Water Group - Worksheet

1. Where is the water going?
   Hint – the water does more than just go down stream
   (for example, some evaporates)

2. What is the color of the water?

   Why do you think the water is that color?

3. Describe the water’s clarity.
   Can you see through the water?

   Can light pass through the water?

   Why do you think the water is clear or murky?

   How might this affect the plants and animals living in the river?
4. Do you see any animals, or evidence or animals in the river or on the riverbanks? Describe.

Do you think there are animals that you can’t see? What type?

5. Do you see any plants in the river or on the riverbanks? Describe.

How could these plants help the river?

6. Do you see any evidence of erosion or flooding near the riverbank? Describe what you see:

How does erosion and flooding affect the river?
7. Do you see any pollution in the river? Describe:  
Where might the pollution be coming from?

8. What does the river channel look like?  
Is the channel straight or does it curve? Is this natural, or do you think it has been modified by people?

9. If you came to the river in another two months, what would be different? What would be the same? Be specific.

10. What is one thing about the river you would like to know more about?
Draw an aspect of the river relating to Water