



Appley



BEACH VISIT - APPLEY



FAST FACTS

"Vast sandy beach overlooking the Solent to Portsmouth"



As long as you like!



FREE



Picnic Space



Snack Bar
Cafes in locality



Parking Nearby
Short walk to beach



No Resources

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Massive Safe Sandy Beach

Appley Beach in Ryde is a wide golden beach on one hand, but also offers lush parkland with play areas, cafes, an intriguing gothic tower folly and evidence of wartime defences in nearby Puckpool.

The tide at Appley goes out for over half a mile, so even at high tide there's usually plenty of beach space for most activities.

The water here is gentle making it the perfect spot for splashing about in the water.

Along the Esplanade

To the west the esplanade leads all the way to Ryde town and its famous Victorian pier. On the way you will pass plenty of seaside cafe's, the Waterside Pool with its retractable roof, a mini fun fair, bowling alley and the hovercraft terminal.

To the east, the sea wall leads past cute beach huts to Puckpool Park where there's plenty of free leisure equipment plus crazy golf, tennis courts and other paid activities.

Puckpool is built within an old Palmerston fort and barracks, and is full of remnants of wartime infrastructure including gun positions and armaments.

Safeguarding

Of all of the Island's beaches, Appley is probably the most popular due to its size, predictable climate and proximity to the main public transport interchange in Ryde.

Therefore it will almost certainly be quite busy during the warmer months and teachers may wish to consider how best to manage groups in these conditions.

