

2.2. READING

2.2.1. Major Rivers

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Let's learn about some famous rivers in the world.



A **river** is fresh water flowing across the land to an ocean, a lake, a sea or another river.

Here you have some information about the major rivers in the world.

RIVER	CONTINENT	LENGTH (Km)	COUNTRIES PASSED THROUGH
Nile	Africa	6,695	Egypt, Ethiopia and Sudan
Amazon	America (South)	6,439	Brazil
Yangtze	Asia	6,376	China
Mississippi and Missouri	America (North)	6,019	USA
Volga	Europe	3,530	Russia
Murray-Darling	Oceania	2,570	Australia

01**A river is**

- A. a fresh water lake.
- B. salt water flowing across the land.
- C. fresh water flowing across the land.
- D. fresh water flowing across the ocean.

02**The longest river in the world is**

- A. The Nile.
- B. The Yangtze.
- C. The Murray-Darling.
- D. The Mississippi and the Missouri

03**The Amazon River is in**

- A. Africa.
- B. Europe.
- C. North America.
- D. South America.

04**The Yangtze River passes through**

- A. China.
- B. Russia.
- C. Australia.
- D. The USA.

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What is the best title for the text?

- A. Rivers of Africa.
- B. Rivers of Europe.
- C. Rivers of the World.
- D. D. Rivers and Lakes of Europe

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- A. Art.
- B. Maths.
- C. History.
- D. Geography.