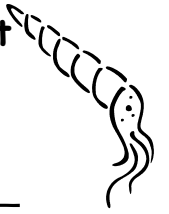


Brittas Bay Beach Hunt

Collect only the things that you can return safely and without damaging anything.



1. Find an umbrella shaped flower. What colour is it? _____

2. How many wind turbines for making electricity can you see out at sea? _____

3. Find three different coloured stones.

4. Can you spot any man-made dangers on the beach?



5. Spot an insect. What is it? _____

6. Find something natural that's round.

7. Find 3 different shells.

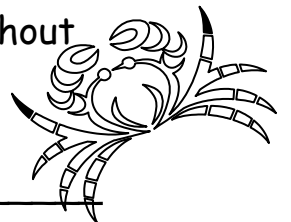
8. Find something prickly.

9. Name two types of objects that are out at sea.

1. _____ 2. _____

10. Make a piece of sand art using 4 different materials.

11. There are lots of different plants growing in the sand on the dunes. How do you think they manage to grow in the sand without water or soil? _____



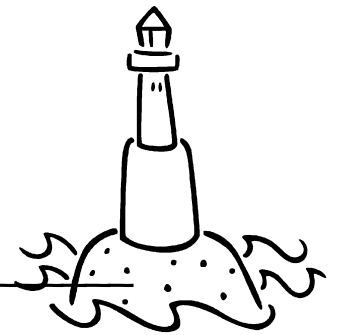
12. Find something fuzzy.

13. The *grass* growing in the sand does something very special. Can you figure out why it is special?

14. Bring back 3 different seeds.

15. Find something soft.

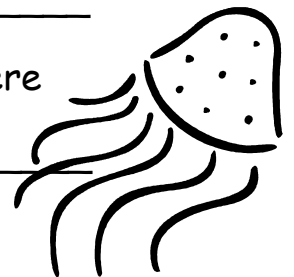
16. Seahorses live in the Irish Sea. Are they fish or animals? _____



17. Name an animal, NOT a fish, that lives in the Irish Sea. _____

18. Can you name an insect that stings? _____

19. Name a sea creature that is sometimes found in the water here that stings? _____



20. Find an animal's home.



21. Find something soft.

22. What does the flag on the Life Guard's Hut mean? What colours is it? _____

23. Write down one water safety tip. _____

24. Can you spot a seed that floats in the wind? _____

25. Find something beautiful.

26. What creatures do you think might live in the sand dunes? _____

27. Find something that makes a noise.



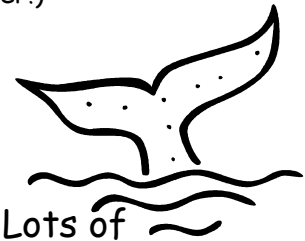
28. Can you spot litter on the beach or in the dunes? What damage does it do? _____

29. Find Mermaid's Hair.

30. Find a sun trap.

31. What county are we in? _____
32. Name another beach to visit in Wicklow. _____
33. Whales have been spotted recently off the coast in the Irish Sea.
What neighbouring country has a name that sounds the same?

34. Name all the pictures on the page (and you can colour them later!)
35. Bring back a big smile.



You come to Brittas Bay because it is a lovely sandy beach. Lots of wildlife have their home in the sand and enjoy it as well. But, they need the sand dunes. You can help to mind their home by not picking plants that grow on the dunes, by not leaving litter and staying out of areas that have fences around them. If the sand dunes are looked after by us, everyone can enjoy Brittas Bay.

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