

A River Child by Dr. Sue Lyle

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How does the life of your children compare to the life of a river child in Gashaka, West Africa?

A River Child offers an exciting way forward for schools by using a Geography-led, thematic approach to promoting literacy across the curriculum.

Using a common needs approach and many innovative teaching ideas children find out about the life of Mohamed and his family. They discover how his family's lives depend on the natural world. Pupils discover the threats made to Gashaka in 1993 and how people from all over Nigeria worked together to prevent disaster. From this children can learn ecological lessons about threats to the natural systems of Africa, which can be applied globally to other at-risk areas. Pupils also find out about 'Gashaka-Gumti National Park' as an example of turning a potential environmental disaster into a success story.

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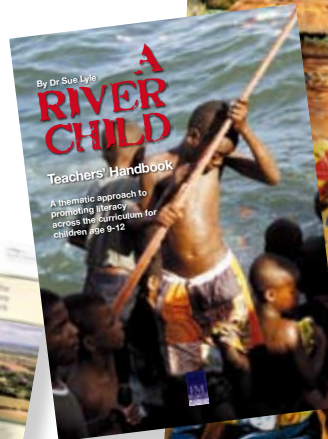
"At a time when stories of environmental degradation and destruction are the stuff of everyday news for children, it is important they hear 'good news' stories and realise that things can get better if we all work together." - Sue Lyle

Cross-Curricular links: Geography, Science, Design & Technology, English, Drama, ICT and Religion.

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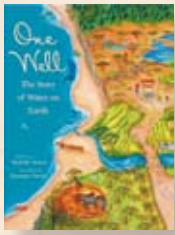
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- Teacher's Handbook with detailed guidance notes.
- Set of photocopiable masters to support the activities.
- Six copies of a full colour culturegram depicting life in Gashaka Village.
- Five copies of the storybook Mohamed of Gashaka.
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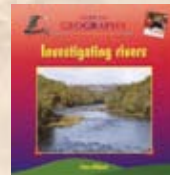


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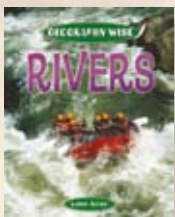
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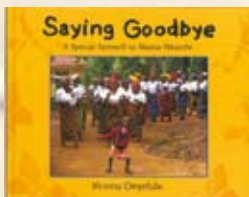
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