

Beach Towns by the Numbers (see "How We Picked Them")

TOWN, STATE	PICTURESQUE QUALITY	TOWN CENTER	TRAFFIC	PARKING	CLAMS/ICE CREAM	LODGING	SHOPPING	RAINY DAY	ACCESSIBILITY	PUBLIC ACCESS	NATURAL LIFE	SOLITUDE	KID-FRIENDLY	WATER TEMP	TOTAL
Ogunquit, ME	9	8	6	7	10	10	9	8	10	10	10	6	8	4	115
Provincetown, MA	9	10	5	6	10	8	10	6	8	10	10	8	7	6	113
Nantucket, MA	9	10	6	7	10	7	10	6	5	10	10	8	8	6	112
Newport, RI	8	9	4	6	10	9	10	10	6	6	10	4	7	8	107
Old Harbor, Block Island, RI	10	5	10	9	10	6	4	4	5	9	10	10	8	6	106
Edgartown, MA	9	10	6	6	9	7	10	5	5	8	10	7	7	6	105
Kennebunkport, ME	8	8	6	7	10	10	10	7	6	5	8	7	8	4	104
Rockport, MA	9	10	6	6	10	9	8	7	5	6	9	5	8	5	103
Chatham, MA	9	10	7	6	10	7	8	5	6	5	9	8	6	6	102
Watch Hill, RI	7	6	7	7	8	5	6	8	7	9	8	7	8	8	101
York Beach, ME	6	8	6	8	8	9	6	6	10	10	7	4	8	4	100
Falmouth, MA	6	7	6	8	10	10	8	5	6	6	8	6	7	6	99
Wellfleet, MA	9	6	7	8	9	6	7	5	6	5	10	8	7	6	99
Oak Bluffs, MA	6	8	6	7	10	7	6	5	5	10	8	6	8	6	98
Narragansett, RI	7	6	6	8	7	6	5	5	9	10	8	6	6	8	97
Newburyport, MA	7	8	7	6	8	6	9	7	5	8	8	6	6	5	96
Orleans, MA	6	4	6	8	9	8	8	5	6	10	7	5	8	6	96
Ipswich, MA	6	6	7	8	10	5	5	5	6	10	9	7	6	5	95
Madison, CT	7	8	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	10	6	5	5	9	94
Old Orchard Beach, ME	6	6	6	7	7	6	5	8	10	10	6	4	9	4	94
Little Compton, RI	9	8	8	8	8	3	3	5	6	6	8	9	4	8	93
Plymouth, MA	5	9	4	8	8	7	8	8	6	6	6	3	9	6	93
Hampton Beach, NH	6	6	4	6	9	7	5	7	10	10	6	3	8	5	92
Hull, MA	6	6	5	5	9	5	5	8	10	10	6	4	7	5	91
Brewster, MA	8	4	6	8	8	7	4	5	6	5	8	6	9	6	90