

Finn's Fantastic River Expedition

Dive into the journey of a drop: From the mountain heights to the deep blue sea!

- **The Source:** A river begins its journey high in the hills or mountains, often starting as a small spring or melting snow.
- **The Tributary:** Smaller streams and rivers that flow into a larger main river are known as tributaries.
- **The Meander:** As the river travels across flatter land, it begins to twist and turn in large loops called meanders.
- **The Confluence:** This is the exact geographical point where two rivers meet and join together to become one.
- **The Mouth:** The river's journey ends at the mouth, where the water flows into a sea or an ocean.

Did you know? Did you know? Rivers are constantly shaping the landscape around us! Through a process called erosion, they carve deep valleys into the rock over millions of years, acting like nature's own sculptor.

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