

Barlows Primary School
Home Learning Comprehension questions

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Geography Task

This lesson you will be learning about the natural features of two types of coastline.

Sandy - 'soft' parts of the coastline, often where rivers enter the sea, where sand has accumulated but is liable to erosion and removal

Rocky - 'hard' coasts where the rocks resist erosion and form cliffs and headlands.

You will also be introduced to the concept of tides.

Key words that may be useful to be familiar with throughout the lesson are:

Erosion – is the process that breaks things down

Deposition – when the sea loses energy, and drops the sand, rock particles and pebbles it has been carrying

Tides – waves that appear to move through oceans due to the gravitational forces exerted by the moon and sun

Resistance – how well minerals resist erosive factors

Beach – a narrow, gently sloping strip of land that lies along the edge of an ocean, lake or river

Cliff – a mass of rock that rises very high and is almost vertical, like a wall

Bay – a body of water partially surrounded by land

Open Power Point 1 (see Year 3 Home Learning Geography Power Point 1 in the Home Learning Section wc 29.06.20) and look at the images on pages 5 to 15. Discuss with a grown up the things you can see. Try and use as much geographical vocabulary as you can, use the list above and other words you may remember from previous lessons. Think about 'how the beach was made' (erosion over a very long time) and 'where the beach material has come from' (it has eroded from the cliff).

After you have discussed the images choose a few of your favourites and see if you can add labels to the different features. (see Year 3 Home Learning Geography Labels in the Home Learning Section wc 29.06.20). If you have access to a printer you may wish to stick them on the photographs, you could write them by hand or just discuss the labels with an adult.

Open Power Point 2 (see Year 3 Home Learning Geography Power Point 2 in the Home Learning Section wc 29.06.20) and work through the questions that accompany the images. You may wish to write your answers down but you could just discuss them instead. Try and complete the drawing activity on the final slide.