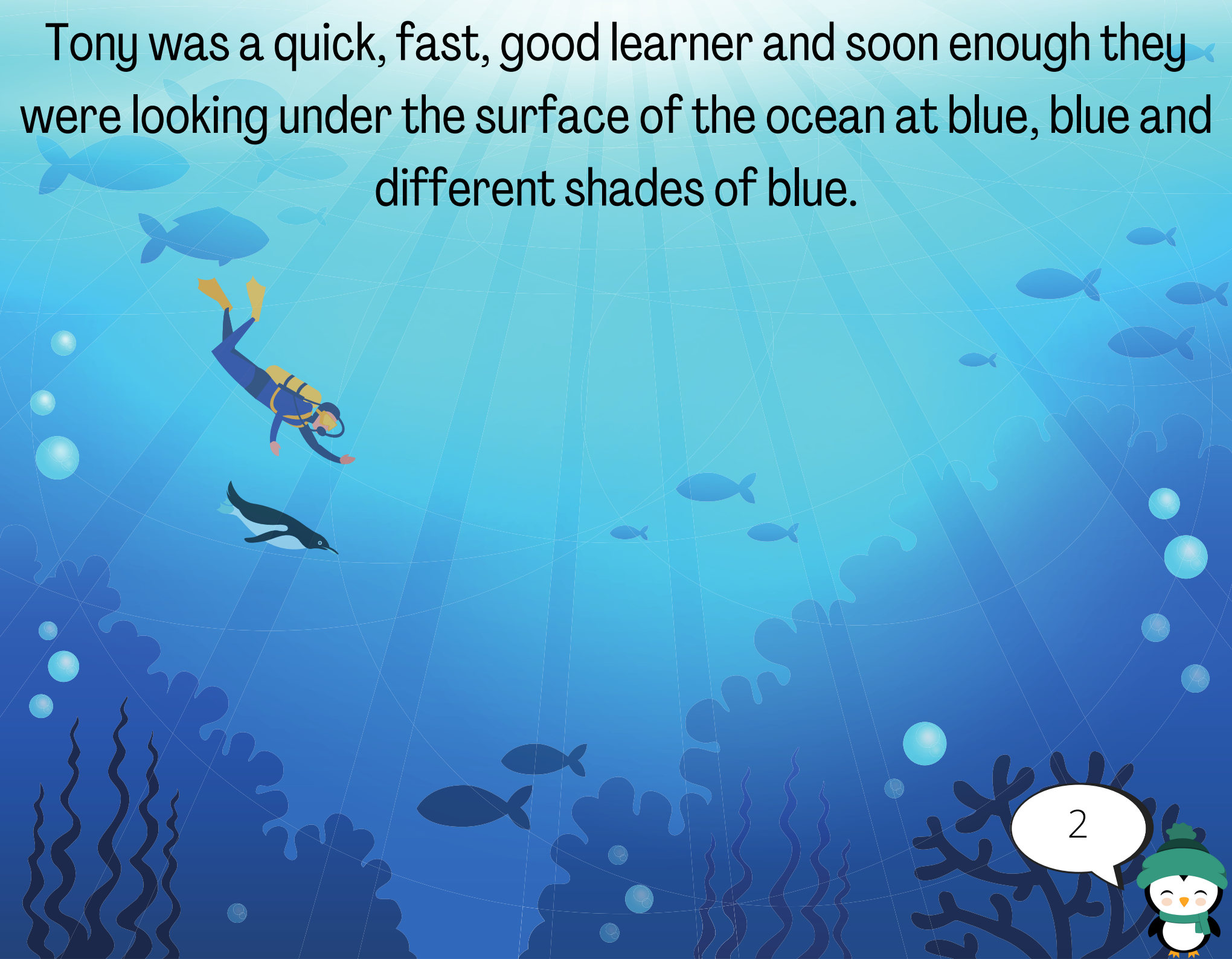
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One hot, sweaty, sunny morning a diver with a pet penguin named Tony were at the edge of the ocean. He was teaching Tony to be a diver like him.



