



# What's it like in Whitby?

Year 4 Geography Knowledge Organiser Summer

## Where is Whitby?

Whitby is a **coastal** town in North Yorkshire.

It is close to the North Yorkshire Moors National Park.

The town is built on two sides of the river Esk and is very popular with **tourists**.

Around 13 000 people live in Whitby.



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### Whitby Abbey

- There are 199 steps leading up to it.



**Gothic style Abbey.** This is the setting for part of the Dracula story.



**Whalebone Arch** - This 20ft whale's jaw bone was erected in 1853.



### Key Vocabulary

<b>abbey</b>	A church where monks or nuns used to live.
<b>agriculture</b>	The farming of crops or animals.
<b>coastal</b>	Something on the shore or seaside.
<b>gothic style</b>	Stone structure, sharp pointed spires and pointed arches.
<b>harbour</b>	An area of water where boats are kept that is protected from waves and currents.
<b>industrial</b>	Businesses that provide products or services.
<b>leisure</b>	Time spent away from work relaxing.
<b>pier</b>	A structure built out into the water for people to walk along and get on and off boats.
<b>retail</b>	To sell products to people.
<b>tourists</b>	People who travel to a different place other than their home.

### How Is Land Used in Whitby?

<b>housing</b>	<b>retail</b>	<b>leisure</b>	<b>industrial</b>	<b>agriculture</b>

