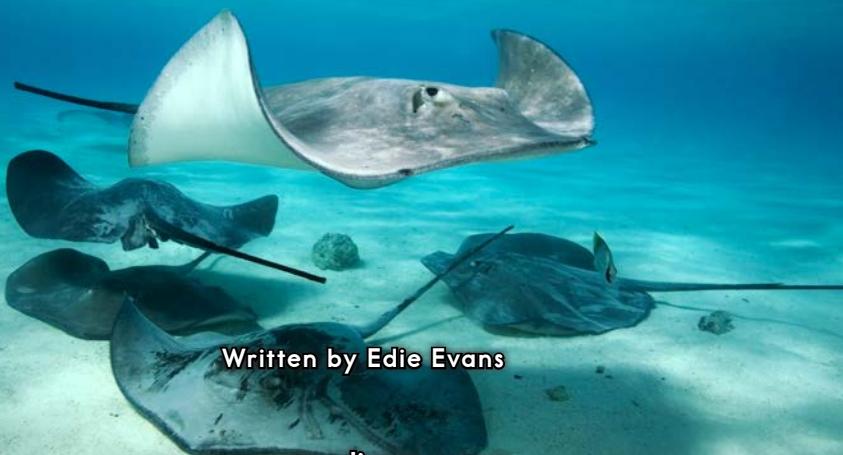
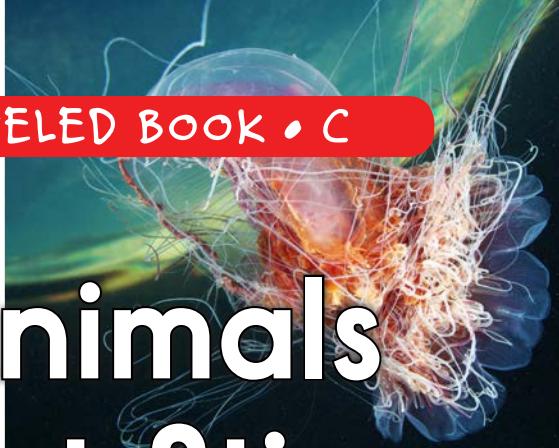


