NEW BEDFORD WHALING MUSEUM

WHALES GIANTS OF THE OCEAN

Whales: Giants of the Ocean Lesson 4 - **How Big Are Whales?**

Think About It

1. How does the length of a blue whale compare with your height? How many of "you" would equal one blue whale?
2. If a school bus is approximately 40 feet (12.2m) long, how many school buses would it take to equal the length of one blue whale?
3. Are the biggest cetacean species mostly baleen whales or mostly toothed whales? Do you have any thoughts as to why this is?

Use the space below for math work



