

Hermit Crab Line Up

This game can be played on your own or with a partner.

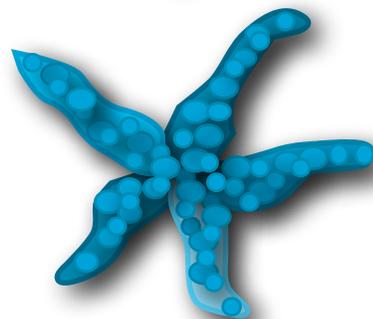
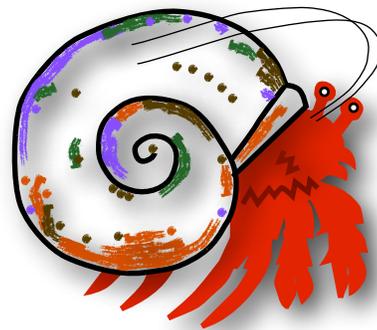
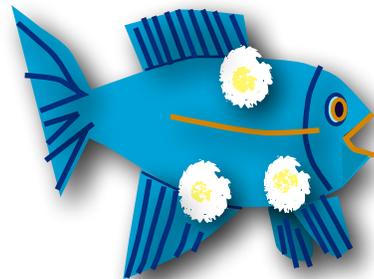
Goal: Figure out the location of lantern fish, hermit crab, and starfish.

What to do: Follow the clues to figure out how lantern fish, hermit crab, and starfish are lined up. Lantern fish, hermit crab, and starfish are always arranged in a line.

Is there more than one way to line up lantern fish, hermit crab, and starfish for each set of clues?

When you're done, make up your own set of clues.

Lantern fish is on the top.
Starfish is on bottom.
Where is hermit crab?



Hermit crab is on the right.
Lantern fish is on the left.
Where is starfish?

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Answer Key

There are different ways children could describe the position of the animals. Here are some possibilities.

1. Hermit crab is in the back. Hermit crab is behind lantern fish.
2. Starfish is in front. Starfish is first in line.
3. Lantern fish is on the top.
4. Starfish is in the middle. Starfish is between lantern fish and hermit crab.
5. Starfish is at one end of the line. Starfish is last.
6. Starfish is on the right of lantern fish. Starfish is next to lantern fish. Starfish is the last animal on the right.
7. Hermit crab is between lantern fish and starfish. Hermit crab is in the middle.
8. Lantern fish is on the bottom. Lantern fish is under hermit crab.
9. Lantern fish is on the bottom. Lantern fish is under starfish.
10. Lantern fish is on the bottom. Lantern fish is under hermit crab.
11. Hermit crab is on the top. Hermit crab is above starfish and lantern fish
12. Starfish is in the middle.