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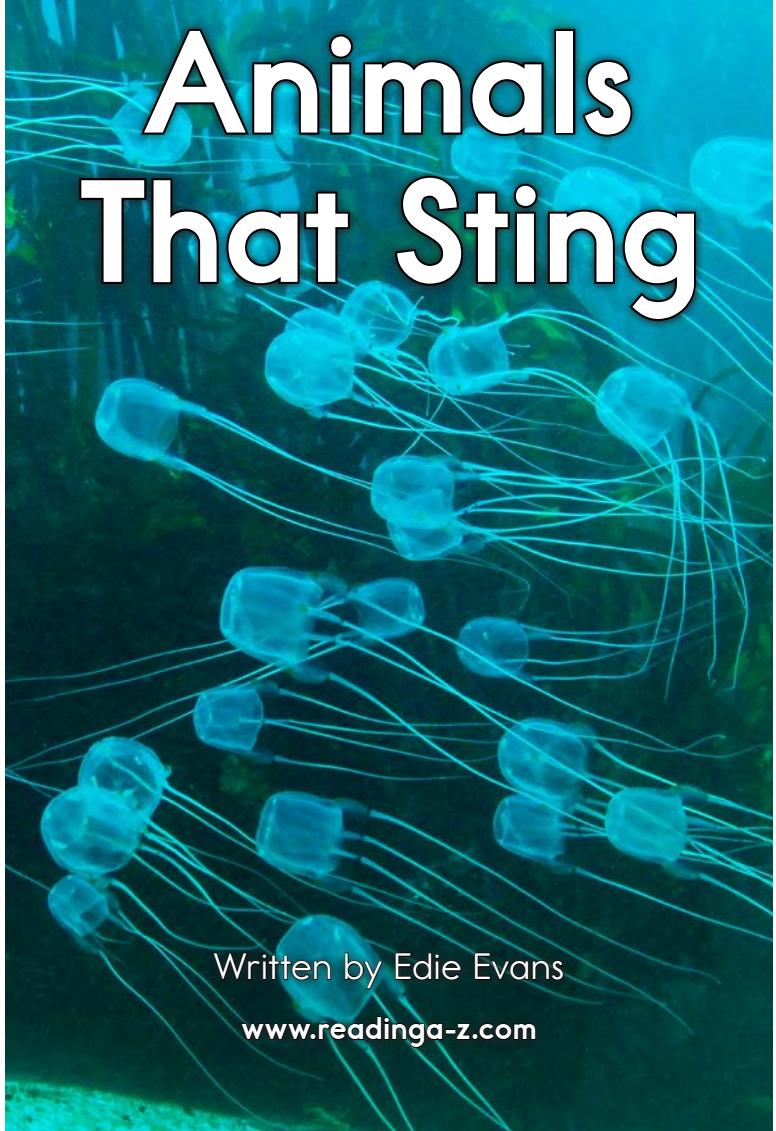
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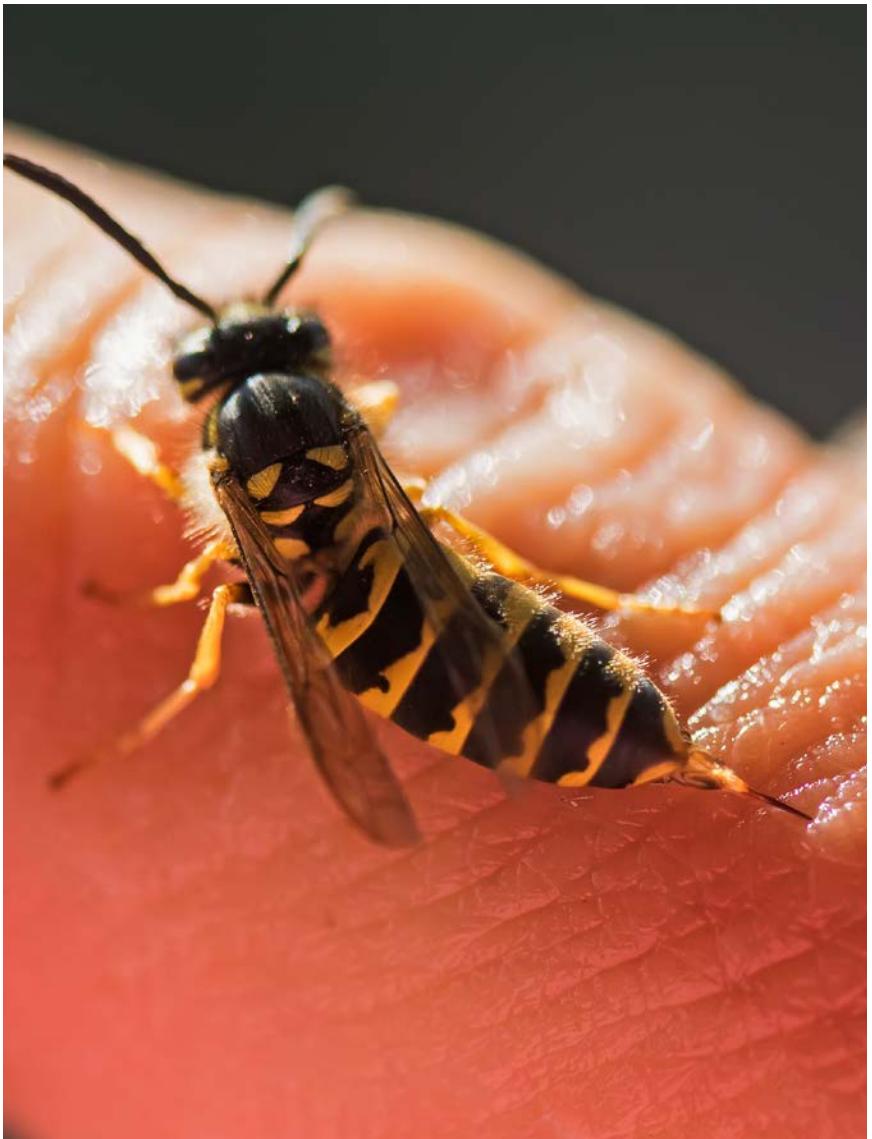


