

Unit 10:1 Comparison/Contrast

Let's use two topics you are familiar with. Read the two short passages carefully. Use the diagram below to show how the two passages are alike (**compare**) and how they are different (**contrast**).

Sharks are amazing fish that have been around since long before the dinosaurs existed. They live in waters all over the world, in every ocean, and even in some rivers and lakes. Unlike bony fish, sharks have no bones; their skeleton is made of cartilage.

For hundreds of years and more, probably thousands of years, people have been finding dinosaur fossils. Reference has been given that over 2,000 years ago some "dragon" bones were found in China. Although some dinosaurs were sea creatures, most of them lived on land. Unlike the shark, they were vegetarians and not meat eaters.

Sharks	Both	Dinosaur
<p><i>Fish</i></p> <p><i>Older than dinosaur</i></p> <p><i>Live in all waters</i></p> <p><i>Meat eaters</i></p>	<p><i>Prehistoric</i></p> <p><i>Animal Kingdom</i></p> <p><i>Found in China</i></p>	<p><i>Mammal</i></p> <p><i>Approx 2000 yrs old</i></p> <p><i>Lives mostly on land</i></p> <p><i>vegetarians</i></p>