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Cornwall has a huge variety of Kitesurfing opportunities covering just about every wind direction and water state. Here are a few locations we can recommend :

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- 1. DAYMER** - Watch out for the very strong tidal flows in and out of the Camel estuary -The best wind directions would be N, NW, SW & S - Westerly winds are directly onshore so care should be taken as this beach can get very busy. There are restrictions during July and August with no kiting between 9am and 6pm daily. Hawkers Cove on the far side is one of the few spots which works well in a NE.
- 2. WATERGATE** - The best wind directions are SW, W and NW, although it also works at low tide with N or S. Being backed by high cliffs it is too dangerous to launch a kite at high tide with little beach space available plus some rocks to contend with. There are usually powerful waves and rips to contend with making it a beach more suited to the experienced.
- 3. FISTRAL** - Choose a SW or N wind is kiteable and is best if sailed from low to 3/4 tide. Care need to be taken with the powerful swell. And the fact this beach is obviously very busy a lot of the year so considerable care must be taken - best avoided in summer.
- 4. CRANTOCK** - A great spot when the wind blows from the west- Best with tide from Half tide to high. Big Rip on outgoing tide.
- 5. PERRANSANDS / PENHALE** - Useable on almost any stage of the tide, this beach works best with winds on SW, W, NW & N. Penhale - this expanse of sand gives some great conditions. It is a bit of a hike down the dunes but has good clean wind and rarely busy. Be Warned if the swell is big it has one of the heaviest waves in the UK! Do not fly your kite back up the dunes as the wind is dramatically accelerated & unstable. Remember to get a pay & display ticket if you park in the camp site.
- 6. GWITHIAN** - Use this spot 3 or 4 hours either side of low water. Useable directions SW, W, NW, N & NE - This beach offers some of the best waves on the north coast but watch out for some serious rips and avoid getting too close to rock at the North end of the beach.
- 7. HAYLE, The BLUFF** - This can be an awesome location for kitesurfers when the tide is dropping as it will increase your power. The river mouth can also offer superb flat water conditions and a good standing depth in which to practice all manner of skills. some practice skills. We have used this location in NE, N, NW & W
- 8. LONG ROCK** - The beach is useable between mid and low tide. Often sheltered from any swell by the rocky outcrop. Best in SW & S
- 9. MARAZION** Great location for all levels when the tide is 3/4 hours either side of Low water. Plenty of beach to play with here. Watch out for other water users as it is understandably very popular with windsurfers. Best direction - W, SW, (E & SE winds can be a little gusty because of St Michaels Mount getting in the way Park at the Mount carpark before Marazion Village)
- 10. PENTEWAN SANDS** - E & SE - Watch out for the winds on the extreme edges of the beach as the cliffs can make for gusty Winds.
- 11. PAR** - A good location at most states of the tide as the gently shelving beach can give shallow conditions that are ideal for learning in. Best direction is S or SW

Always check local conditions before kiting. Check tides times, talk to locals / lifeguards, look for rips and other currents. This guide gives an idea of places to kitesurf, after that it's up to you and at your own risk. Feel free to call us for advice.