

# Rivers Word Mat

## River adjectives

accelerating  
bankfull  
braided  
broad  
curved  
cut off  
deep  
eddying  
fast flowing  
meandering  
muddy  
narrow  
rippled  
rocky  
shallow  
sinuous  
slow  
smooth  
steep  
straight  
turbulent  
wide

## River Features

alluvium  
channel  
confluence  
delta  
distributary  
estuary  
flood plain  
interlocking spurs  
levees  
meander  
mouth  
ox bow lake  
point bar  
pools and riffles  
pothole  
rapids  
river cliff  
slip-off slope  
tributary  
valley  
waterfall



River Tame in flood

abrasion  
attrition  
bedload  
braiding  
catchment  
deposition

## Key Geographical Terms

discharge  
erosion  
flooding  
hydraulic action  
hydrograph  
saltation

solution  
source  
suspension  
traction  
transport  
undercutting  
velocity  
watershed

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