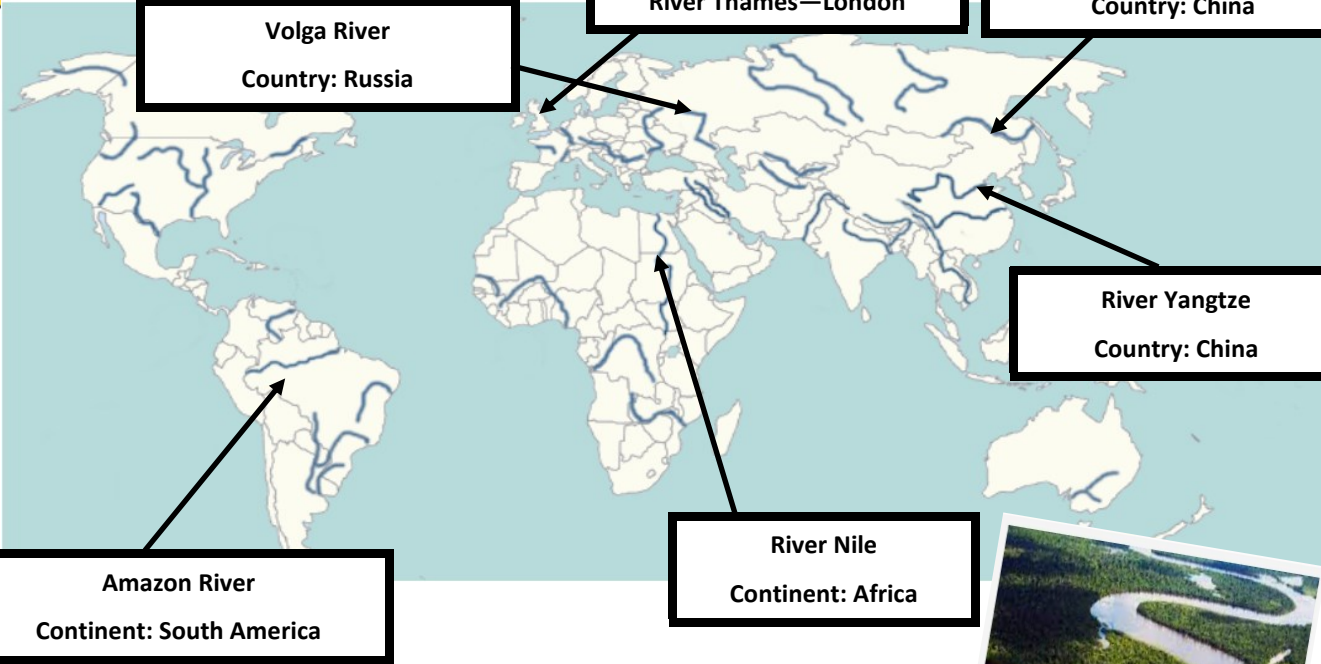


Topic: **Rivers and the Water Cycle**



Name and Locate Rivers



Vocabulary you will know...



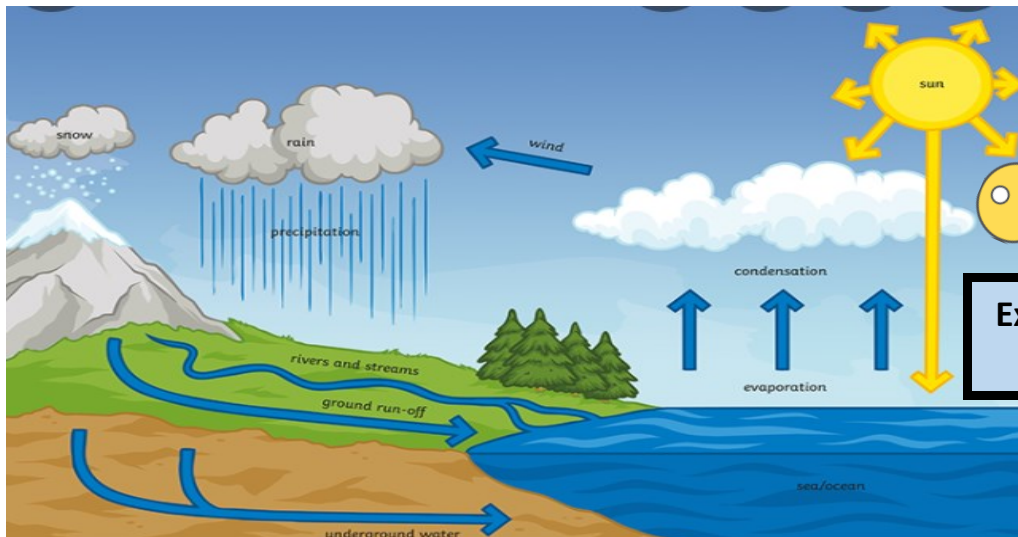
Evaporation	When liquid becomes a gas (water vapour)
Condensation	When water vapour (gas) cools and becomes a liquid.
Precipitation	Water that falls to the ground as rain, hail sleet or snow.
Source	The place where a river begins
Mouth	The place where a river enters a lake, larger river, or the ocean.
Erosion	The process that wears away the river bed and banks.
Meander	A curve in the river
Tributaries	A stream or river that flows into and joins a main river
Estuary	Part of the mouth in which the river's current meets the sea's tide



Vocabulary you will hear...



River, water cycle, River Ribble, hail, rain, sleet, snow, flooding, drought, fresh water, pollution.



Explain the features of the Water Cycle

What will I know at the end of the unit?

- Know and label the main features of a river
- Know the name of and locate a number of the world's longest rivers.
- Explain the features of the water cycle
- Know why most cities are located by a river
- Explain why flooding happens.
- How water is used and distributed