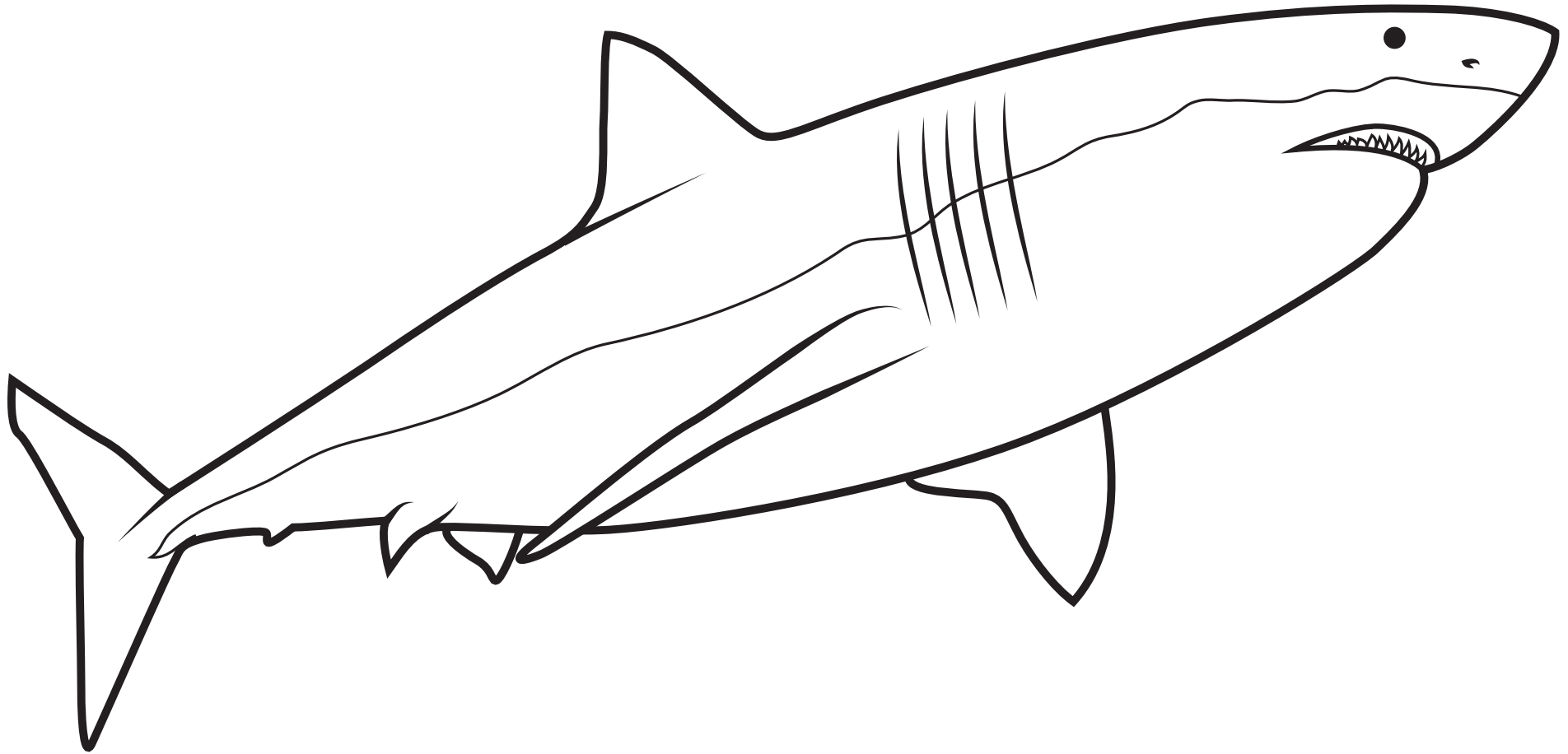
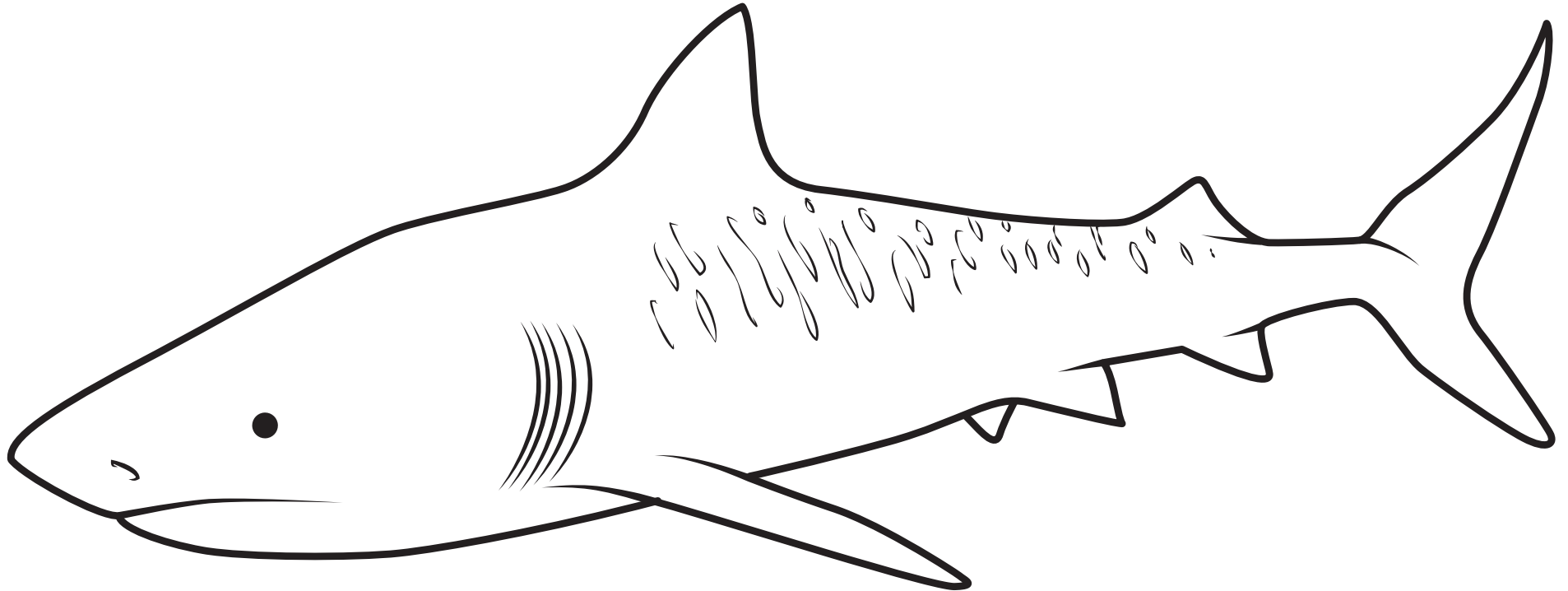


