

Curriculum overview

In this unit, we will learn about the seaside and its human and physical features. We will use maps and pictures to find seaside places in the UK, compare them to our local area, and learn how seaside towns have changed over time.

Key vocabulary

Tourist	Someone who visits a place to enjoy it.
Pier	A structure going out from the land to the water.
Coast	The place where the land meets the sea
Atlas	A book of maps.
Capital city	The main city of a country.
Island	Land that is surrounded by water.
Harbour	Where boats are moored (tied up).

Our topic is...



Beside the seaside

Sticky knowledge

- Physical features are formed by nature. Human features are made or changed by humans.
- The UK is made up of four countries: England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.
- Each country in the UK has a capital city.
- Maps, atlases and globes help us find places in the world.
- Compass directions help us describe where places and features are.



pier



lighthouse



harbour



beach



cliff



sea

Human features

Physical features