Tony was a quick, fast, good learner and soon enough they were looking under the surface of the ocean at blue, blue and different shades of blue.



Tony was getting better at scuba diving. It took days and days of training to get better.



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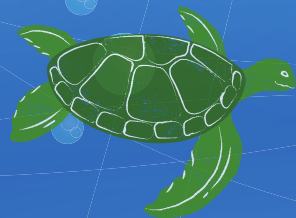
Each day they would go deeper and deeper, deeper and deeper, until they started to learn things from each other.



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As they started learning from each other, they both got better and better at this skill of diving.



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One normal training day they made  
it to the ocean floor.



They saw one beautiful, shiny, wonderful object  
that was shining in the light. It was also in the  
shape of a lady with a tail.



As they moved closer they saw that it was a mermaid. They rushed over to her and untapped her mouth.



"A mean shark put tape on my mouth and also put a really heavy rock on my tail. Do you mind helping me move this rock off my tail?" As an act of kindness he and the penguin helped her heave the rock off her tail. It took a while but they moved it onto the ocean floor.



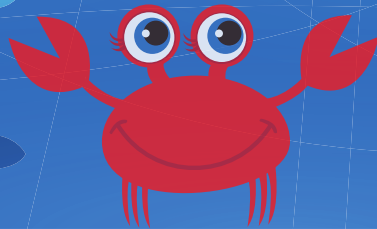
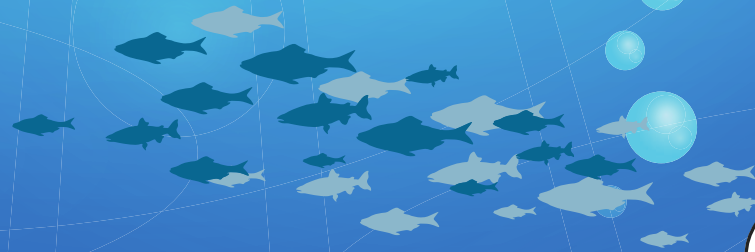
Now they were on their way, smiling.



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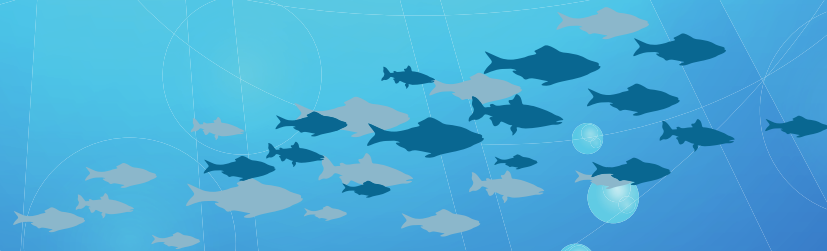
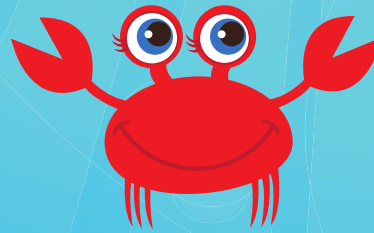
Now they had helped a whale who was smart and funny, a school of fish and a crab. But as they helped these animals something was coming in the shadows.



CHOMP!!! It was the mean shark! Ahhhhhh!!! They screamed as the shark tried to bite them 1, 2, 3 times! Jump, jump, doge so many moves they had to do to miss the shark's attempts to bite them.

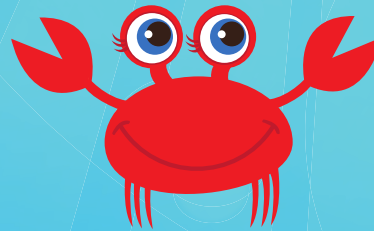


But help was on the way, the mermaid had seen what was happening and helped him, so did the whale, fish and crab came to help defeat the shark.





“ Thank you so much for helping me and Tony defeat the shark”



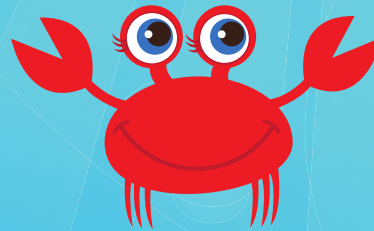
“ You helped us so that is why we helped you and your pet penguin”  
replied the mermaid.