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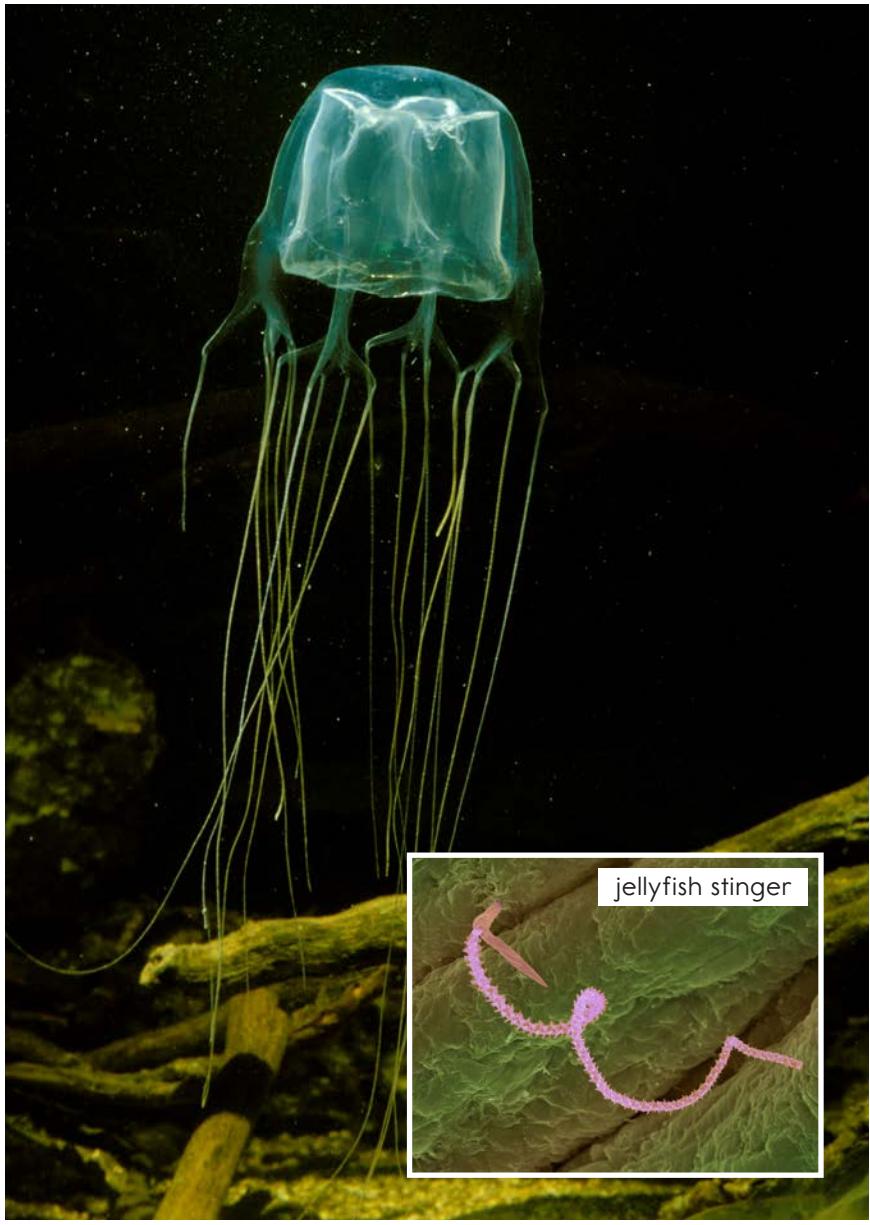
Why do some animals sting?



Some animals sting  
to defend themselves.  
Stings can hurt.



