

Home Learning: English: Year 2: Thursday 11th June

Riddles

I have written a riddle below about something you might see at the seaside. Can you read the riddle and then match it to the picture it is talking about.

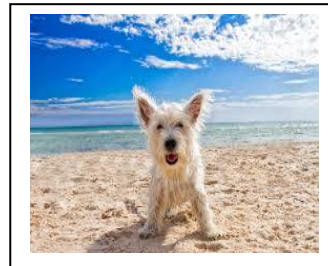
I move up and down on the beach.

I have 4 strong legs.

I have soft hair.

I take children for rides on the beach.

Who am I?



When writing a riddle you must:

*Describe 1 object/ creature

*Give clear clues

*Order your sentences as a list

*Use present tense verbs e.g. I have

*Make sure the clues become more obvious at the end

*Make sure the last line asks the reader to answer your riddle.

I would like you to write your own riddle about a sea creature. I have written one below as an example:

I live under water.
I like to eat oysters and algae.
I have 5 arms.
I am the shape of a star.
Who am I?



Below are some sea creatures you could write your riddle about. But feel free to choose your own if you have your own ideas.



They walk sideways
They have 10 legs
They have flat bodies
Their eyes are on sticks on top of their head
They have 2 claws

They live under water
They can change their skin colour to hide from creatures
They eat crabs and shrimp
They have 8 legs
They shoot a dark liquid when they are afraid (ink)

They live underwater
They have gills that allow them to breathe under water
They have scales
They eat meat and plants
They can swim really well

I have attached some facts about each of the creatures you could use.

Checklist to use when writing your riddle:

I have described 1 creature

I have given clear clues

My sentences are ordered as a list

I have used present tense verbs

My clues become more obvious at the end

My last line asks the reader to answer my riddle