



**Key Questions**

- What made Scarborough one of the first tourist resorts in the UK?
- Why was it/is it so popular?
- How has the role of the town changed throughout time?
- How have the needs of tourists changed over the decades?

**Key Vocabulary**

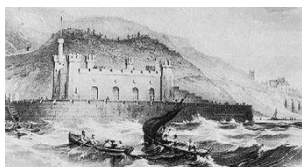
Word	Definition
Tourist	A person who visits somewhere for a short break.
Decade	A period of time (10 years).
Domestic tourism	This is when people from the UK visit other places in the UK for a period of time to take part in various leisure activities.
Century	A period of time (100 years).

**Scarborough Timeline.**

- 370** The Romans built a signalling station at Scarborough
- 1136** A castle is built at Scarborough
- Late 1600's** In the late 17th century it prospers as a spa town.
- 1827** Cliff Bridge opens
- 1829** The Rotunda Museum opens
- 1844** A waterworks company is formed
- 1845** The Railway reaches Scarborough
- 1865** Valley Bridge opens
- 1904** Trams begin running in the streets of Scarborough
- 1991** A Sea Life Centre opens.

**Scarborough Spa**

The Scarborough Spa has been of great importance to the town and has attracted for a variety of reasons since the early 1700's. Its role has changed over time and adapted to suit the ever-evolving needs of the tourist.



**Prior Knowledge**

Scarborough is a small seaside town in North Yorkshire.

**OS map:** Ordnance Survey is a national mapping agency for Great Britain first used in 1745.

**Grid Reference:** A grid reference system is a simplified grid used for a map area to make looking up coordinates easier.

Symbol	Meaning
	Campsite
	Motorway
	Railway
	Railway station
	River
Sch	School
	Place of worship
P	Post office (rural areas only)
	Woods

