

# All about Lighthouses

## What Is a Lighthouse?

- A building that gives out light.
- It helps to keep boats safe.

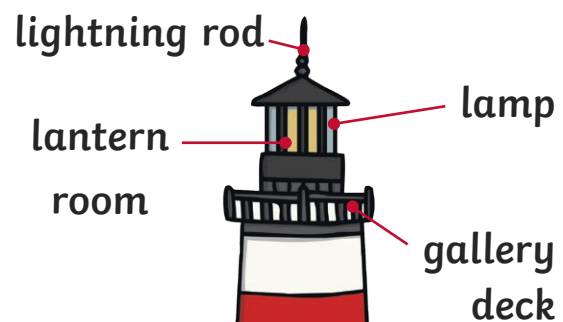


## Interesting Fact

The oldest working lighthouse is in Spain.

## History of Lighthouses

- The first lighthouse was built in Egypt over 2000 years ago.
- The first British lighthouse was built in Devon.
- The light used to come from lamps burning oil or candles.
- They now use electricity.



## A Lighthouse

There are over 100 lighthouses around the UK.



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# Questions

1. Tick the word which means the same as 'away from harm'.

danger

safe

problem

2. Where was the first British lighthouse built? Tick one.

Devon

Derby

London

3. How long ago was the first lighthouse built? Tick one.

100 years

1000 years

2000 years

4. Lighthouses use electricity. Tick one.

true

false

5. Tick one thing you would find in a lighthouse.

lamp

boat

fish