

Reading Comprehension

All about Beaches



What is a beach?

A beach is found next to water. Most beaches are next to the sea. Some beaches are made out of sand and some are made out of pebbles.

Beach Activities

You can have so much fun at the beach. You can go to the beach on holiday or for a day trip. Many people take a picnic. You can go in the water for a paddle or a swim. Many people like to play a ball game at the beach. You can stay at the beach all day.

Popular UK beaches

There are over 200 beaches in the UK. People have enjoyed coming to the beach for years.

Scarborough was the first beach where people went on holiday in Britain.

The beach at Blackpool became popular when the railway was built.

Questions:

1. Are all beaches made out of sand?
2. Name 2 things you can do for fun at the beach.
3. How many beaches are there in the UK?
4. Why did the beach at Blackpool first become popular?
5. Do you like going to the beach? What is your favourite thing to do on the beach?