

# Rivers Orienteering Quiz



## Objective

To help children become familiar with key facts about rivers.



## Equipment

- Activity Sheets
- Enrich Education school orienteering maps.
- Orienteering Control Markers
- Answer Sheets



## Preparation

- Children should have been introduced to a range of key facts about rivers before taking part in this activity.
- Children could do this activity in pairs or small groups.
- Provide each pair/group with a copy of the Activity Sheet and an Enrich School Orienteering Map.
- Explain to the children how to carry out the activity.
- The activity has a series of questions about rivers, each of which has three possible answers to choose from.



## Instructions

- Each pair/group chooses one of their questions and ticks against what they decide is the correct answer. (The teacher makes sure that they have ticked against an answer for the question before they run to check their answer.)
- Using their orienteering map, they then check the answer by running to the control point for that question. **The 1<sup>st</sup> number from the control marker is next to the correct answer.**
- They run back to the starting point.
- They then decide on the answer for the next question and run to the control point to check their answer – and so on.



## Other information

- This activity could be played competitively, with pairs/groups collecting a beanbag each time they get a correct answer. The pair/group with the most beanbags at the end is the winner.
- As an alternative to completing and checking questions individually, children could complete all of the questions in class, and then 'mark' their quiz as an orienteering activity.

