



Jonathan travels to Canada in search of the Greenland shark, a huge, lethargic shark that lives in arctic waters. It takes days of effort, but finally, in dark, cold, murky water of the St. Lawrence, Jonathan finally meets this elusive animal, and its nothing like he expected..

### **Objectives**

1. Introduces viewers to one of the most elusive and rare sharks in the world.
2. Demonstrates that even sharks can be curious--and not necessarily dangerous.

### **Questions for before watching the program**

1. Do sharks like in cold water? Deep water? What kinds of sharks?
2. Are sharks curious?
3. How long do you think a shark can live?

### **Discussion for after watching the program**

1. Why did Jonathan have a hard time finding a shark at first? Why did he finally find the shark down deep?
2. Sharks are fish and cold-blooded. What does that mean for a shark in cold water? (Hint, are they as fast as tropical sharks?)
3. Greenland sharks grow very slowly but live a long time. How long do biologists think they might live?
4. Do a web search to see what Greenland sharks eat. How do they catch their prey?
5. Do a web search to learn how Greenland sharks got their name.
6. Why does divemaster Sylvain click rocks together?