**Knowledge Organiser (Rivers)**

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| **Key Vocabulary**  | **Definition**  |
| **source** | The start of the river, usually on high ground. |
| **stream** | A narrow river |
| **tributaries** | A stream or lots of streams that merge into a river. |
| **estuary** | The area where a river meets the sea.  |
| **mouth of a river** | The end of a river, where the sea begins.  |
| **river basin/drainage basin** | The area of land from which water has drained into a river. |
| **watershed** | The edge of a river basin.  |
| **waterway** | A route within a river that is used for travel.  |
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| **River Thames** | **River Danube** | **River Nile** | **The Ganges** | **The Amazon** | **The Murray** |
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