

Morning Starters: Summer 1 - River Nile

Word Challenge

Compile a list of all the words in the 'Did you know?' paragraph with doubled consonants.

Example: waterfall, narrow

Note: A consonant is a letter of the alphabet that is not a vowel. (The vowels are a, e, i, o and u.)

Grammar Challenge

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Write a sentence about the waterfall in the photograph that includes a simile.

Example: The waterfall's spray rose into the air like a headless ghost.

Hint: The simile could relate to the waterfall's sound, power or appearance.

Did You Know?

Murchison Falls is a breathtaking natural wonder, where the world's longest river (the River Nile) dramatically squeezes through a narrow gorge. This powerful force creates a thunderous waterfall. Surrounded by lush, wildlife-rich savannah, Murchison Falls is a key feature of the Murchison Falls National Park, which attracts visitors with its stunning scenery and incredible biodiversity.



Credit: BBC Two - Earth's Greatest Rivers

Number Challenge

At Murchison Falls, water from the River Nile plunges from a height of 43 metres. The number 43 is a prime number.

List all the prime numbers below 43.

Note: A prime number can only be divided evenly by 1 and the number itself.

Critical Thinking

"You cannot step twice into the same river."

Do you agree with the above statement, made by the Greek philosopher Heraclitus? Why? Why not?

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