



Rivers Homework



CLASS 4MV and 4EB

DATE SET 04.11.22

DATE DUE 12.12.22

Dear pupils, parents and carers,

Our topic this half term is Rivers! We will be learning about the journey of a river, uses of rivers, flooding and droughts and exploring the River Thames. **Have fun and good luck!**

weekly



MATHS

Remember to revise your weekly number facts for your rocket quiz! Children will be tested each week on their number facts.

Don't forget to log onto Mathletics and Times Tables Rockstars!

READING



Remember to read every day. Reading rewards will be awarded to regular readers! Don't forget to bring your signed reading record to school to collect your rewards.

SPELLING



Don't forget to revise for your spelling rocket each week!



Google Classroom

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Please log onto Google Classroom frequently to check for support for spellings, any updates or homework sheets.

Topic Words

Do you know what these words mean and how to spell them?

river source meander
mouth upper course middle
course lower course delta
floodplain oxbow lake
River Thames River Nile
River Yangtze River Danube
flooding droughts
flood barrier landscape
water cycle erosion
transportation deposition
irrigation impact

Challenge: Can you create a glossary for these words?

WRITING AND TOPIC

You have a scrap book to use to complete your homework project. Over the next few weeks, complete some of these activities.

COMPLETE AT LEAST TWO OF THE WRITING TASKS.

- 1) Research a river of your choice and create a fact-file about it. (e.g. River Nile, Thames, Yangtze, Amazon)
- 2) Research and write a newspaper report about a flood that has happened in the last 50 years.
- 3) Write a persuasive poster/leaflet inviting tourists to visit a river of your choice.
- 4) Write a diary from the perspective of someone who uses the river for their job.

NOW CHOOSE SOME OR ALL OF THESE:

1. Research and then draw a poster of the water cycle.
2. Draw a river of your choice and label the key features and landmarks.
3. Create a collage of a river using different materials from around your home.



Challenge

Make a model of a river to show the journey from the source to the mouth.

Visits and websites

- * River Thames
- * Thames Flood Barrier
- * London Southbank

Websites:

https://kids.kiddle.co/River_Thames

Challenge: Write a recount of your visit!