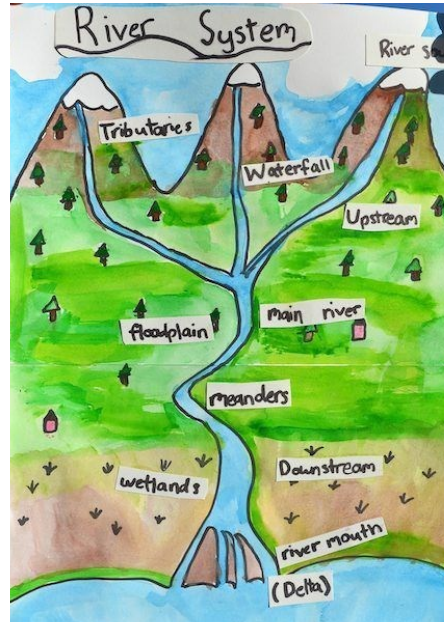


Raging Rivers

Year 6 Term 4 - Geography

Skills

- Name and locate key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers).
- Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including rivers, mountains and the water cycle.
- Use maps, atlases and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.
- Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world.
- Explain and present the process of rivers and compare how their use has changed over time.
- Use the language of rivers e.g. erosion, deposition, transportation.
- Study photos/pictures/maps to make comparisons between locations.
- Use maps to locate features of the UK e.g. rivers, mountains, large cities. Label counties, cities, mountains and rivers.



Major rivers in England

- Exe
- Great Ouse
- Ouse
- Severn
- Thames
- Trent
- Tweed
- Tyne
- Wye



Key Vocabulary

delta - sediment deposited at the mouth of a river

deposition - the river places or sets down material it has been carrying

erosion - the gradual breaking down of something

meanders - winding part or curve of a river

mouth - where the river ends

ox-bow lake - a curved lake formed from a horseshoe bend in a river where the main stream has cut across the narrow end and no longer flows around the loop of the bend

source - where the river starts

tributary - a river or stream flowing into a larger river or lake

sustainability - the ability to be maintained

water cycle - water circulating between the earth's oceans, atmosphere and land