RIVERS/31

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

RIVERS

Use your Knowledge Organiser to support you.

1. Spend time learning the KO.
2. Attempt the exam questions under test conditions
3. Complete any missing parts that you didn’t understand using the KO

Submit your answers no later than Friday 8th May.

NAME

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**Q1.**The figure below shows **four** ways in which a river transports its load.

 

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Using the figure above,

Choose the correct labels from the following list. ***EG, 1-B***

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|   | **A saltation** | **B suspension** | **C solution** |
|   | **D abrasion** | **E attrition** | **F traction** |

**(Total 4 marks)**

**Q2.**         River channels are affected by different erosion processes.
Match each of the statements to the correct erosion process. ***EG, 1-B***

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| **Erosion process** |   | **Statement** |
| Hydraulic action |   | occurs when some types of rock are dissolved in the river |
|   |   |   |
| Abrasion |   | occurs when material carried by the river knocks into other pieces of load |
|   |   |   |
| Attrition |   | occurs when the force of the water hits the bed and banks |
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| Solution |   | occurs when the load carried by the river hits the bed and banks |

**(Total 4 marks)**

**Q3.** Study the figure below which shows a long profile and cross profiles of a typical river.



(a)     Are the following statements about the long profile and cross profiles **true** or **false**?
***Put a X the correct boxes.***

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|   |   | **True** | **False** |
|   | The steepest part of the long profile is near the source. |  |  |
|   | The cross profile shows the shape of the valley from one side to the other. |  |  |
|   | The cross profile is narrower and deeper near the mouth. |  |  |
|   | Most lateral erosion occurs near the source. |  |  |

**(Total 4 marks)**

(b)     Complete the paragraph below to explain why deposition occurs along the course of a river. ***(Rewrite if easier)***
Choose the correct words from this list.

**energy**                   **increases**                   **transports**

**decreases**             **sediment**                    **leaves behind**

Deposition occurs when the river \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ material. This happens when the speed of the river \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the river has less \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**(Total 3 marks)**

 **Q4.**    Study the image below, a block diagram showing how river landforms change downstream.



1. With the help of the diagram, describe how the shape of a river valley changes downstream.

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1. A levée is shown in the diagram above. What are levées?

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 **(Total 2 marks)**

1. Explain the formation of levées.

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 **Q5.** Explain why a river deposits its load.

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**(Total 2 marks)**

**Q6.** Draw a labelled cross-section to show how the inside bend of a meander is different from the outside bend of a meander.

***You can scan this answer/upload a photo from your phone. At the very least, find a suitable annotated image from the internet.***

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**(Total 4 marks)**

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