





BANDED TULIP

Cinctura lilium

Identify the Banded Tulip by its distinct thin brown horizontal lines along the shell.

SHELL CLASS Gastropoda

APPROXIMATE SIZE 4"

CALICO SCALLOP

Argopecten gibbus

Calico scallops can live up to 400 meters deep and have red and pink patches.

SHELL CLASS Bivalvia Approximate size 1.5-2.5"

FLORIDA CERITH

Cerithium floridanum

Ceriths are slender with a pointy tip. They are herbivores that graze on the sea bed.

SHELL CLASS GastropodaApproximate size 1-2"

HEART COCKLE

Corculum cardissa

This thin, heart-shaped shell is a treat to find fully intact.

SHELL CLASS Bivalvia Approximate size 2-5"

FIGHTING CONCH

Strombus pugilis

This hefty shell may vary in color from salmon and pink to orange and yellow.

SHELL CLASS GastropodaApproximate size 3-4"

COQUINA

Donax variabilis

This small shell may present in a variety of colors with or without darker bands.

SHELL CLASS Bivalvia Approximate size 1"

JINGLE SHELLS

Anomia simplex

These shiny shells are aptly named, as they jingle when shaken together.

SHELL CLASS Bivalvia Approximate size 1-3"

JUNONIA

Scaphella junonia

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SHELL CLASS Gastropoda

Approximate Size 5"







LIGHTNING WHELK

Busycon perversum

This predatory sea snail feasts on bivalves with its proboscis.

SHELL CLASS Gastropoda Approximate size 2.5-8"

LACE MUREX

Chicoreus florifer

The lace murex has the ability to drill into the shells of bivalves to eat their flesh.

SHELL CLASS GastropodaApproximate size 3-6"

LETTERED OLIVE

Oliva sayana

This smooth, shiny shell can be identified by dark zig zag markings.

SHELL CLASS GastropodaApproximate size 1-5"

SAND DOLLAR

Clypeasteroida

These unmistakable flat treasures are actually a type of sea urchin.

SHELL CLASS EchinoideaApproximate size 4"

SPINY JEWEL BOX

Arcinella cornuta

This light-colored shell's trademark is its numerous hollow spines.

SHELL CLASS Bivalvia Approximate size 1"

KEYHOLE LIMPET

Fissurellidae

Limpets live on and under rocks and have a small opening at the top of their shell.

SHELL CLASS Gastropoda

APPROXIMATE SIZE 2"

DALL WENTLETRAP

Cirsotrema dalli Rehder

This shell has a very distinct spiral and means "spiral staircase" in Dutch.

SHELL CLASS GastropodaApproximate size 1-4"

WORM SNAIL SHELL

Vermetidae

These irregular elongated tubes don't resemble typical snail shells.

SHELL CLASS Gastropoda Approximate size 0.5-1.5"