

The Answers to the Blue Whale Study Guide...

- 1.) How large is a blue whale's heart? **The size of a small car**
- 2.) What is the number of blue whales to date? **15,000**
- 3.) The IUCN status of the blue whale is? **Endangered**
- 4.) How much does a blue whale weigh? **300,000 lbs.**
- 5.) They can live for how many years? **110**
- 6.) How many decibels is the call of these whales? **188**
- 7.) They can eat how much krill and plankton in a single day? **2,200 lbs.**
- 8.) These whales are typically slow, but can reach speeds of... **20 mph**
- 9.) Blue whales are capable of feeling emotions. True or False. **True**
- 10.) Calves can weigh how much and are how long? **5,952 lbs. 24 feet long**
- 11.) These whales are huge, but what are the only things they eat? **Krill and plankton**
- 12.) How much does their tongue weigh? **As much as an elephant**
- 13.) Calves drink how much milk a day? **159 gallons**