

blue whale

Happy, she sings a day-long song
that travels for miles, seeming never to stop.
When not making waves and racing big ships,
just for fun she blows her top.



Blue whales
are the largest
animals that
have ever lived
on Earth.

octopus

To an octopus luncheon for nine,
these comrades-in-arms come to dine.
But when hugging each other
—what **suckers**, oh brother!—
they look like a great ball of twine.



An octopus can change its color to brown, gray, green, blue, or even pink to match its surroundings!



alligator & crocodile

Al's and Croc's enormous **snouts** are odd, and here's the key:
Al's looks a lot like the letter U;
Croc's looks like the letter V.



Alligators can be found in North America and China. Crocodiles live everywhere but Antarctica and Europe.