# Key vocabulary





# **Local Study**

### Need to know Nice to know Super-specialist Cartographer Rural Agriculture Urban Population Retail Counties Pollution Recreation Symbol Industry Scale Discharge Channel Erosion Dam Deposition Floodplain **Tributaries** Delta Source Mouth Meanders Estuary Oxbow lake Conservation Valley Waterfall Hydroelectric Rapids

# **Previous Learning**

**Key features of the world**, including rivers, valleys, seas, oceans, coastlines, cliff s, hills and mountains.

Key features of Human Geography, including cities, towns, villages, farms, factories, offices, ports and harbours.

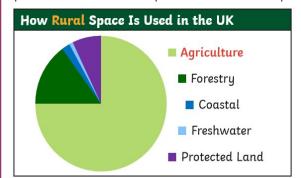
**Locating** the four countries of the UK and capital cities, the seven continents and five oceans.

**Using** maps, atlases and globes to find the countries studied.

**Using** compass directions and features of a map.

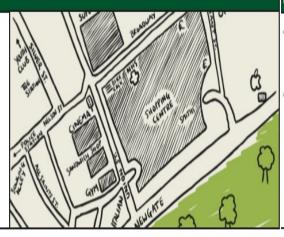
# Land Use Key Knowledge

How is Land Used?	
90% of land in the	10% of the
UK is rural.	UK is <mark>urban</mark> .
<ul> <li>Housing</li> </ul>	Housing
• Factories	• Factories
• Education	• Education
• Recreation	<ul> <li>Recreation</li> </ul>
Business	<ul> <li>Business</li> </ul>
Farming	• Healthcare
	• Transport
	• Retail
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# Sketch Map

- Title
- Labels/annotations
- Simple lines
- Enough detail to give a rough idea
- A 'not to scale' note
- A north arrow



# Key

- Maps often use symbols to represent things.
- The key explains what the symbol shows.

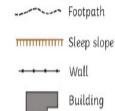




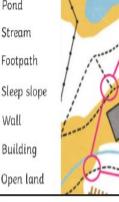


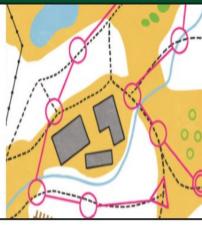


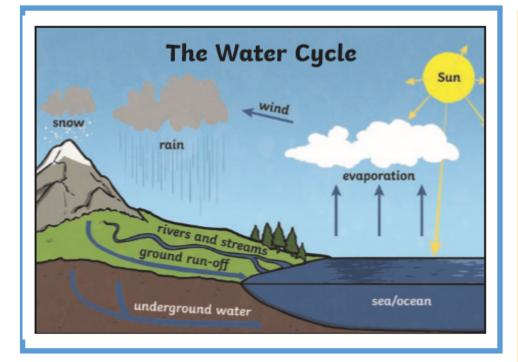




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### USEFUL WEBSITES

https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/earth/rivers/

https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/river/346203

http://

www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/rivers.html

Discovery Education Espresso

# **FUN FACT**

All rivers in England will flow from their mouth into one of four seas— the North Sea, Irish Sea, English Channel or Atlantic Ocean.

This website has loads of brilliant information about rivers.

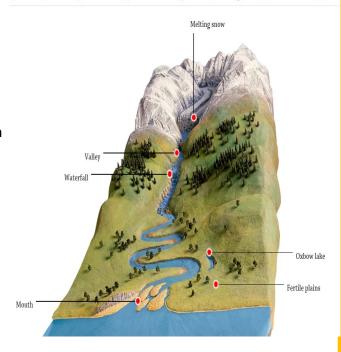


Rivers are fresh water that flow downhill in channels from high ground towards the sea.

Rivers flow in all but the hottest and driest places on earth.

They have an essential role in human history, helping to bring useful fresh water to people and their crops all over the world!

Rivers can carve through rocks using a process called erosion. Over time they can wear away mountains.



# The Course of a River

# The Upper Course

Rain falling on high ground collects in channels and flows downwards forming a stream. Streams run downhill and join other streams, increasing in size and speed, forming a river. The river here flows quickly and the channel has steep sides and runs through valleys.

Features include - waterfalls and rapids.

# The Middle Course

Fast flowing water causes erosion making the river deeper and wider.

Features include - meanders.



### The Lower Course

Rivers flow with less force due to being on flat land. The river **deposits** the eroded material that it has carried.

Riverbanks have shallower sides.

Features include - floodplains, deltas and estuaries.