If you see a right whale...

- **Stay 500 yards away!**
- **Report your sighting to:**
  (including lat/long and #of whales)

1- 877-WHALE HELP
(1- 877- 942 - 5343) or
U.S. Coast Guard Channel 16

Reporting right whale sightings provides information that is needed to protect this critically endangered species.

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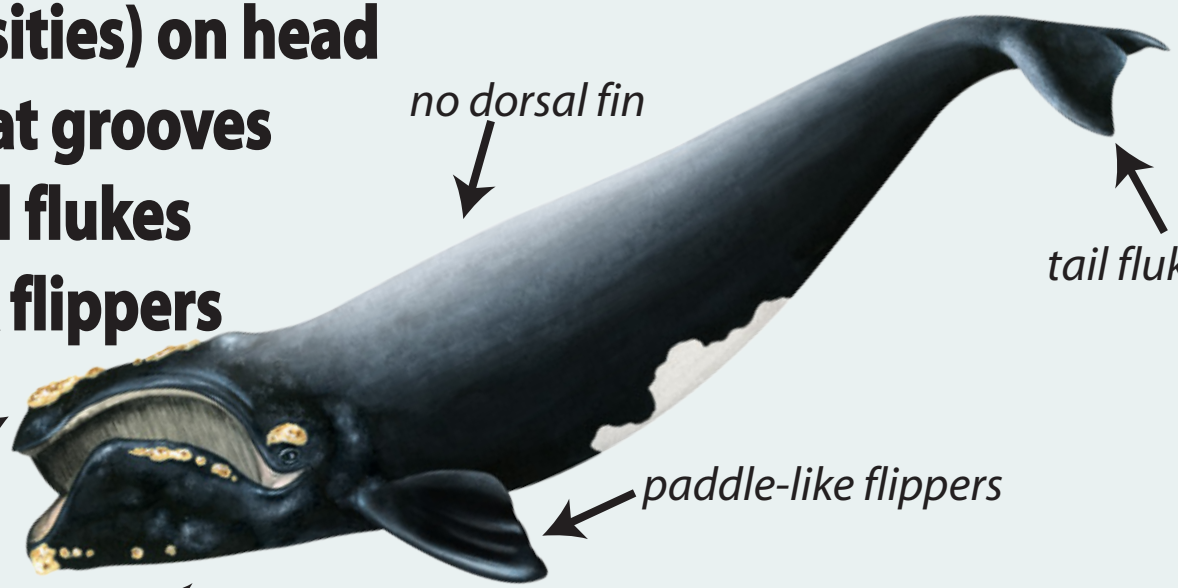
Protect Right Whales and Obey the Law: Stay 500 Yards Away!

If you see a right whale, move away slowly and report your sighting! Right whales have a distinctive **v-shaped blow** and can also be identified by:

- **White patches (callosities) on head**
- **No dorsal fin or throat grooves**
- **Smooth edges on tail flukes**
- **Paddle shaped black flippers**
- **Black robust body**



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