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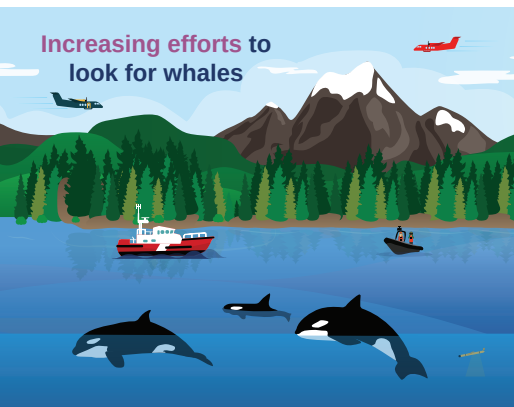
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# Southern Resident killer whales are critically endangered and facing an imminent threat



The Government of Canada is taking action to protect this iconic species

Increasing efforts to look for whales



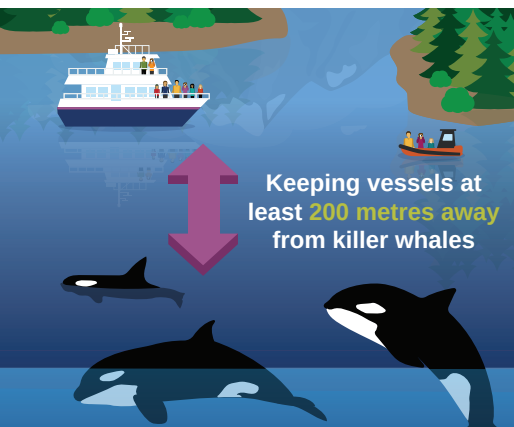
Closing fishing areas to help with prey availability and asking vessels to move away from key foraging areas



Asking vessels to slow down in Haro Strait



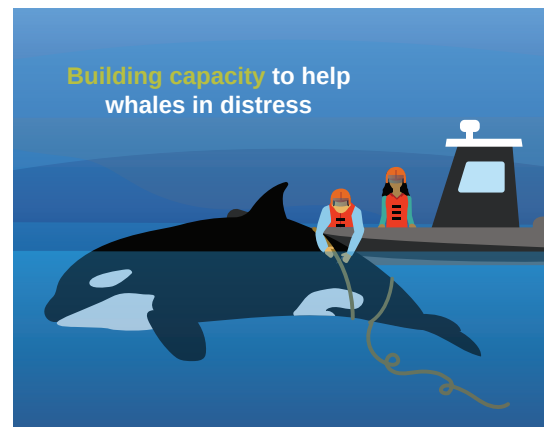
Keeping vessels at least 200 metres away from killer whales



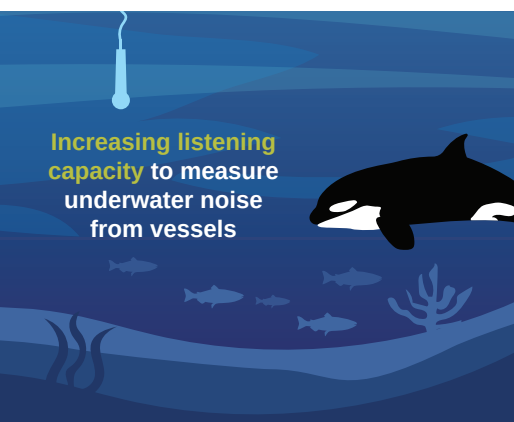
Working with our partners to protect whales together



Building capacity to help whales in distress



Increasing listening capacity to measure underwater noise from vessels



Adding more fishery officers on the water and in the air to increase enforcement



More scientific research and monitoring of contaminants

