



On the Beach

Book list

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Project overview

This project teaches children about the plants and animals that live at the seaside. It also explores holidays in the past and the importance of keeping safe in the Sun.

 Recommended text

Book	Waterstones	Amazon	Author	ISBN
 The See Saw	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Tom Percival	9781471172434
 Who's Hiding at the Seaside? (Nosy Crow)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Katharine McEwen	9781788002349
 Sally and the Limpet		 Amazon	Simon James	9781406308464
 Lucy & Tom at the Seaside	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Shirley Hughes	9781782955160
 One is a Snail, Ten is a Crab (Walker Books)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	April Pulley Sayre and Jeffrey Sayre	9781844281640
Look What I Found at the Seaside (Nosy Crow)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Moirá Butterfield	9781839940835
 Hey Duggee: A Day at the Beach	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Jenny Landreth	9781405924337
Busy Beach (Campbell Busy Books)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Campbell Books	9781529004175

Book	Waterstones	Amazon	Author	ISBN
 Chu's Day at the Beach (Bloomsbury)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Neil Gaiman	9781408864364
 Herman the Hermit Crab	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Cindy W. Hollingsworth	9780984672455
 First Book of the Seashore (RSPB)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Derek Niemann	9781408165690
 At the Beach	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Roland Harvey	9781741147049
 Tip Tap Went the Crab	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Tim Hopgood	9781509834136
 Welcome to the Rock Pool (Living Things and Their Habitats)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Ruth Owen	9781910549742
 Where's the Starfish?	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Barroux	9781405271394
 Hooray for Fish!	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Lucy Cousins	9781406345018
 Exploring Rock Pools	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Jill McDougall	9780435167363
The Rainbow Fish	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Marcus Pfister	9783314015441
Bright Stanley and the Cave Monster (Little Tiger Press)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Matt Buckingham	9781848696662
Off to the Beach (Oxford Reading Tree)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Rob Alcraft	9780198370864

Book	Waterstones	Amazon	Author	ISBN
Kiki and Bobo's Sunny Day	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Yasmeen Ismail	9781406378870
 Clem and Crab	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Fiona Lumbers	9781783449149
 Come Away From the Water, Shirley	 Waterstones	 Amazon	John Burningham	9780099899402
 Creature Features Oceans	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Natasha Durley	9781787415782
 Commotion in the Ocean	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Giles Andreae	9781841211015
Flip Flap Ocean (Nosy Crow)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Axel Scheffler	9780857639967
This is Crab: A gripping, tipping, nipping interactive book	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Harriet Evans	9781838911737
Where the Sea Meets the Sky	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Peter Bently	9781444946314
 Tiddler: The story telling fish	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Julia Donaldson	9781407170756
 The Snail and the Whale	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Julia Donaldson	9781509812523
The Fish Who Could Wish	 Waterstones	 Amazon	John Bush	9780192727138
Busy Boats (Campbell Busy Books)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Campbell Books	9781529004205

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My Friend Earth	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Patricia MacLachlan	9780811879101
 Somebody Swallowed Stanley	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Sarah Roberts	9781407195100
 A First Book of the Sea	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Nicola Davies	9781406391015
The Singing Mermaid	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Julia Donaldson	9781509862733
 The Night Pirates	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Peter Harris	9781405211611
 The Pirates Next Door	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Jonny Duddle	9781848773929
 Ten Little Pirates	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Mike Brownlow	9781408346457
 Pirates Love Underpants	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Claire Freedman	9780857072658
 The Pirates are Coming!	 Waterstones	 Amazon	John Condon	9781788006798
 Dinosaur Pirates! (Nosy Crow)	 Waterstones	 Amazon	Penny Dale	9780857635846

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