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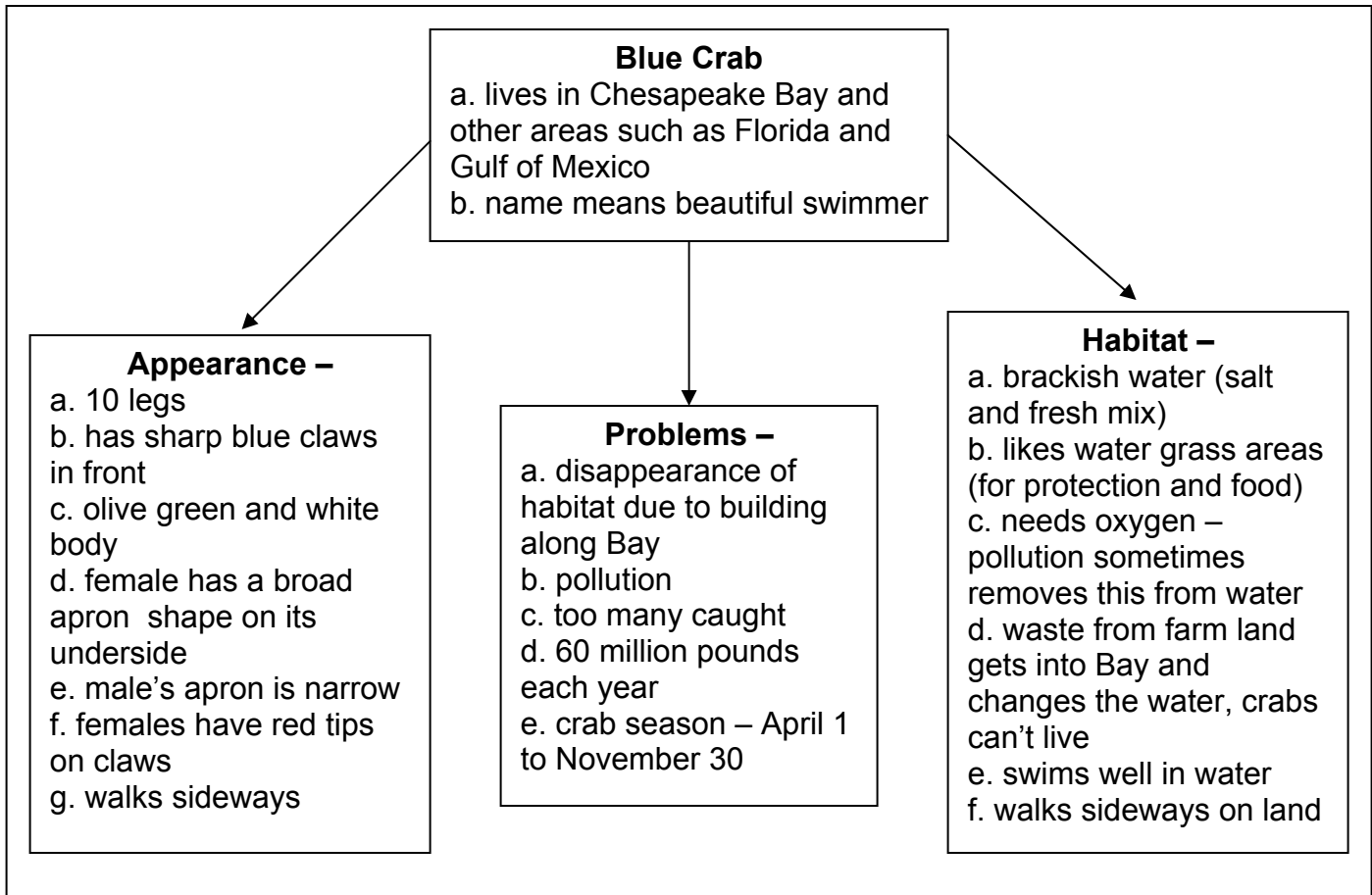
Swimming With the Crabs!



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People who live near the Chesapeake Bay like to eat crabs. They cover tables with big sheets of paper. The crabs are boiled. Then they sit down to pick out the crab meat. Yum!

Read the notes below. They will tell you more about Blue Crabs. Then follow the directions. You will write a good paragraph about these crustaceans.



A. Choose Your Topic: Circle ONE of the words in ().
I want to write a paragraph about the (Appearance, Problems, or Habitat) of the Blue Crab.
B. Now fill out this graphic organizer.

<p>2 – Write a sentence telling about one of the details.</p>	<p>3 – Write a sentence telling about another detail.</p>
<p>1- Choose one of the topic boxes. Write a sentence telling what you are writing about.</p>	
<p>4 – Write a sentence that tells about a third detail.</p>	<p>5 - Write a final sentence. This must “sum up” your topic.</p>

C. Write a paragraph. Use the sentences you just wrote.