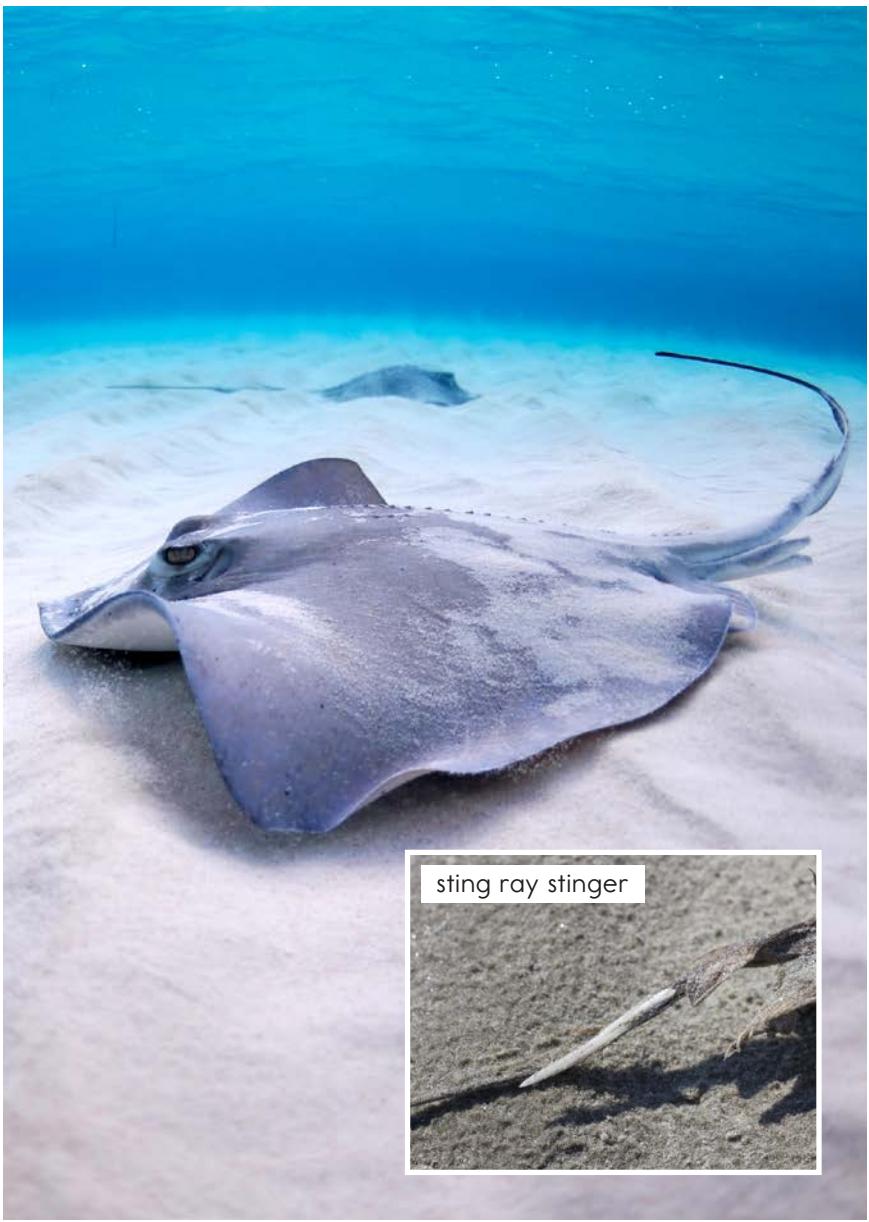
This bee stings  
to defend itself.



This jellyfish stings  
to defend itself.



This worm stings  
to defend itself.



sting ray stinger



This ray stings  
to defend itself.



ant stinger



This ant stings  
to defend itself.



wasp stinger

This wasp stings  
to defend itself.



Stings can help keep animals safe.

# Words to Know

defend

safe

hurt

sting

jellyfish

wasp

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## Connections

### Writing

As a class, write a definition of the word *defend*.

Make a poster that has the definition, a picture, and a sentence using the word.

### Science

What else did the photographs in the book teach you about animals that sting?

Share your ideas with a partner.



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