

delta: the flat, low-lying plain that sometimes forms at the mouth of a river from the deposition of river sediments

flood plain: flat area alongside the course of a stream or river that is subject to flooding

invasive species: a type of plant or animal that is not indigenous to a particular area

mouth: the place where a river enters a lake, a large river, or the ocean

river system: the tributaries, mouth, source, delta, and flood plan of a particular river

source: the beginning of a river

tributary: a stream that feeds, or flows, into a larger stream

watershed: an entire river system or an area drained by a river and its tributaries