



Previous Learning Links

The oceans and continents

The names of some European countries

Understanding of the seasons and weather

Understanding of climate in different areas of the world.

Location



Essential Knowledge



The stages of the water cycle

The features of rivers from source to mouth

Understand biomes and vegetation belts

Identify uplands and lowlands

Understand human activity including types of settlement, trade links and the distribution of natural resources

Use maps, atlases and globes to locate countries and describe their features

Identify and locate oceans and continents across the world

Learning in Other Subjects



English: Narrative based The Rhythm of the rain, explanation text and Poetry

Maths: Place value, addition and subtraction and multiplication and division

Science: States of matter and The water cycle

Computing: Logo - programming skills

REAL PE: Invasion games, dynamic balance and coordination

RE: Hindus in Britain and Religious Festivals

HeartSmart: Get HeartSmart and Fake is a Mistake

DI: Mini habitat biomes - terrariums

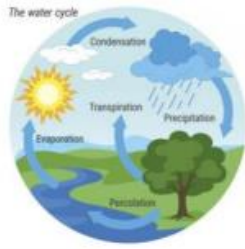
Art: Monet

Music: Musical Structures

MFL: Greetings and classroom instructions



Photos and Enrichment



Useful websites to explore:

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/rivers/features.html>

<https://www.3dgeography.co.uk/river-facts>

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/blog/homework-help-rivers>

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/rivers>

<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/home-is-good/fascinating-facts-about-rivers/>

Talk like a Historian



Talk like a Geographer



- tributary
- waterfall
- source
- mouth
- meander
- oxbow lake
- mudflat
- erosion

Talk like a Scientist



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| • solid | • evaporation |
| • liquid | • condensation |
| • gas | • precipitation |
| • particles | • accumulation |
| • properties | • runoff |
| • melting | • groundwater |
| • freezing | • water vapour |
| • boiling | |

Talk like an Author



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| • plunge | • grizzling |
| • swelling | • cautiously |
| • winding | • prancing |
| • wondered | • humble |
| • currents | • treacherous |
| • gratefully | • ushering |
| • cleverly | • glimpses |
| • wandering | • clutching |

Talk like a Mathematician



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| • digit | • add |
| • partition | • plus |
| • thousands | • subtract |
| • hundreds | • take away |
| • tens | • difference between |
| • ones | • multiply |
| • ascending | • product |
| | • divide |

Quality Texts

The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame

Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson

The Rhythm of the Rain by Grahame Baker-Smith

