

## KIDS - PRE-A1 - VOCABULARY

 **At the Beach** 

Learn 10 beach words! Sand, sea, sun, shells, crabs, ice cream and more.

Ages 6-10 | Pre-A1 | ~20 min | Vocabulary



<b>Level</b>	Pre-A1 (Beginner)
<b>Age Group</b>	Kids (6-10)
<b>Skill</b>	Vocabulary
<b>Topic</b>	Places & Outdoors - At the Beach
<b>Duration</b>	~20 minutes
<b>Vocabulary</b>	10 beach words with definitions
<b>Activities</b>	Flashcards, matching game, fill-in-the-blanks, quiz

## Part 1 - Warm-up

Think about these questions before you start:

1. Do you like the beach?
2. What colour is the sea?
3. Can you swim?
4. What do you like to eat at the beach?

## Part 2 - Meet the Beach Words!

Learn these 10 beach words. Each one has a colourful symbol!

#	Symb ol	Word	What is it?
1		<b>beach</b>	the sandy place by the sea
2		<b>sea</b>	the big blue water by the beach
3		<b>sand</b>	the soft yellow ground at the beach
4		<b>sun</b>	the bright yellow light in the sky
5		<b>shell</b>	a hard cover that you find on the beach
6		<b>fish</b>	a small animal that swims in the sea
7		<b>crab</b>	a small sea animal with claws
8		<b>ice cream</b>	a cold, sweet food you eat on hot days
9		<b>umbrella</b>	a thing that keeps you cool from the sun
10		<b>bucket</b>	a small container for making sand castles

## Part 3 - How to Say It

### ≈ Saying what you see:

- I can see the sea. It is big and blue.
- I can see the sun. It is hot today.
- I can see a crab on the sand.
- I can see many shells.

### ☀ Saying what you do:

- I swim in the sea.
- I build a sand castle.
- I eat an ice cream.
- I play with my ball.

### ? Asking questions:

- What can you see at the beach? - I can see the sea.
- Do you like the beach? - Yes, I love it!
- Is it hot? - Yes, the sun is hot today.

## Part 4 - Sam's Day at the Beach

Read this story. The beach words are in bold blue.

Hello! My name is Sam. I am seven years old. Today my family is at the **beach**! I am so happy!

The **sun** is bright and hot. My mum gives me a hat. The sky is blue. The **sea** is also blue. It is beautiful!

I walk on the **sand**. The sand is soft and warm under my feet. I find a pretty **shell**. It is white and pink. I put it in my pocket.

"Look, Dad!" I say. There is a small **crab** on the sand. It is red and has big claws! It walks sideways. So funny!

I have my blue **bucket**. I put sand in the bucket. Then I make a sand castle. My castle has four towers. My little sister helps me. Together we make a big castle!

"Time to swim!" says my dad. I run to the sea. The water is cold at first. But then I love it! I see a small fish in the water. It swims fast!

After swimming, we sit under the umbrella. The umbrella is red and white. It keeps us cool from the sun.

For a snack, my mum buys me an ice cream. It is strawberry. It is cold and sweet. I eat it very fast before it melts!

The beach is my favourite place in the world.

## Part 5 - Fill in the Blanks

Write the correct beach word in each gap.

1. I love the \_\_\_\_\_. I swim and play in it!
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ is yellow and soft. I build castles with it!
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ is hot and bright. I wear my hat!
4. I find a pretty pink \_\_\_\_\_ on the sand.
5. I see a small \_\_\_\_\_ in the water. It swims fast!
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ has claws! It walks on the sand.
7. I eat a cold \_\_\_\_\_ on hot days. Yum!
8. I put my \_\_\_\_\_ in the sand to make a castle.

## Part 6 - Talk About the Beach! (Speaking)

Ask your friend or teacher these questions:

1. Do you like the beach?
2. What can you see at the beach?
3. Can you swim?
4. What is your favourite thing to do at the beach?
5. Do you like ice cream?

### Example dialogue:

A: Do you like the beach?

B: Yes, I love the beach!

A: What can you see?

B: I can see the sea, the sand, and a big crab!

## Part 7 - My Day at the Beach! (Writing)

Write 3 or 4 sentences about a day at the beach:

- Name 3 things you can see at the beach

- Use "I can see" in your writing
- Say what you do (swim, play, eat)
- Say if you like it or love it

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## Part 8 - Quiz

Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for each question.

### 1. Where do you find sand and sea?

- A. In the kitchen
- B. At the beach
- C. In the park
- D. At school

### 2. What is the colour of the sea?

- A. Red
- B. Yellow
- C. Blue
- D. Brown

### 3. Complete: 'The sun \_\_\_ very hot today.'

- A. are
- B. am
- C. is
- D. be

### 4. What do you build with sand?

- A. A boat
- B. A castle
- C. A book
- D. A pizza

**5. What sea animal has claws?**

- A. A fish
- B. A shell
- C. A crab
- D. A bird

**6. Complete: 'I \_\_ swimming in the sea!'**

- A. likes
- B. love
- C. loves
- D. is

**7. In the story, what does Sam find on the sand?**

- A. A bucket
- B. A fish
- C. A pretty shell
- D. An ice cream

**8. What do you eat on a hot day at the beach?**

- A. Soup
- B. Tea
- C. Ice cream
- D. Bread

## Answer Keys

For teachers and parents

### ✓ Fill in the Blanks - Answers

1. sea
2. sand
3. sun
4. shell
5. fish
6. crab
7. ice cream
8. bucket

### ✓ Quiz - Answers

#	Ans	Correct Option	Why?
1	B	At the beach	<i>You find sand and sea at the beach!</i>
2	C	Blue	<i>The sea is blue.</i>
3	C	is	<i>For one thing (the sun), we say 'is'.</i>
4	B	A castle	<i>You can build a sand castle!</i>
5	C	A crab	<i>A crab has claws.</i>
6	B	love	<i>With 'I' we use 'love', not 'loves'.</i>
7	C	A pretty shell	<i>Sam finds a pretty pink and white shell.</i>
8	C	Ice cream	<i>Ice cream is cold and sweet - perfect for hot days!</i>