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*Hippoglossus stenolepis*, Pacific Halibut

- Can live longer than 40 years.
- Will feed on almost any creature that can fit into their mouths! Scientists have found crab, octopus, and salmon in their stomachs.
- Born with an eye on each side of their body. After approximately 6 months, the left eye will migrate toward the other side.
- The upper half of a Halibut's body is the color of the ocean bottom, while the under side is white, helping them perfectly camouflage.

