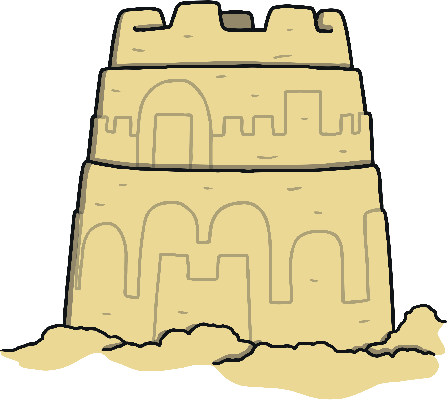
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| **Key Vocabulary** | |
| local area | Nearby. |
| national | Within the same country. |
| resort | A popular place for holidays. |
| tourist | Someone who travels or visits a place for pleasure. |
| feature | An interesting or important part. |
| 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. |

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| **Visiting Places** |
| People visit lots of different places. They might visit a **local area**, travel a bit further and go on a **national** trip, or take a longer holiday somewhere else in the world. Many **tourists** like to visit a seaside **resort**. |



Key Questions:

1. Can I say what I like about where I live and compare this to a seaside town?
2. Can I say what I dislike about where I live and compare this to a seaside town?
3. Can I describe some features of an island?
4. Can I describe a seaside location using geographical words?

There is always plenty to do at the seaside, like building sandcastles, paddling in the sea and donkey rides.

**Physical Features of the Seaside**

A seaside **resort** has many **physical features**. **Features** such as the beach, the sea, cliffs and caves have been made naturally. This means they were made by nature.

**Human Features of the Seaside**

**Human features** found at the seaside might include the **pier**, the **promenade**, a lighthouse and a fairground. These **features** are all man-made.

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| **Key Vocabulary** | |
| United Kingdom  (UK) | England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. |
| Victorian | When Queen Victoria ruled (from 1837-1901). |
| sea bathing | Swimming in the sea. |
| attractions | Things to see and do. |
| bay | Part of the coast where the land curves in and is surrounded by the sea on three sides. |
| Harbour | A place where ships or boats moor (tie-up). |
| climate | Weather. |



In the past, beaches were much cleaner because there was less litter.

**Seaside Towns**

Seaside **resorts** have plenty of restaurants and cafes for **tourists** to visit. There are also huts selling snacks, such as ice-creams, drinks and fish and chips.

The **UK** is made up of the large island of Great Britain, Northern Ireland and many smaller islands.

**Seaside Towns**

Seaside towns have plenty of **attractions** for **tourists**.

The **bay** and beaches are some of the **physical features** that visitors can enjoy.

The **harbour** is used for boat trips, fishing and seal spotting tours.

**Visiting Beaches**

The coastline around the **UK** is where you can find seaside resorts.

There are lots of islands around the world that people visit for their holidays. Some have a warmer **climate** than others.

There are lots of seaside **resorts** in the **United Kingdom** that have been popular for many years. In **Victorian** times, people would travel to the seaside to enjoy activities, such as a puppet show, walk along the **promenade** or to go **sea bathing**. The **Victorians** believed that the sea air was good for you and that **sea bathing** would make you healthy.

**Seaside Holidays in the Past**