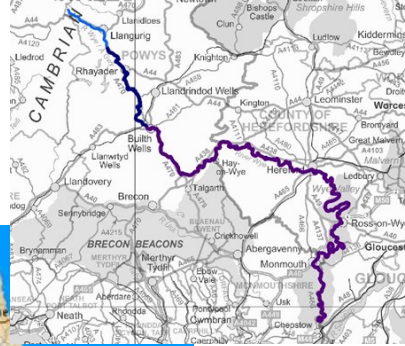



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Subject: Geography	Year: 6	Enquiry question: How has the landscape shaped the River Wye and River Yangtze?	
What should I already know?	Key vocabulary	Key facts/figures	
<p>Key Vocabulary and their definitions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - mouth, source, confluence, tributary, groundwater, meander, erosion, transportation, deposition, delta, oxbow lake, coast, tide, bay, spit, stack, cliff, sediment. <p>Some of the world's rivers and their key facts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nile - Longest river in the world Amazon - Located in the Andes mountains Yangtze - Called 'Chang 'Jiang' in China 	<p>Valley</p> <p>Glaciated</p> <p>Moorlands</p> <p>Chepstow</p> <p>Plynlimon</p> <p>River Lugg</p> <p>Levees</p> <p>Powys, Shropshire, Worcestershire and Gloucestershire</p> <p>China</p> <p>Irrigation</p> <p>Sanitation</p> <p>Boundary-marking</p> <p>Pollution</p> <p>Hydro-electric power</p>	<p>River Wye</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fourth longest river in the UK. Stretching 155 miles. • Source is within the Cambrian Mountains • Tidal estuary in Chepstow • Forms the historic frontier between England and Wales • Has rich salmon fisheries • River Elan (which has been dammed to form a reservoir for supply of water to Birmingham) and the River Lugg are two of its tributaries  	<p>River Yangtze</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Longest river in Asia. • Third longest in the world. Stretching 3,900 miles • Drainage basin covers 20% of China • One of the busiest in terms of traffic • Flooding can be a major problem (in 1954, around 30,000 people were killed due to flooding) • Polluted from industry and agriculture • Three Georges Dam is one of the biggest hydro-electric power stations in the world • More than 50 bridges, all built after 1955 