## The Seaside - Year 1

## The UK

The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is found in Western Europe. It is made up of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. Aylesbury is found in England!

It is surrounded by the North Sea, the English Channel, the Celtic Sea, the Irish Sea and the Atlantic Ocean.

We live in Aylesbury. Aylesbury is not a coastal town as it is quite central. The nearest sea to Aylesbury is the North Sea


## St Ives

St Ives is a coastal town on the south-west coast of England. It is in Cornwall. It is nearly 300 miles away from Aylesbury! Lots of people go here on holiday


## Isle of Wight

The Isle of Wight is a small island in the English Channel south of the UK. It is also very popular with tourists! You need to get on a ferry to go there.


Key Vocabulary

| Physical Features (naturally occurring) |  |  |  | Human Features (things made or built by humans) |  |  |  |
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| beach | The land at the edge of a lake, sea or ocean. | sea | A body of water where an ocean and land meet. | harbour | A place on the coast that is sheltered by walls. | port | A place where boats come and go from. |
| cliff | A steep, tall mass of rock. | ocean | A huge body of salt water. |  |  |  |  |
| coast | The area between land and sea. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

What's the difference between a sea and an ocean?
An ocean is bigger than a sea - there are five oceans (the Arctic Ocean, the Atlantic Ocean, the Pacific Ocean, the Indian Ocean and the Southern Ocean)! Seas are smaller, and normally surrounded by land.

