**Source**- the rising from the ground, or beginning, of a stream of water or the like; a spring’ a fountain

**Tributary**- a stream, river, or glacier that feeds another larger one

Confluence- the flowing together of two or more streams; the place of meting of two streams; the combined stream formed by conjunction

**Levee**- a type of dam that runs along the banks of a river or canal

**River**- a large natural stream of water emptying into an ocean, lake, or other body of water and usually fed along its course by converging tributaries

**Delta**- coastal accumulations, both subaqueous and subaerial, of river-derived sediments adjacent to, or in close proximity to, the source stream, including the deposits that have been secondarily molded by various marine agents, such as waves, currents, or tides

**Estuary**- the part of the wide lower course of a river where it’s current is met by the tides

**Mouth**- a natural opening, as the part of a stream or river that empties into a larger body of water

**Channel**- the deeper part of a river or harbor; especially a deep navigable passage; the bed of a stream or river, a broad strait, especially one that connects to seas

**Oxbow Lake**- a crescent-shaped lake formed when a meander of a river or stream is cut off from the main channel

**Meander**- a curve or bend, as in a river

**Riverbed**- the area between the banks of a river ordinarily covered by water

**Bridge**- a structure spanning and providing passage over a gap or barrier, such as a river or roadway

**Dam**- a barrier constructed across a waterway to control the flow or raise the level of water

**Waterfall**- a cascade of falling water where there is a vertical or almost vertical step in a river

**Stream**- a flow of water in a channel or bed, as a brook, rivulet, or small river

**Riverbank**-the bank of a river

**Rapids**- part of a river where the current is very fast and turbulent

**Lake**- a large inland body of fresh water or salt water

**Ocean**- the entire body of salt water that covers more than 70 percent of the earth’s surface

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