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READ IT! THE MAN-EATERS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Read *The Man-Eaters*, a blog from our New Caledonia mission (http://www.livingoceansfoundation.org/the-man-eaters/).
- 2. While reading the blog, take notes and connect it to your prior learning. Note things that you agree or disagree with. There is a space, below, for this.
- 3. Next, document what you like and dislike about this blog into the space below. Be sure to pay attention to things like style and tone, along with the content and visual design. Be sure to *explain* what it is that you do or do not like about each element.
- 4. Answer the questions.

NOTES

LIKES	DISLIKES
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1.	Is this blog about an actual man-eater?
2.	What is the central idea of this blog?
3.	What conclusion was made by the author? Cite specific textual evidence to support this.
4.	Did the author fully support his claim? Explain why you think this.
5.	Overharvesting, vulnerable, and differentiation are specific vocabulary for the topic of this blog. Define them below.

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6.	Write a sentence of your own creation that connects the three words from #5, above.
7.	Is this blog a reliable source for scientific information? Why or why not?
8.	Do you notice any bias in this writing? If so, what?
9.	Describe three things that you learned while reading this blog entry (they do not have to relate to the central idea).
10.	Construct a comment to post in response to this blog. Remember that a good comment makes connections, asks a question, or gives an opinion in a respectful manner. You might want to quote the part of the blog that you are specifically referring to. Don't be afraid to disagree with another writer, but be sure to explain yourself and remain polite.