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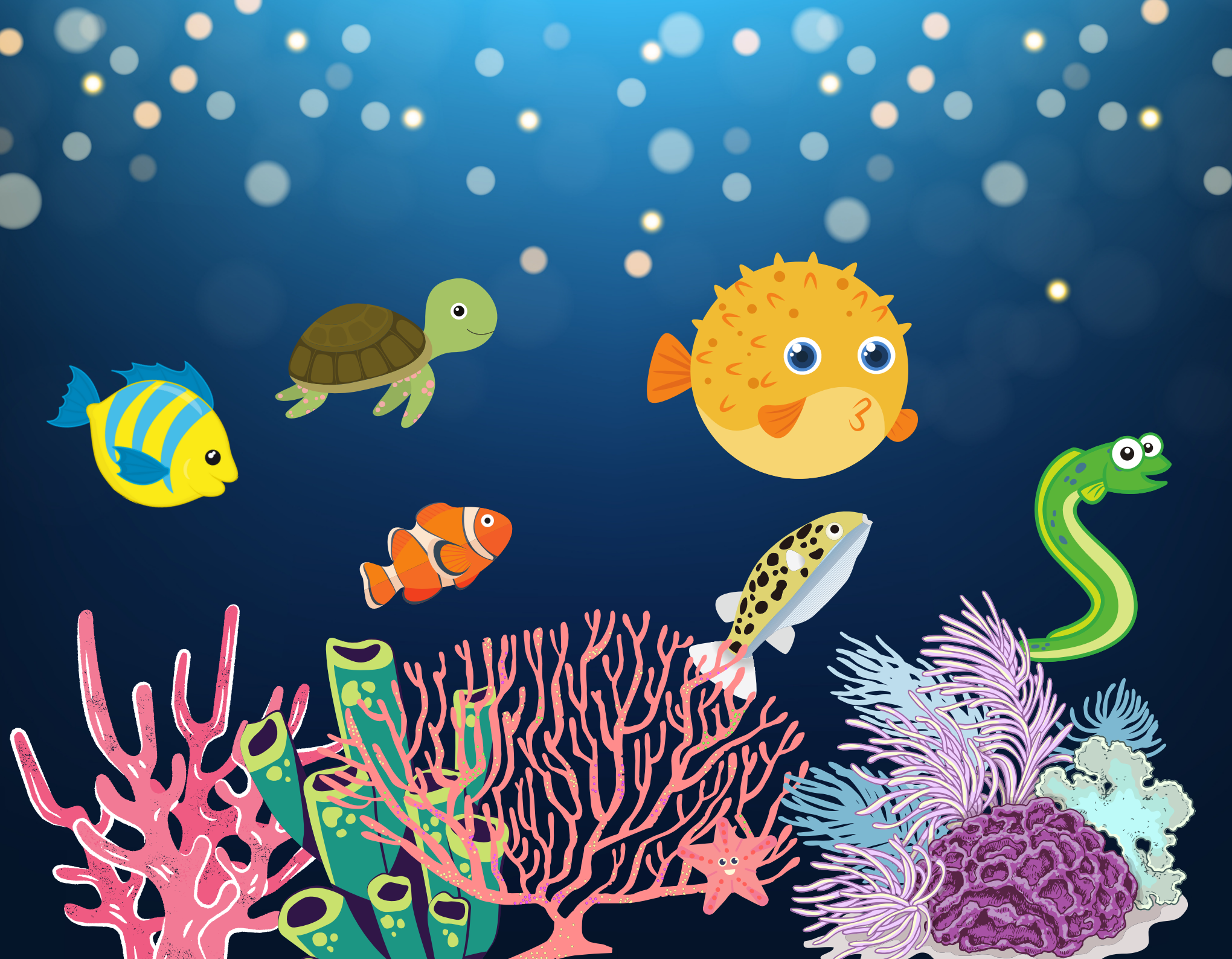


