

Maths - Problem Solving

14 The table shows the lengths of five rivers.

| River | Length (km) |
|--------|-------------|
| Trent | 297 |
| Don | 112 |
| Severn | 354 |
| Thames | 346 |
| Mersey | 113 |

Ami says,

"The River Thames is more than three times as long as the River Don."

(b) Show that Ami is correct.

Reflect and write

There is a lot of congestion on the Bridges Crossing the Thames. And only two tunnels - what would you suggest they do to make crossing the river easier?

Research and write up

Research and write up the history of the River Medway. There are plenty of links on the internet which will give you some interesting facts.



Descriptive Writing

Look at Tower Bridge on the River Thames and describe its appearance - what is special about it, how long has it been standing?



PE

Create a dance movement to this James Bay song
[James Bay - Hold Back the River](#)

Every week you must also:

- Read your reading book.
- Practise your times tables - join in the TTRS battles.
- Practise your spellings

Talk to your Mum, Dad or Carer about your homework.

Story writing

We write the story of the Three Billy Goats Gruff who have to cross over a river and avoid being eaten by the Troll.



Persuasive Writing

Persuade me about the benefits of having the Euro Tunnel to France rather than having a bridge.

Design or Computing

Design your own bridge - it can be for any country but should have some mechanism for opening to allow tall ships to pass through.

Research, make and write

Research any bridge in the world which you think is impressive and make a model of it - tell me where it is and how you made it; include the materials and the method you used.

Impress me - art and DT!

Look up one of the London Bridges and draw model of it - using just black pencil for the structure and colours for the river, surrounding country side etc.

| Week 1 | Week 2 | Week 3 | Week 4 | Week 5 | Week 6 |
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| accompany average conscience develop explanation immediately necessary nutritious privilege rhythm | camera miserable vegetable voluntary college wolverine imagine service justice constable | today protect ribbon common blossom rhythm rhino rhombus rhubarb rhine | conscious sacrifice professional awkward individual artificial millions schedule vicious victorious | special official partial facial beneficial commercial artificial aerial essential crucial | initial potential financial partial particle practical special special tropical magical |

These are the spellings we will be practising in class.