

MEMORANDUM

GEOGRAPHY

Activity 3.4

1a) Children this question is going to be difficult because answers are not show clearly on the map however you can see the Vaal River clearly. Other physical features are the Apies River and the Klip River. I think for your age this is adequate.

b) Try to draw the map of Gauteng and indicate the rivers that flow through Gauteng.

2.

River	Mountains	Costal features
mZimvubu River	Table Mountain	Table Bay
Great Fish River	Swartberg Mountains	Mosselbaai
Umfolozi River	Drakensberg Mountains	Lake St. Lucia
Olifants River	Langeberge	Saldanha Bay

Homework Activity

1. People named the Drakensberg Mountains as uKhahlamba-Drakensberg because it means 'sharp edge' or 'Dragon Mountain'. This name is appropriate because the Drakensberg

Mountains have many valleys and sharp high peaks that resemble the sharp 'bumpy' back of a dragon.

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- Robben Island. A 'rob' in Afrikaans means 'seal'.
- Mthatha River is named after the many trees that grow along the river's banks

3. Now try to find this answer yourself.

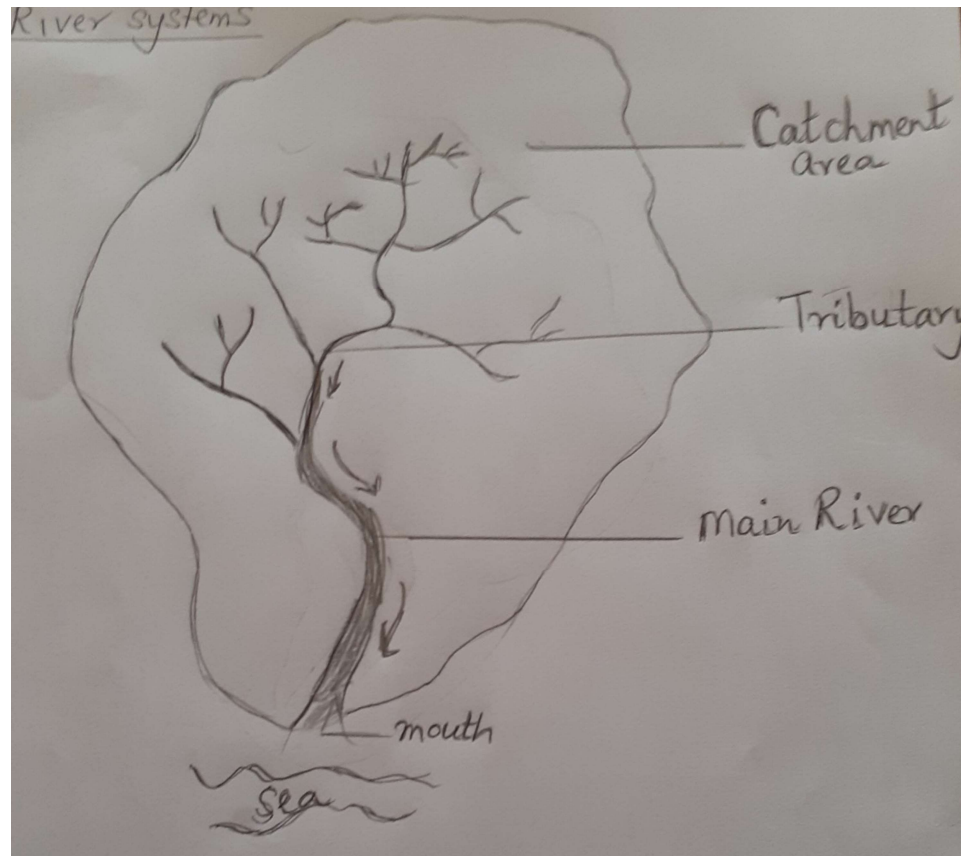
Activity 3.5

1. The source of the Thukela river is the uKhahlamba – Drakensberg mountains.
2. The Thukela river is 2 900m above sea level.
3. One tributary of the Thukela river is the Mooi River.
4. The mouth of the Thukela river is north east from Durban.

Activity 3.6

1 Point to the two main rivers and to all the tributaries.

2.



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History

Activity 4.4

1. People paid tribute to the chief by giving the chief grain and animals. The people also worked in the chief's fields.

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Things people liked	Things people did not like
The chief shared his food when the harvests were poor	The chief decided if people should go to war
The chief helped family problems	The chief made judgements and punished people

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Soldier – the chief decided if people should go to war

Lawyer – the chief and judgements and punished them

Priest – the chief led ceremonies such as rainmaking and contacting the ancestors

Social worker – The chief helped people solve family problems

Businessman – The chief was the richest person in the community because he owned because he owned the most land and animals. He could also give assistance to poor people like modern companies do in the form of sponsorship and gifts

Activity 4.5

1. Cattle was important to the early farming communities because

- They were a source of food
- They were a symbol of wealth
- They made some men more powerful

2 Men with cattle could buy wives. Early farmers wanted more wives because having more wives meant a man could have more children. This meant that a man had more people to work on his land and make him richer.

3a) Some men lent their cattle to poor men. The poor men used the cow's milk and kept some of the calves that the cows produced.

b) Richer people today lend poorer people money, when the poorer people are in need. They give sponsorship and grants to needy people. They also help buy food when the poorer people are unable to buy food for themselves.