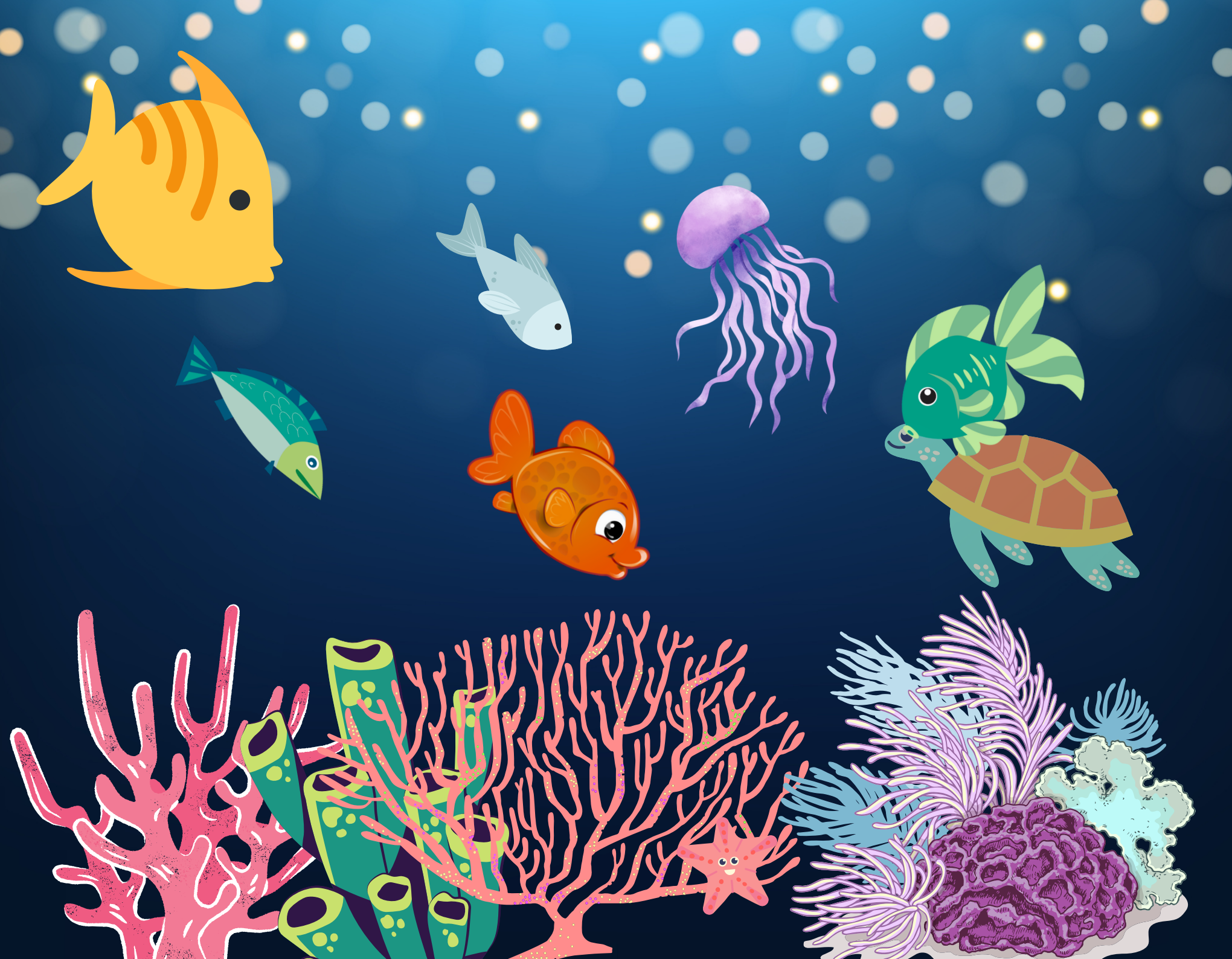
"Bye everyone!"

