



Activity:

Guess the sounds

Duration:

10 minutes

Resources:

6 sound clips which can be paused and replayed to clarify and discuss what has been heard.

A printable PDF of photos to talk about, if further prompts are required.

Extras:

Notebook or recording device to share stories about a day at the seaside.

Activity aim:

- To listen to a variety of sound clips which might be heard at the seaside.
- To recall stories about visits to traditional seaside resorts.

Instructions:

1. Be still and quiet for a minute and listen to the sounds around you.
2. Explain that you are going to listen to some short sound recordings of things that you might hear at a seaside.
3. Play each sound clip, pausing and replaying as appropriate. Can you guess what the sound is? Use the photos to talk about visiting the seaside - the beach and all the other attractions.

Topics for discussion:

- What do you like to do at the seaside?
- What food and drinks remind you of holidays?
- Have you ever been abroad?
- Do you have any holiday souvenirs?
- Do you think a change is as good as a rest?