

BONY FISHES VS. SHARKS

Decide if the following words are characteristics for only bony fishes, only sharks, or are shared by both bony fishes and sharks. Using each word only once, fill in each column.

Operculum, Claspers, Lateral Line, Caudal Fin, Ampullae of Lorenzini, Air Bladder, Chromatophores, Dermal Denticles, Bone, Cartilage, Gill Slits, Caudal Penduncle, Secondary Dorsal, Countershading, Spiracle, Scales, Oily Liver, Pelvic Fins, Anal Fin, Spines, Dorsal Fin, Pectoral Fins

Bony Fish Characteristics

Shark Characteristics

Fish and Shark Characteristics

Operculum _____

Claspers _____

Lateral Line _____

Air Bladder _____

Ampullae of Lorenzini _____

Caudal Fin _____

Bone _____

Cartilage _____

Caudal Penduncle _____

Chromatophores _____

Dermal Denticles _____

Secondary Dorsal _____

Scales _____

Gill Slits _____

Pelvic Fins _____

Spines _____

Spiracle _____

Anal Fin _____

Oily Liver _____

Dorsal Fin _____

Pectoral Fins _____

Countershading _____
