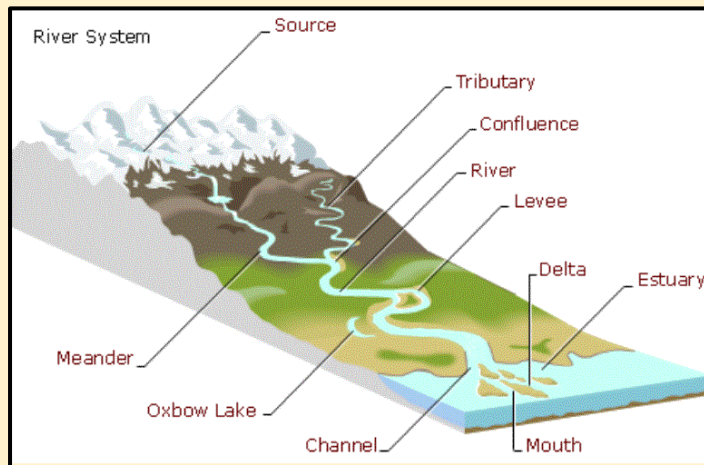
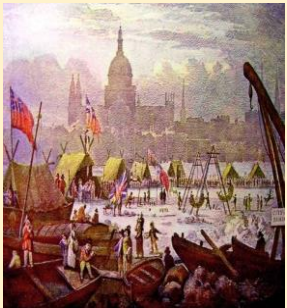


# Hold back the river!

## Key knowledge:



## The River Thames Frost Fair:



During the 17<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> century London would get so cold that the River Thames would freeze over. During this time a fair was held on the River Thames called The River Thames Frost Fair. The most famous frost fair was held in 1683. Horses, puppet plays and even elephants would be on top of the frozen river.

## Key vocabulary:

*river* - the path that water takes as it flows downhill towards the ocean.

*source* - the original point from which the river flows.

*mouth* - the place where the river enters the ocean.

*meander* - a river that follows a winding course.

*tributary* - a stream or river that flows into a larger river or lake.

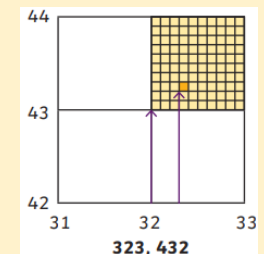
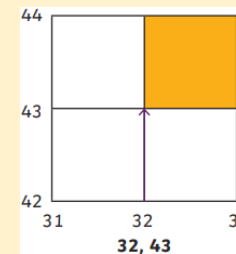
*coordinates* - a set of values that show an exact position on a map.

*human feature* - anything that has been built by humans

*physical feature* - anything that has been created naturally

## Key knowledge:

Ordinance survey maps (OS maps) show a smaller area in greater detail. A **four figure grid reference** or **six figure grid reference** tells us more precisely where about in the square something is.



## Links in my learning:

In Reception we learnt about different celebrations and their origins (bonfire night)

In Year 1 we learnt to make simple maps of my local area.

In Year 2 we learnt to about physical features of geographical regions and used maps and atlases to name continents and some oceans

In Year 3 we learnt to label a map with Roman cities. We also learnt about human and physical features in London.

