



EXPLORING THE COASTLINE

Geography
Beginner (KS1/2)

Learning outcomes: To be able to identify the features of a coastline.

Instructions - Coastline Activity



- Print “Coastline Activity” sheet (page 2) for each pupil.
- Give each pupil a copy of the sheet.
- Ask pupils to read each word in the word bank.
- Drill pronunciation of vocabulary.
- Ask pupils to use the word bank to complete their worksheet.

Materials required:

- “Coastline Activity” sheet (page 2)

Instructions - Coastline Features



- Print “Coastline Features - Flashcards” sheets (pages 3-6).
- Cut out the pictures and descriptions.
- Put pupils into small mixed-ability groups.
- Ask pupils to read the features and descriptions aloud.
- Ask pupils to match the coastline features to the correct descriptions.

Materials required:

- “Coastline Features - Flashcards” sheet (pages 3-4)

Tip!

Encourage the pupils to use their phonic knowledge when reading.



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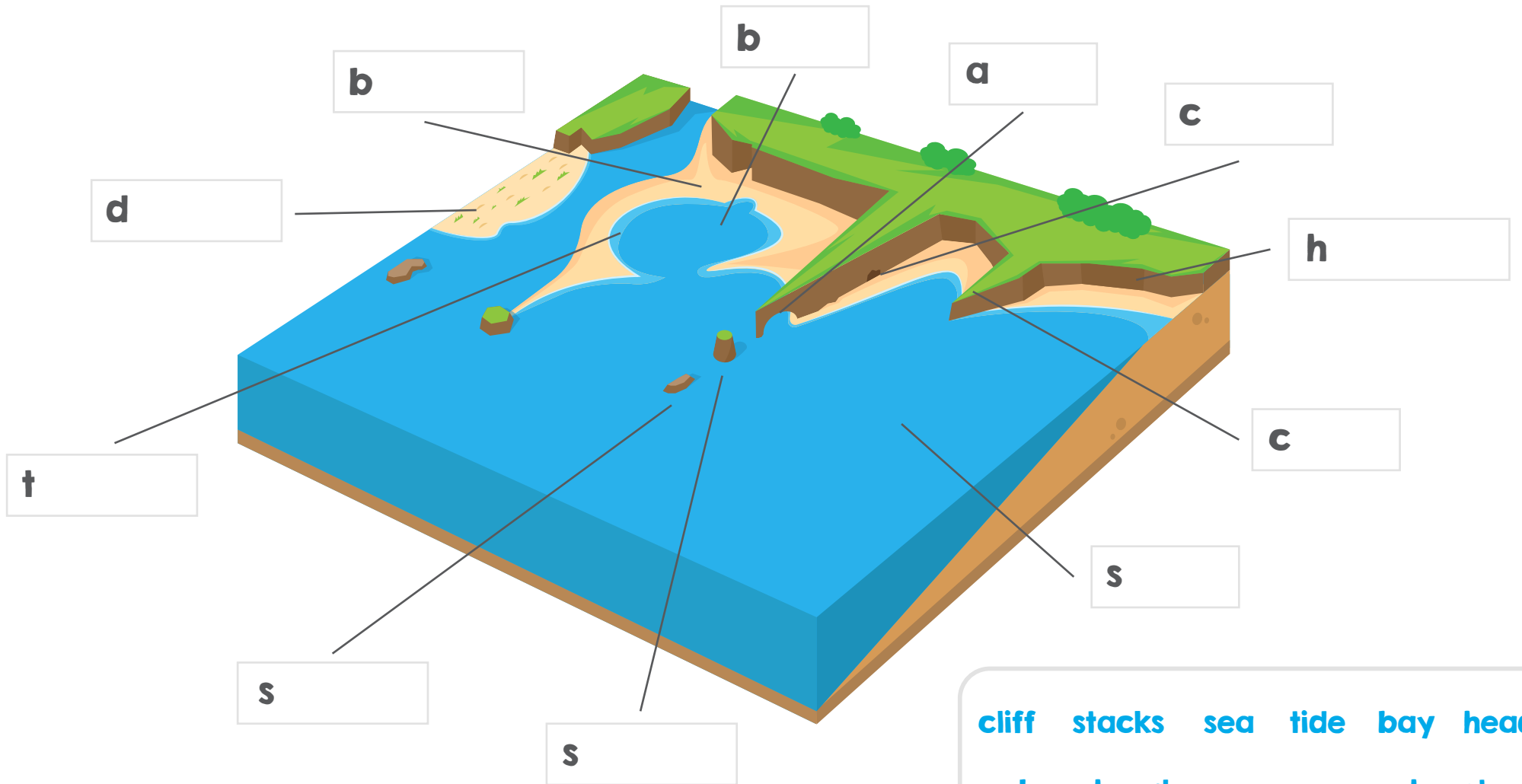
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cliff stacks sea tide bay headland
beach dune cave arch stump



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sea stack



cliff



erosion



groynes



bay



headline



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This is made from the weathering and the erosion of the coastline rock.



This is a column of rock in the sea or near the coast. It is made by wave erosion.



When soil and rock are worn away by water or wind.



They stop the beach from being swept away by stopping sand being moved too far along the coast.



Coastal water that connects to the ocean, a lake or another bay.



A section of land that sticks out into the sea.



COASTLINE FEATURES - FLASHCARDS

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An area of sand or small stones near the sea.



A large mound of sand made by the wind.



These are made by the erosion of the rock by the sea.



This is made by the erosion of the cliff face.



This is made from the erosion of a sea stack.