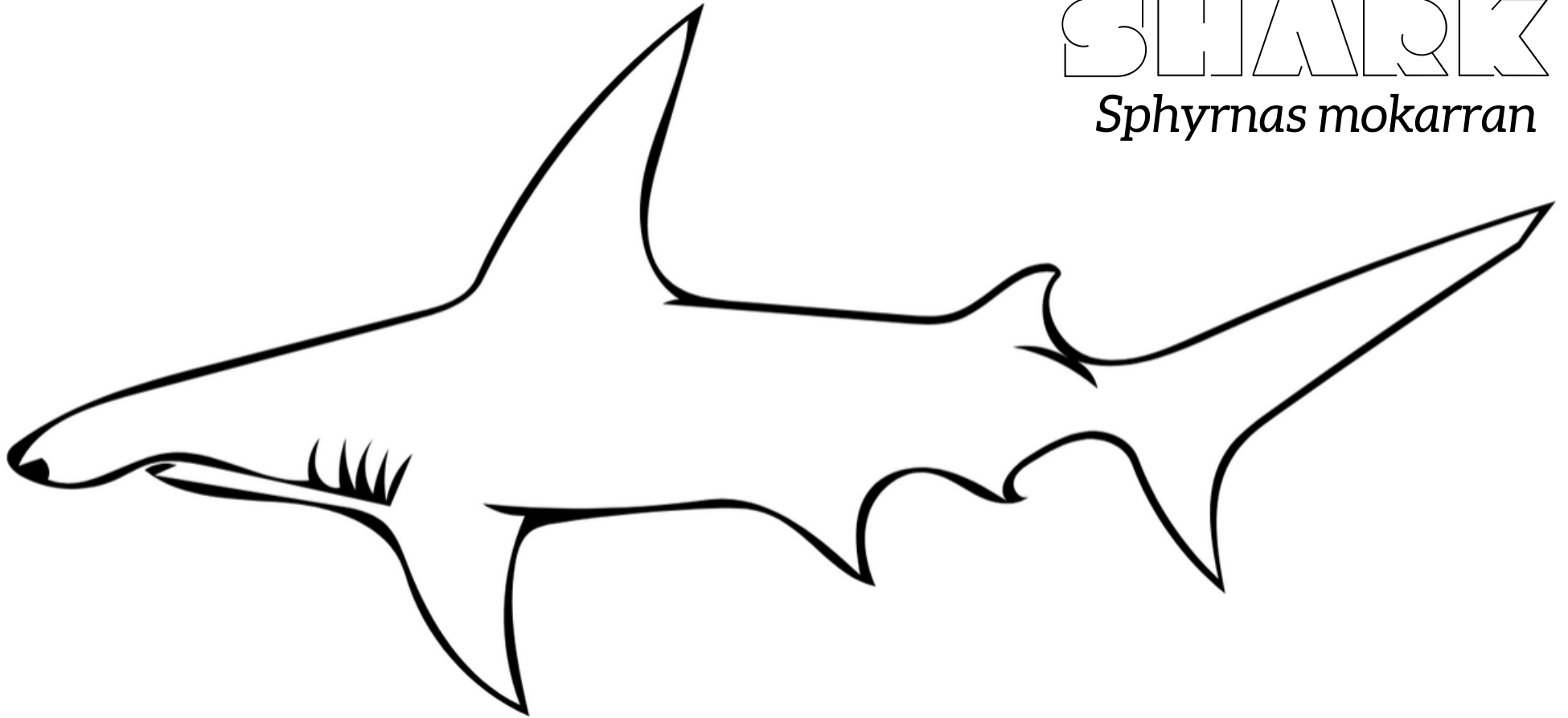


GREAT HAMMERHEAD SHARK

Sphyrnas mokarran



- Great hammerhead sharks have a very tall, sickle-shaped first dorsal fin
- Great hammerheads are thought to live to 20-40 years old
- Great hammerheads' fins are traded in the shark fin trade to be used in shark fin soup, skin is used for leather, liver oil for vitamins and meat for fishmeal

FUN FACT: Great hammerheads tend to swim at an angle or tilted to the side and it is thought that this helps them save energy and be more efficient while swimming!

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