

A long-exposure photograph of a stream flowing through a dense forest. The water is blurred, creating a soft, ethereal effect as it cascades over moss-covered rocks. The surrounding vegetation is thick and green, with sunlight filtering through the trees on the right side.

Rivers

World around us

Different ways we can use rivers



Water supply



Irrigation



Energy



Transportation



Tourism



Biodiversity



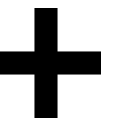
Flood control



Agriculture

Task

- **Activity 1**
- Look at the pg 12-- read and answer how do people care for rivers
- **Activity 2**
- Read the different uses from pump stations to tugs describing their purpose
- **Activity 3**
- Complete exercise 6 managing rivers
- <https://www.bing.com/videos/riverview/relatedvideo?&q=managing+rivers+for+kids&&mid=E225F78C66A70341CD84E225F78C66A70341CD84&&FORM=VRDGAR>



An aerial photograph of a rugged coastline. A river flows from the top right towards the bottom left, eventually meeting the ocean. The river is surrounded by steep, rocky cliffs covered in green vegetation. The ocean is a deep blue with white waves crashing against the rocks. A semi-transparent black horizontal bar is overlaid across the middle of the image, containing the text.

Why are coasts and rivers important!



Coasts and rivers

- Rivers provide fresh water supply - a lot of our water comes from rivers
- Ecosystems are key for an areas survival – requiring rich diversity
- Rivers are home to a wide range of aquatic specials
- They are a natural flood control – protecting us from excessive rainfall.

