

Year: 2



The Seaside

Enquiry Question: Can you compare your local area to a coastal town?



Term: Summer 1

Key Facts:

- Great Britain is an island, surrounded by the sea.
- Northern Ireland also has a large coastline.
- Human features found at the seaside might include a lighthouse, the promenade, the pier and the fairground.
- Physical features found at the seaside might include the beach, sea, cliffs and caves.
- Many tourists like to go to the seaside for their holidays.
- Seaside resorts often have a lot of attractions for tourists. They also have plenty of restaurants and cafes for people to visit.
- When people started travelling by train during the Victorian era, people started visiting the seaside for their holidays.
- Seaside resorts have changed a lot over time.
- Harbours are where boats are kept.
- Fishing is often an important industry in seaside towns.

Key Vocabulary

local area	Nearby.
national	Within the same country.
resort	A popular place for holidays.
tourist	Someone who travels or visits a place for pleasure.
feature	An interesting or important part.
physical feature	A feature that has been formed by nature.
human feature	A feature that has been made or changed by humans.
pier	A structure built out into the water for people to walk on.
promenade	A public place for walking for pleasure.

Key Questions:

- Which seas surround the UK?
- What is it like at the seaside?
- What physical features are there at the seaside?
- What human features are there at the seaside?
- How have seaside towns changed over time?
- Why have seaside towns changed over time?

CLASSES 2LT and 2SD

Homework to be completed and returned by **Friday**
23rd May.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our topic this half term is The Seaside! Homework can be completed by the children on their own or with an adult. As the children love to show off their wonderful work, they will have an opportunity to share their creations in class.

Spelling

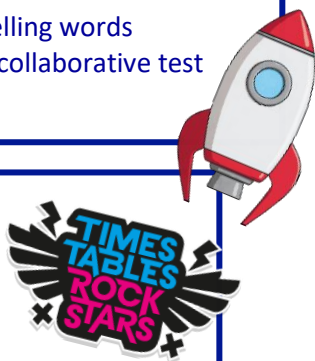
Don't forget spelling rules for your spelling words will go home with you Friday for your collaborative test the following week!

MATHS

This term we are continuing with our Maths Rockets based on different mathematical skills.

Don't forget to revise each week!

Please also login to Times Tables Rock Stars!



Places to Visit:

- Brighton
- Hastings
- Margate
- Worthing
- Broadstairs

Topic Homework

WRITING AND GEOGRAPHY

You have a homework scrap book to use to complete your homework project. Over the next few weeks you could complete some of these activities or make some up of your own.

1. Write a postcard imagining you are at the seaside, telling a friend all the things you have seen and done.
2. Design an advert to persuade people to visit a seaside destination.
3. Write some facts about Victorian seaside holidays.
4. Make a collage of a seaside scene.
5. Sketch some flotsam using pastels or paints.
6. Make a factfile about a seaside town of your choice.

Reading

Remember to read each day and get an adult to sign your reading record. Don't forget to collect your rewards for reading!



Home Learning Links:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5qJAEudN-Yk>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/william-whiskerson-seaside-town/zd88qp3>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/articles/zw7v46f>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5qJAEudN-Yk>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kU_SpzWKtqE

Recommended Reads:

