



Support Questions

- What's the weather like? Describe the sky also.
- What's the water like? Still or choppy? What colour is it?
- How could you describe the boats? What movement were they making?
- How could you describe the houses? Are there many of them?
- Were there many people about? Was it bustling or desolate? What were the people doing?
- What could you hear (e.g. people, birds, the sea)?
- How did you feel (if you're writing in the 1st person)?



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If you're struggling to think of a way to start your description, you may wish to use one of these ideas:

- It was just an ordinary day. The sun was...
- Gazing into the distance, I...
- Silence had descended on the town.
- Dawn's first rays of sunlight emerged behind...
- This was the busiest I'd ever seen Whitby.
- St Ives is the most idyllic place I've ever visited. I could sit here for ages watching the world go by.