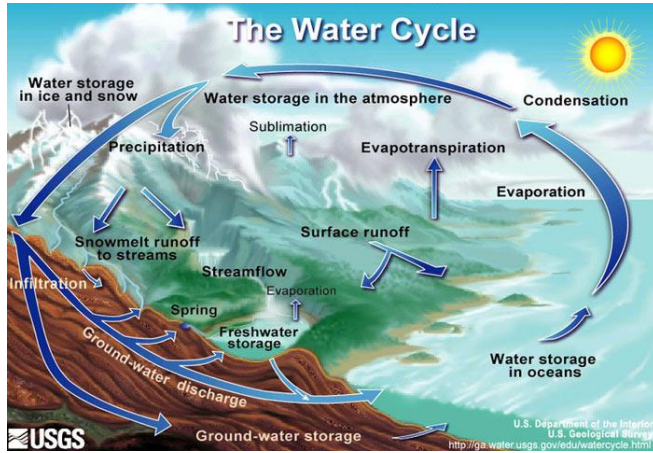
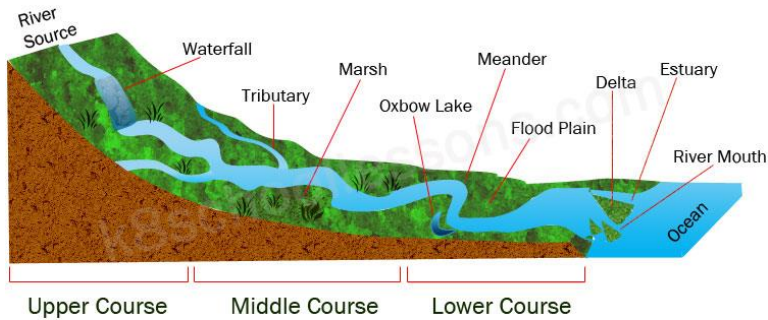


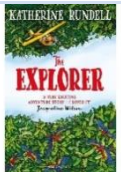
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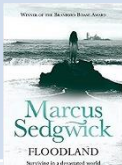
## The course of a river



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## Vocabulary

<b>course</b>	the route or direction followed by a river
<b>source</b>	the original point from which a river flows
<b>precipitation</b>	rain, snow, sleet, or hail that falls to or condenses on the ground
<b>erosion</b>	the gradual destruction of something
<b>transportation</b>	The action of transporting someone or something
<b>deposition</b>	the process where material being transported by a river is deposited
<b>sediments</b>	matter that settles to the bottom of a liquid
<b>tide</b>	the alternate rising and falling of the sea
<b>tributary</b>	a river or stream flowing into a larger river or lake
<b>channel</b>	a length of water wider than a strait, joining two larger areas of water, especially two seas
<b>turbulent</b>	moving unsteadily or violently
<b>evaporate</b>	turn from liquid into vapour
<b>infiltrate</b>	the process by which water on the ground surface enters the soil
<b>saturate</b>	to become thoroughly soaked with water or other liquid so that no more can be absorbed

## The highest points of the UK

Name	Region	Height
Scafell Pike	Lake District, England	978m
Ben Nevis	Grampians, Scotland	1345m
Snowdon	Snowdonia, Wales	1085m
Carrauntoohil	MacGillycuddy's Reeks, Ireland	1039m
Slieve Donard	Ulster, Northern Ireland	850m

## The longest river of each continent

Continent	Longest River
Africa	Nile River
North America	Mississippi-Missouri River
South America	Amazon River
Europe	Volga River
Asia	Yangtze River
Australia	Murray-Darling River
Antarctica	Onyx River