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How Does a Barracuda Move?

Short Answer Key

1. A barracuda's body is long and torpedo-shaped, which helps it glide through the water with little resistance.
2. Barracudas use their strong, muscular tails to push themselves forward quickly and swim fast.
3. "Ambush hunting" means waiting and striking suddenly at prey, giving it no time to escape.
4. Barracudas use their agility to weave through coral reefs and surprise their prey.
5. Barracudas use their fins to stabilize themselves, allowing them to hover in one place while waiting for prey.