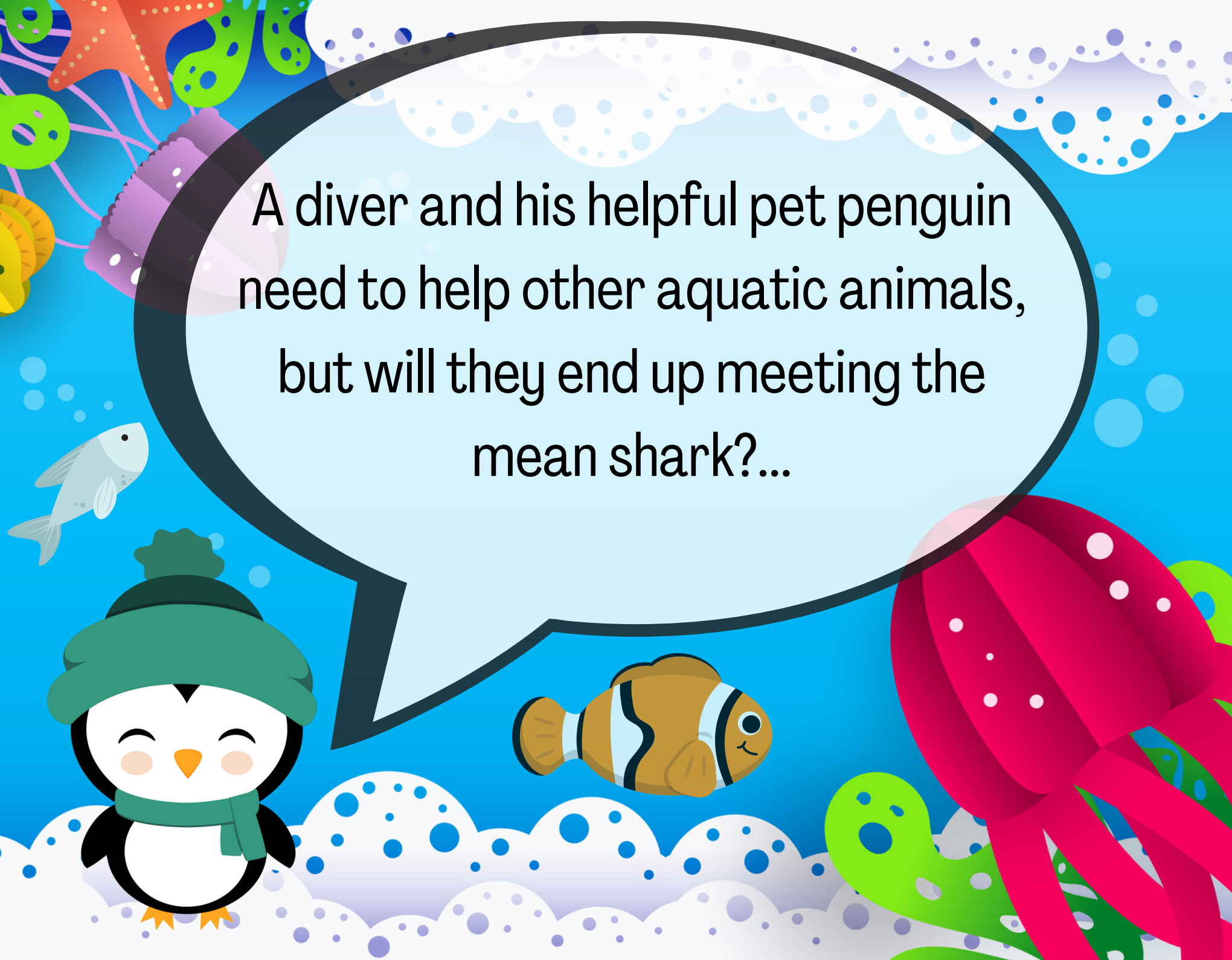


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A vibrant, cartoon-style illustration of an underwater scene. In the foreground, a cute penguin wearing a green hat and scarf is on the left. A clownfish is swimming in the center. The background is filled with colorful coral, sea anemones, and bubbles. A large speech bubble is positioned in the upper right, containing text. The overall scene is bright and cheerful.

A diver and his helpful pet penguin  
need to help other aquatic animals,  
but will they end up meeting the  
mean shark?...