Vershalen Bran		
Vocabulary Dozen		
low tide	The tide at its lowest water level, or the time when this happens.	The island can only be reached at low tide.
high tide	The highest point reached by a tide, or the time of day when this happens.	You can't walk along the beach at high tide.
tidal erosion	The gradual destruction of land by the sea	Tidal erosion caused Marsden rock to split into two columns.
sea stack	A landform consisting of a steep and often vertical column of rock in the sea near a coast.	Marsden Rock is a sea stack of limestone.
limestone	Rock made from coral, shells and the skeletons of sea creatures	Local industry consisted of a small limestone quarry.
topographical	Describes the physical features of an area of land.	Topographical features include mountains, hills and valleys.
grotto	A cave or cavern	Marsden grotto has a famous pub in it.
cliff	A high steep face of rock or earth	He stood on the edge of the cliff.
coastline	The outline of a coast	They admired the rugged beauty of the coastline
Bird colonies	A large congregation of one or more species of bird that nest or roost in a particular location.	There are four different bird colonies at Marsden Bay.
quarry	A hole or a pit in the ground from which workers remove stone.	The quarry at Marsden was the main industry.
village	A community made up of a small number of houses, usually in a country area.	Marsden was originally a small village.

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Photograph of Marsden Rock.

Birds seen at Marsden Bay











An Ordinance Survey map of Marsden

