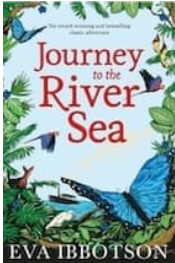
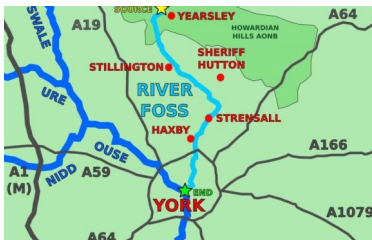


CLASS 6 | 7 | 8 - York Glorious York!

Glossary		Overview	Key text
River	A flowing, moving stream of water	<p>By the end of this unit children should know:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Which rivers move through the city of York. 2. The basic features of a river, including its source, course, and mouth. 3. What is the water cycle and how rivers fit into this cycle. 4. The historical significance of the rivers of York and their impact on trade. 5. Why rivers flood and what impact that has on the local area. 6. How to observe how rivers change over a range of different time scales. 7. How rivers have been used for transport, particularly in York. 	 <p>We will be reading 'Journey to the River Sea' by Eva Ibbotson. This exciting adventure follows Maia, an orphan sent to live with distant relatives in the Amazon rainforest. Expecting a warm welcome, she discovers her relatives are less than kind. Teaming up with new friends, Maia embarks on a thrilling journey filled with challenges, wildlife, and self-discovery. The lush descriptions of the rainforest and the vivid characters make the journey both exciting and educational. It is a tale of resilience, friendship, and the magic of exploration, providing young readers with an enchanting and thought-provoking experience.</p>
Stream	A small, fast flow of water		
Canal	Waterways built by people used for shipping and transport.		
Reservoir	The store of water that is held back by a dam		
Lake	Large bodies of water that are surrounded by land and are not part of an ocean		
Source	Where a river begins its journey	<p>Places</p> <p>York Yorkshire Ouse Foss</p> 	<p>Useful websites</p> <p>Canal and rivers trust– Ouse https://canalrivertrust.org.uk/canals-and-rivers/river-ouse</p> <p>BBC bitesize– rivers https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7w8pg8&zhmnydm</p>
Channel	The path of a river		
Tributary	A small river or stream that meets a large river		
Mouth	Where the river enters the sea		
Confluence	Where two rivers meet		
Meander	A winding bend in the river	<p>Interesting Facts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -There are many bridges in York, although Ouse, Millennium, Skeldergate and Lendal are also the names of our school houses. -The river Ouse has been used for commercial navigation since the Roman times. -Flood management systems have been in place in York since 1978 however many parts of the city still flood annually. 	<p>You should already know...</p> <p>Understand what a river is, i.e., a natural flowing watercourse that usually flows towards an ocean, sea, lake, or another river.</p> <p>How to identify rivers on simple maps.</p> <p>How to recognise key features of a river such as the source.</p>
Estuary	The last section of the river before the sea		
Water Cycle	The journey of water on the Earth		