3 Complete the article with words from the box.

→ **STUDY TIP** Make sure you look at the words on both sides of the gaps before deciding which word fits in each gap.

beaches canals coast ~~ferry~~ floats inland island
mainland sea waves

The world's largest ferry

Every summer, the world's largest car [1] _ferry_ carries holidaymakers and their cars across the [2] _____ from Holyhead to Dublin. The port of Holyhead is on the west [3] _____ of the small [4] _____ of Anglesey, in Wales. Dublin is both a port and the biggest city on the Irish [5] _____ . The ferry's name is the *MS Ulysses*; it is over two hundred metres long and about fifty metres high, and it can carry 2,000 passengers and crew, and approximately 1,500 vehicles. How it [6] _____ on the water with so many cars on board is a miracle of engineering! Once the ferry arrives in Dublin, holidaymakers head for the city, or for the sandy [7] _____ on the coast. The sea off the coast of Ireland is great for surfing, especially in Sligo and Donegal. Surfers love the huge, powerful [8] _____ . Other holidaymakers drive [9] _____ towards the hills and villages of central Ireland to enjoy walking or cycling holidays; or they rent a narrow boat to explore the [10] _____ , the many waterways that go across the country. Thanks to the world's largest ferry, getting to Ireland is easy, and there is plenty to do once you get there.