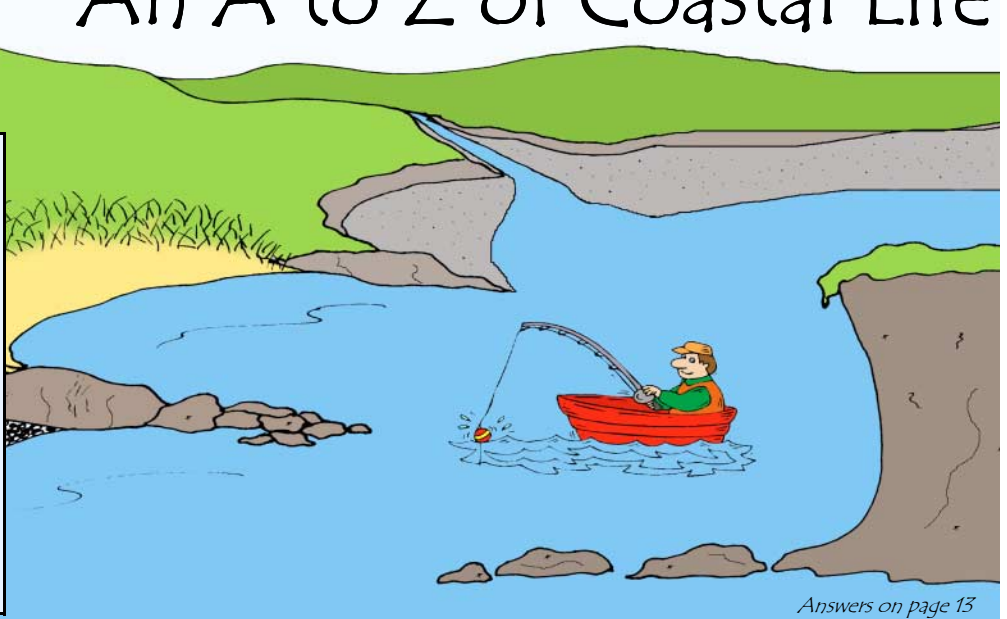


Coastal Life

An A to Z of Coastal Life

The coast is where the land and sea meet. There are lots of wonderful things to see and do here, such as swimming, fishing, boating, looking at the wildlife and enjoying the beautiful sea views. See how much you know at the coast by matching the descriptions on the right, with the words from A to Z on the left.



Answers on page 13

Anchor

Buoy

Cliff

Dunes

Estuary

Fisherman

Geology

Habitat

Island

Jellyfish

Keel

Limpet

Mudflat

Net

Oar

Periwinkle

Quay

Rock

Sand

Tide

Urchin

Vegetation

Wildlife

eXposed

Yacht

Zonation

_____ 1. A shellfish that clings very tightly to rocks.

_____ 2. The natural home of animals and plants.

_____ 3. An anchored float that marks an area of water.

_____ 4. A pole with a flat blade used to move a boat.

_____ 5. The rise and fall of the sea due to the moon and sun.

_____ 6. Being without shelter or protection.

_____ 7. A vessel for sailing or cruising.

_____ 8. A piece of land completely surrounded by water.

_____ 9. A material used for catching fish.

_____ 10. A steep rock face at the edge of the sea.

_____ 11. A heavy object on a rope that stops a boat moving.

_____ 12. Study of the Earth's physical structures, such as rocks.

_____ 13. Platform in a harbour for loading and unloading ships.

_____ 14. The wild animals and plants that inhabit an area.

_____ 15. A sea snail.

_____ 16. Mounds of sand near the sea, formed by the wind.

_____ 17. A man who catches fish.

_____ 18. Muddy shore left uncovered at low tide.

_____ 19. A sea creature with a soft jelly-like body.

_____ 20. The plant life in an area.

_____ 21. Particles of rocks and shell found on beaches.

_____ 22. The hard material that makes up the Earth's crust.

_____ 23. A spiky marine animal.

_____ 24. Arrangement of animals and plants into zones.

_____ 25. The mouth of a river, where it meets the sea.

_____ 26. The part of a boat that runs along its base.