

LOVEmyBEACH Picture Quiz (Answers)



1. These were found on a beach along the Fylde coast, what are they?

- A) Seaweed
- B) Shark egg cases
- C) Marine plastic



2. This rubber duck came from a race in Garstang on the River Wyre—where do you think we found it?

- A) Fleetwood beach
- B) St Annes beach
- C) Walney Island



3. How many years would it take these plastic bottle lids to degrade in the sea?

- A) 45
- B) 450
- C) 4500



4. What happens if you pour fats, oils and grease down the sink with hot water and washing up liquid?

- A) Block up pipes and drains
- B) Build up 'fat bergs' in the drains
- C) Potentially cause drains to overflow and pollution to end up at the beach



5. According to Marine Conservation Society beach clean results on average how many pieces of litter are found on each kilometre of the UK coast?

- A) 24
- B) 240
- C) 2400



6. How many volunteer beach clean groups regularly pick litter on Fylde coast beaches?

- A) 2
- B) 5
- C) 7



8. Balloons being released are harmful to wildlife, approximately what's the furthest a lost balloon is known to have travelled?

- A) 10 miles
- B) 1000 miles
- C) 10,000 miles



9. How many beaches on the Fylde coast are designated for swimming and paddling where water quality is monitored?

- A) 8
- B) 18
- C) 28

7. Approximately how many visitors come to Blackpool illuminations each year and would have seen our LOVEmyBEACH illumination?

- A) 1.5 million
- B) 3.5 million
- C) 5.5 million



Thanks for taking part in the quiz and finding out about litter, cooking fats and the beach. Find out more about how they are all linked and how you can do your bit to keep the beach clean at: lovemybeach.org



2.9 million stone

The weight of fat, oil and grease that North West pour down the sink or loo in a year

The number of pipe blockages UU is called out to attend every year

Source: United Utilities, 2015

10. How many pipe blockages caused by the wrong things being flushed down the toilet are United Utilities called out to each year?

- A) 53
- B) 5,300
- C) 53,000

