

## Year 2 Spring 2 Humanities – Seas and Rivers

### Key facts

- A river is a channel of water that flows towards an ocean, lake or sea.
- Most rivers contain freshwater but many flow into saltwater.
- Rivers are vital to human life, carrying freshwater to people and animals.
- River Nile is the longest river in the world.
- There are 33 bridges along the River Thames.
- River Amazon in South America is the second longest river in the world.



Features of a river

### Vocabulary

- river source
- tributary
- meander
- delta
- estuary
- river mouth
- river bank
- ocean
- current
- River Thames
- River Amazon
- lake/stream



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River Amazon

Map of the rivers in

