

COAST



Dangers at the beach



Glossary

capsize	When a boat or ship turns over in the water.
charity	A group that raises money for people or animals in need.
coastline	The place where the land meets the sea or ocean.
compass	An instrument used for showing the direction.
emergency	A situation that is serious and dangerous and needs urgent help.
explorer	A person who travels to places to learn about them.
feature	Something that is part of an area of land.
volunteer	A person who works without being paid.



CAPTAIN JAMES COOK
Extraordinary explorer!

Born: UK, 1728

Discovered New Zealand: 1768

Sailed to Antarctica: 1772

Died in Hawaii: 1779

The United Kingdom

A union of four countries: **England, Scotland, Wales, and Northern Ireland**

Coastal features Two main types: physical (natural) and human-made

Natural features: beaches, cliffs and bays.

Manmade physical features are shops, houses, roads and piers



Erosion

Erosion is a natural process where rock, sand, and soil are moved from one place to another

Waves crashing against the coastline break off tiny pieces of rock, wearing away the coastline over time

Sea defences are put at the bottom of cliffs to stop erosion
Examples: sea walls and lines of large rocks (rip-rap)

Maps

Used to help people find their way around
Show physical and human features with symbols