

British rivers

- Complete the sentences by filling in the names of important rivers in Great Britain.
- Then find the names of these rivers and six other British rivers on the wordsearch. This will make a total of twelve river names altogether.

The _____ flows into the Bristol Channel.

The _____ goes through the centre of London.

Chester is located on the _____.

The _____ forms the boundary between Devon and Cornwall.

Wales' longest river is the _____.

The city of Nottingham stands on the _____.

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- Use a large map of Britain to find out more about these rivers. Where is their source?
- What cities and towns do they flow through? Where do they enter the sea?

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Answers to the six sentence fillers above: Severn; Thames; Dee; Tamar; Towy; Trent.

The six other rivers are: Clyde; Dart; Avon; Ouse; Tay; Mersey.