gnawed

bitten or worn away

headland

narrow ridge of high land jutting out into water; promontory

kelp

any of various large, tough, brown seaweeds

lair

den or resting place of a wild animal

## ravine

a long, deep, narrow valley eroded by running water

## shellfish

a water animal with a shell (oysters, clams, crabs, and lobsters)

## sinew

tendon