THE GREAT WHITE SHARK



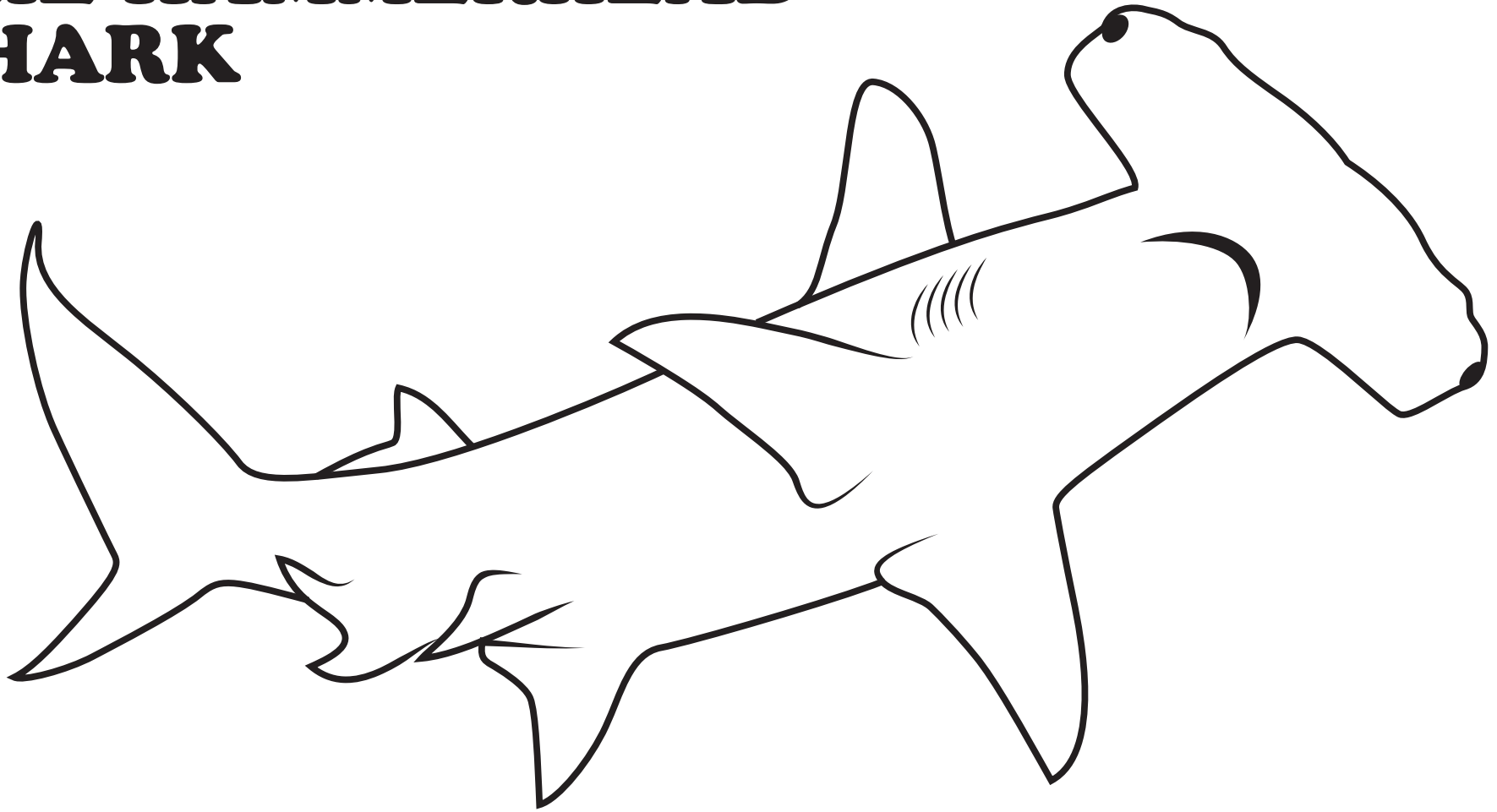
The great white shark is perhaps the most well-known of all the sharks. They can grow to be over 20 feet long and weigh as much as 5,000 pounds! In spite of their bad reputation, great whites generally will not intentionally hunt people.

