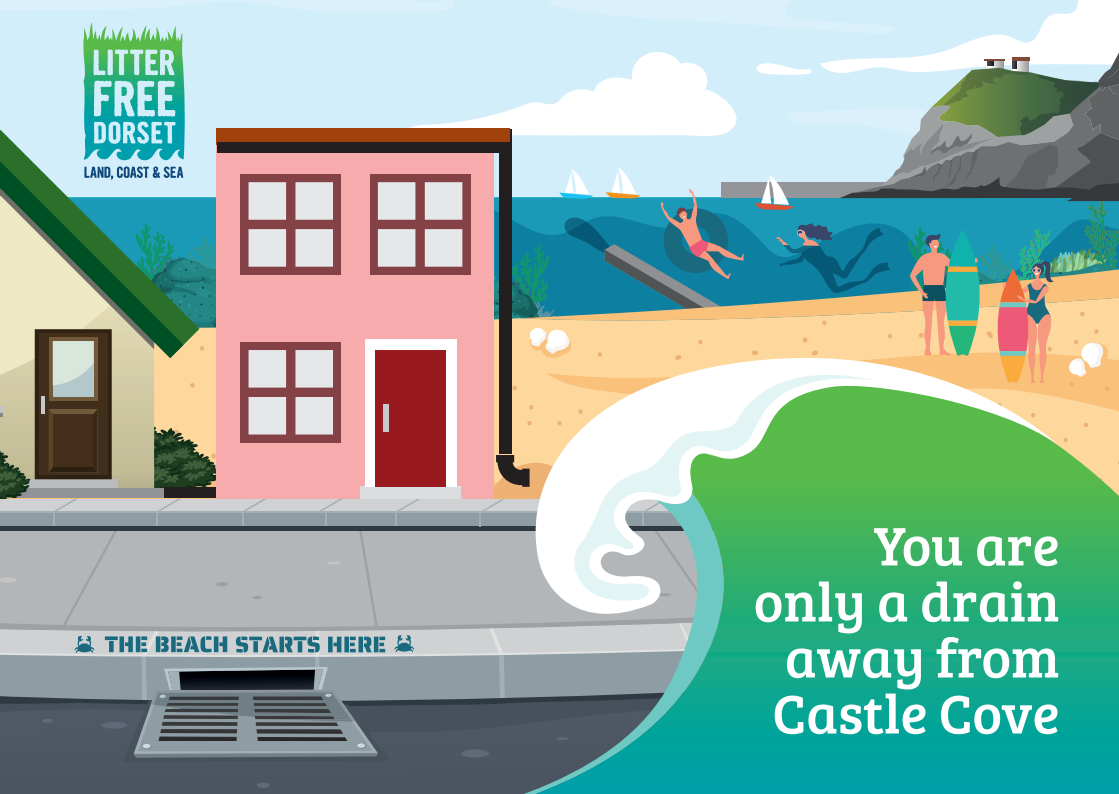


**LITTER
FREE
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LAND, COAST & SEA



THE BEACH STARTS HERE

**You are
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Castle Cove**

Aren't we lucky to live by the sea?

With two fantastic sandy beaches boasting clean, clear water to paddle in, sail, or swim.

Community members work hard to keep the local area free from litter and safe places to walk, play, and relax. Thank you to everyone that contributes.

After heavy rains all sorts of nasties can get washed into roadside drains and out to sea. Yuck!

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Find out more at www.litterfreedorset.co.uk

Take action to protect our beaches and maintain water quality:

✔ **Cigarette butts and litter:** in the bin

✔ **Dog poo** is full of bacteria that will thrive in a stagnant drain. Don't let it wash into to the sea. Bag it. Bin It.

✔ **Dirty wastewater** from cleaning and DIY projects should only go into a sewer.

✔ **Check your waste pipes** connect to the right drain: visit connectright.org.uk for more info.

✔ **Sweep up debris during building work** so it does not wash down drains and into the sea, or cause blockages.

✔ **Use natural fertilisers and pesticides** in your garden.

✔ **Report any oil or chemical spill** to the Environment Agency 0800 80 70 60