High School & Sixth Form



Lower 5 geographers complete fieldwork at Hornsea



This week, our Lower 5 geographers were busy collecting primary data in Hornsea to examine the impacts of coastal management strategies upon beach morphology.

A beach walk to the far end of the town also allowed us to see the effects of terminal groyne syndrome first hand with the rates of erosion increasing dramatically once coastal management was no longer evident. This then led to interesting conversations about the value of land and the use of cost-benefit analysis to make geographical decisions.

After a lovely fish and chip lunch it was then time to conduct bipolar analyses and gather visitor opinions of the groynes, rock armour and sea wall using the questionnaire method.

This was a truly lovely day with a very hardworking and wonderfully fun group of pupils.

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