THE TIGER SHARK



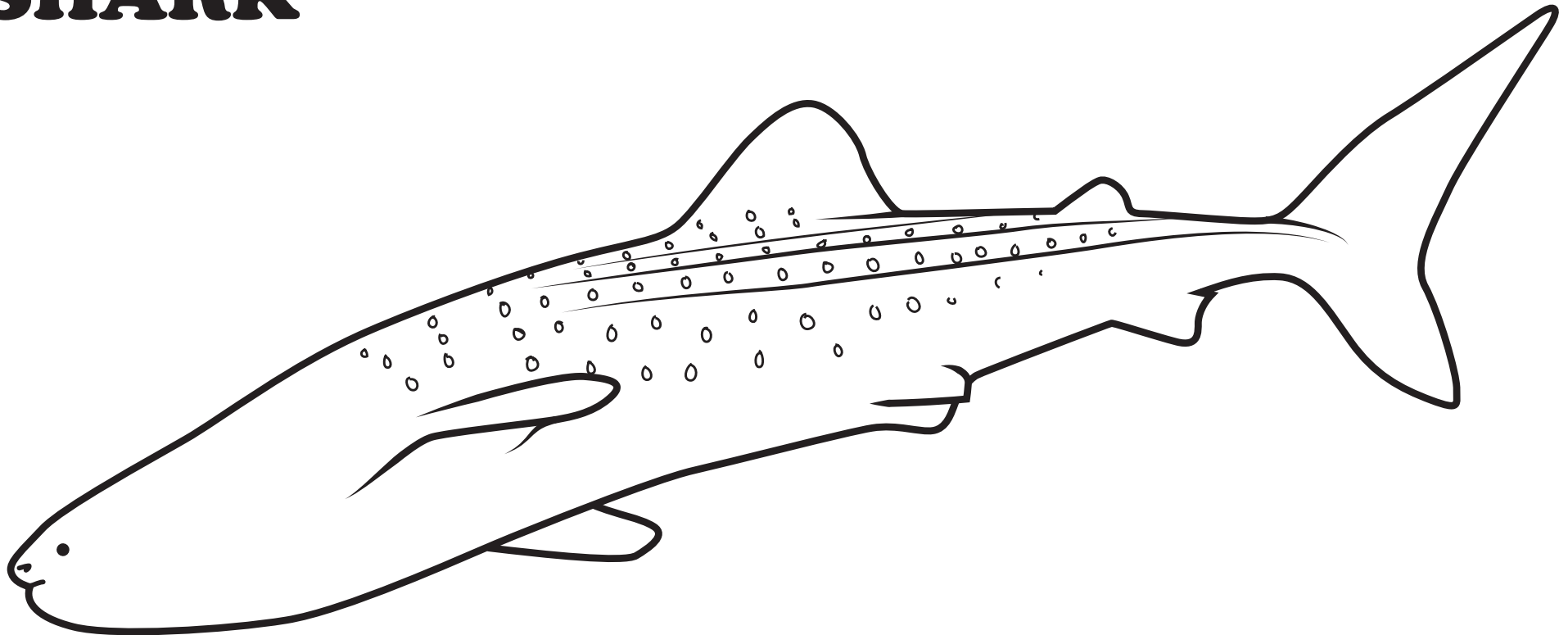
Named for the pattern on the sides of young sharks, tiger sharks are solitary hunters that can reach lengths of 20 feet. Tiger sharks have a reputation for being voracious eaters that will try to consume anything that will fit in their mouths.

