

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020

WALT understand rivers

Success criteria

I can explain what a river is

I can say what I would like to find out about rivers

**Task 1**

Complete the KWL grid about rivers.

Remember to write down at least 3 questions which you would like to find out about rivers.

At the end of the activity, write in the L section of the grid to note down what you have learned about rivers.

Rivers		
K	W	L
What I know	What I want to know	What I have learnt

**What is a River?**

A river is a long flowing stream of water which travels across the land.

**Of the 326 million trillion gallons of water we have on earth, 97% is salty and found in the seas and oceans.**



Wild ocean

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## **Task 2**

Visit the website below to find out more information about rivers. Remember you can click on the images to see them in full screen.

**Using the username crown4 and password crown4 login**

**Click physical features**

**Click Rivers**

**Click What is a river**

<https://www.oddizzi.com/teachers/explore-the-world/physical-features/rivers/what-is-river/>

## **Task 3**

Answer the questions below

1. What is a tributary?
2. What also travels with the water downstream to the sea?

## **Challenge**

Draw a picture of a river flowing from its source to its mouth. Where does it start, an upland lake, spring or glacier? Remember to show the tributaries and mark the confluences.