

Fieldwork is where you go out of the classroom and look at geographical features.

What is a coast?

A coast is a strip of land that meets the sea or ocean. This land could be made of things such as rock, sand, mud or gravel.

What should I already know?

- ◇ We live in the south of England.
- ◇ That The UK is located on the continent of Europe.
- ◇ That a continent is made up of a group of countries.
- ◇ That deserts can be hot.
- ◇ That Antarctica is the coldest place on Earth.

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Portsmouth Harbour



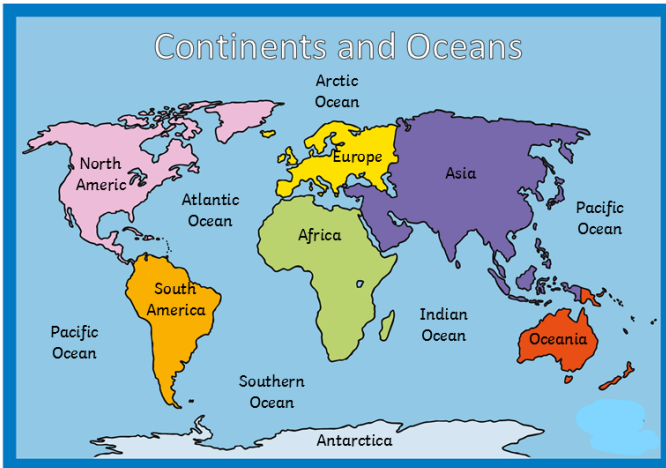
Southsea



Australian beach












There are different types of beaches. beaches do not all look the same.



Knowledge:

- To name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans.
- To know that a coast is where the land meets the sea.
- To know that a beach is an area of sand or shingle sloping down to meet then sea.
- To know that beaches do not all look the same.

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| continent |    | One of the earth's large land masses.  |
| country   |    | A political unit or state on a national scale.   |
| Europe    |    | Continent containing 47 countries north of Africa and west of Asia.  |
| ocean     |    | A very large stretch of sea, one of five oceans of the world – Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, Arctic and Southern. |
| beach     |    | An area of sand or shingle sloping down to a sea or lake.  |
| coast     |    | Where lands meets the sea.   |
| sea       |    | Usually smaller than an ocean and typically they are partially enclosed by land.                               |
| sand      |  | Sand is a mixture of very small pieces of different rocks or minerals.   |
| shingle   |  | coarse, rounded rock material (fragments such as pebbles and gravel) that is usually found in coastal areas.   |
| cliff     |  | A steep rock face along the coast.   |
| harbour   |  | A place on the coast where boats may moor to shelter.  |
| port      |  | A large harbour or place along a coast where ships are loaded and unloaded.                                    |
| marine    |  | describes oceans and seas, where water is salty  |