THE HAMMERHEAD SHARK



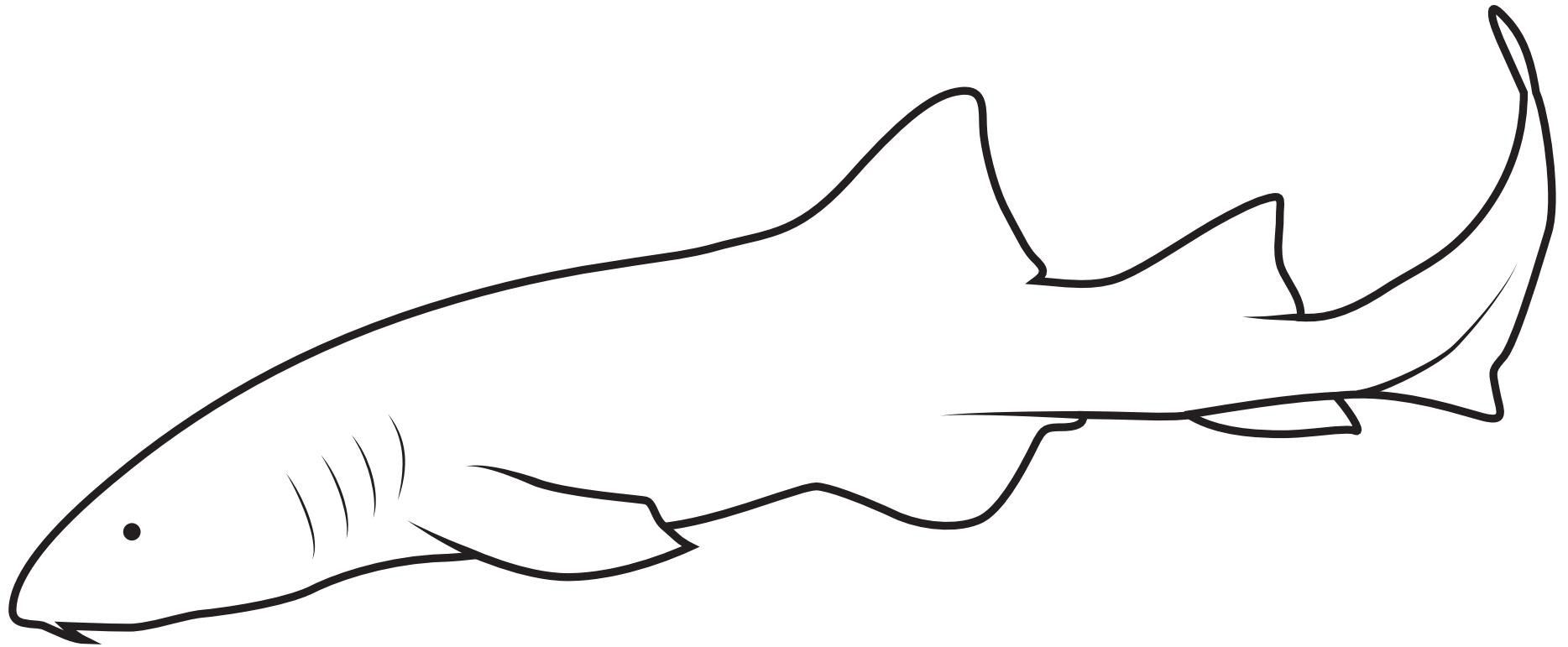
There are many different types of hammerhead sharks, but all of them feature the elongated and flattened head. It is believed that the distinctive shape of the head improves vision, and increases the sharks ability to detect prey.

THE WHALE SHARK



Whale sharks are the largest living fish in the world. The largest recorded whale shark was over 41 feet long and weighed 47,000 pounds! In spite of their large size, whale sharks pose no threat to humans, because they are filter feeders.

THE NURSE SHARK



Nurse sharks are nocturnal predators that hunt by rooting around on the ocean floor in search of crustaceans, fish, sting-rays and other bottom dwellers. They also will graze on coral and algae. Nurse sharks can grow to be over 10 feet long.