

# My Coast Discovery Journal

*Learning objective: To describe the physical features of a coastline and how they are formed.*

Help Finn the dolphin learn about the coast! Use the sentence starters below to write your own report. Use the word bank to help you describe what you see.

Finn the dolphin loves to swim along the jagged coastline where the land meets the deep, blue sea.

*Word bank: beach · cliff · waves · sand · pebbles · erosion · coastline · next to · because · then*

**1. What can you see at the coast? (Think about the land and the sea): Start your sentence with: At the coast, I can see... (2 marks)**

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**2. What are the cliffs like? (Are they tall, rocky, or crumbling?): Start your sentence with: The cliffs are... (2 marks)**

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**3. What do the waves do to the land? (Think about how water hits the rocks): Start your sentence with: The waves hit the land and... (2 marks)**

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**4. Why is the coast a special place to visit? Start your sentence with: The coast is special because... (2 marks)**

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*Extension challenge: Can you draw a picture of a coastline and label the cliff, the beach, and the sea?*