

Level 3. The River

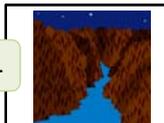
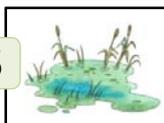
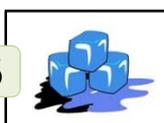
# Alpha Readers

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**A Write the correct word and match the word to its description.**

	melt	waterfall	rock	canyon	plain	swamp
1		waterfall				
2		plain				
3		rock				
4		canyon				
5		swamp				
6		melt				

the hard material that forms the surface of the earth
an area of soft wet land
water that falls from a high place
to change from a solid to liquid by means of heat
a large area of flat land
a deep valley with steep sides

**B Write the word that best complete the sentence.**

down      across      over      along

- Some of the water in the river **floods** over the low land. 
- The water in the river **carries** along rocks. 
- The snow melts and the water **moves** down the mountainside. 
- The river **winds** across flat land called plains. 

**C** Complete the chart for "The River".

plains      swamp      sea      canyon      waterfall      mountain



The river begins high in the mountain.



The river drops down over high rocks. It makes a waterfall.



The river wears away a valley with steep walls called a canyon.



The river winds across the plains.



The river floods over the low land and makes a swamp.



The water in the river flows into the sea.

**D** Unscramble the words. **Capitalize** the first letter of the sentence.

1. is    it    to the sea.    a long way    from the mountains



It is a long way from the mountains to the sea.

2. feed    in    animals    the    muddy water.



Animals feed in the muddy water.

3. live    plants and animals    in    many    swamp.    the



Many plants and animals live in the swamp.