

The Coast with the Most

Situated on the beach, Boggle hole is the ideal base for exploring this incredible heritage/Jurassic coast. A fantastic beach with large sandy areas, rock-pools with a rich marine biodiversity, quaint old fishing villages and interesting historical sites mean there is something for everyone. Best of all, everything is on our doorstep and can be reached on foot”

Learning Modules

- Seashore Safari
- Walking with Dinosaurs
- A Bucket of Wee and a Floating Egg
- Castles in the sand
- Smugglers Tales
- What a load of old rubbish
- Shipwrecks and Storms

Evening and Extra Activities

- Fire pit
- Indoor Aquarium
- Pirate Party

Prices

- Half day modules are £5 per person
- Full day modules are £10 per person
- Evening activities are £3 per person

Why not stay for longer and enjoy more activities?

Learning modules

Seashore Safari

“Twice a day the sea retreats, revealing a fascinating world of strange plants and fabulous beasts. Explore, identify and record the creatures that make this world between land and sea their home”

Children will get to see some of the coastlines creatures in their natural habitats. They will learn about coastal safety, habitats, identification, zones of the rocky shore line and food chains. The main focus of the activity is enjoyment. Whilst there is a strong educational base, we are on the beach and it should be a happy and interesting day for everyone.

Duration 3 hours

Supports KS2 Science, Citizenship and Geography

Walking With Dinosaurs

“The world of the dinosaurs is all around us! All that separates their world and ours is time! If we look closely enough we can see back millions of years through the mists of time to when dinosaurs walked and swam past our door...Come with us on a dinosaur hunt, search for the evidence, piece together the clues and walk in the world of the dinosaurs”

Robin Hood's Bay is a unique geological feature and the Jurassic coast abounds with fossilised remains. Our interesting and informative activity combines education and excitement! Children will love finding out more about the world of 180 million years ago and safely searching for evidence and fossilised remains they can take away with them.

Duration 3 hours

Supports KS2 Science, Citizenship and Geography

A Bucket of Wee and a Floating Egg

“They be cursed wherever they are, in sitting and in lying, in sweating and in bloodletting.

*May they be cursed from the tops of their heads to the soles of their feet
Nor any soundness left in them!”*

The Alum works at Ravenscar were incredibly important and can be regarded as the first chemical industry in England. The story involves the Pope and his curse, King of England, Daredevil deeds, Wee by the barrel load and a simple hen's egg...an incredible amazing and true tale. Science has never been more exciting

Duration 6-7 hours

Supports KS2 Science and History

Castles in the Sand

“And so castles made of sand, fall in the sea eventually!”

This is a wonderful activity that appeals to all ages and all abilities. Much, much more than just sand castles, with imagination all sorts of ideas can be realised in sculptures made of seashore materials. We create individual and group sculptures, which can be photographed and printed at the hostel. We have examples of artwork using drift wood and found materials that will inspire you!

Duration 3 hours

Supports KS2 Science, Citizenship and Geography

Smugglers Tales

*“If you wake at midnight, and hear a horse’s feet
Don’t go drawing back the blind, or looking in the street.
Them that asks no questions isn’t told a lie
Watch the wall, my darling, while Gentlemen go by!”*

Robin Hood’s Bay is a fascinating old fishing village and once a major centre for smuggling! We walk from the hostel to Robin Hood’s Bay and explore some of the routes used by smugglers and discuss what and why smuggling occurred and present day smuggling.

Duration 3 hours

Supports KS2 History and Citizenship

What a Load of Old Rubbish

“The sea, once it casts it’s spell, holds one in its nets of wonder forever, people protect what they love!” Jacques Cousteau

Marine wildlife is under threat from the pollution and litter in the sea. Litter on our beaches can also be dangerous to people, we can all help in reducing it. A fun informative activity that explains the consequences of litter and pollution and also helps make our coastal environment a little bit cleaner.

Duration 3 hours

Supports KS2 Science and Citizenship

Shipwrecks and Storms

“Life is a shipwreck but we must not forget to sing in the lifeboats!”

We use our Beach location to deliver this entertaining package that focuses on communication skills and teamwork. Ship to shore radio highlights the need for clear and well thought out communication and we use semaphore to show how to relay a message without speaking. Our Life boat team building game covers all aspects of how teams work and will improve a group's ability to work together.

History, Safety and the role of Coastal Emergency services are included, as well as bucket loads of fun

Duration 3 hours

Supports KS2 Citizenship and History

Useful Information

These fun, motivational evening activities can enhance the educational aspect of our residential visit and provide enjoyable variety for your pupils.

- Indoor aquarium! Paint fish and sea creatures and display them in our aquarium! A lovely inclusive activity that is guaranteed to create a superb team result
- Firepit, we arrange a fire pit in the Hostel courtyard, a very simple but quite magical activity that delights all ages with Tall tales of local folklore and legends. The History of Boggle Hole and even a few Ghost stories as well. Ask everyone what their favourite part of the day was, sing the school song and finish with a hot chocolate
- Pirate Party dress like a pirate (or local smuggler) and let off some steam at our pirate disco. Bring your own outfits or borrow ours. Grog and ships biscuits provided.

Use your evening to have fun and develop skills that can be transferred back into the school environment. For more information please contact the centre.

- Hostel trails, we have several indoor trails that encourage children to explore the hostel but also have follow on activities like word searches. Exterior trails are based on local legends and have stories about each one. These can easily be developed and expanded at school
- Donkey Derby, using our very own hobby horses (and donkeys and even dinosaurs) play some really fun games on the beach, that also involve team work, coordination and laughter...bring your cameras for this one!

- Traditional games, remember hopscotch and skipping to rhymes? We use our enclosed yard for traditional pursuits..."salt, vinegar, mustard, pepper" it will all come flooding back and bound to start a new craze back at school