

To plan an instruction/information poster

- I can list useful imperative verbs or verb phrases which could begin sentences.
- I can plan the content of each section and the order they go in.
- I can plan the introduction to the writing.
- I can think of a snappy slogan or message to conclude.
- I can give ideas for my presentation.

Introductory Paragraph Why do people want to visit rivers? How do you keep safe?	
Action to take Imperative verb or verb phrase	Content for each section Reasons for needing to take care
<p><i>Away</i> <i>Stay away</i></p>	<p>SUBHEADING - <i>STAY AWAY FROM THE EDGE</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Falling in</i> • <i>Edge crumbles</i> • <i>Slippery surface</i> • <i>May fall and hit head or hurt yourself</i> • <i>Water may be deep</i> • •
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Snappy Slogan	
Presentation ideas	

Some ideas for hazards:

1. Throwing stones, could hurt others, could slip
2. Careful when on inflatables as the current in strong, you may get washed down a waterfall
3. Running on the bank could cause you to fall
4. Standing on rocks in the middle of the river is dangerous. Rocks are slippery and if you fall the water could be very cold. You could become shocked and find it hard to swim to the edge. Keep your head up above the water and try to get out as fast as you can.
5. Swimming in rivers is dangerous. There are strong currents and hidden dangers under the water. There could be sharp rocks deposited by the river or even objects, like shopping trollies, dumped in the river. The water is not always clean, which could cause you to get a stomach upset or infection.
6. Swinging off branches is dangerous. Branches could snap and you would fall into the river or be injured by the branch.
7. Avoid the edges. They could be crumbly due to the erosion which takes place. The grass may be slippery and you could fall.
8. Only ever wade with an adult and to the height of your wellies. Deep water can be dangerous and the currents could pull you in.
9. Playing near the edge or poking the water could cause you to lose balance and fall.
10. Beware of sewage outlets. This could cause illness.



Imperative verb phrases:

Avoid the edge

Be sensible

Stay in sight of adults

Beware of slippery surfaces

Obey your teacher

Listen to adults

Take care when playing games

Be sensible

Focus

Do not throw stones

Watch out for dangers

Do not walk next to the river edge

Wash your hands after being at or in the river

Learn how to help if someone gets into trouble

Never go alone

Watch out for fishing lines

Observe safety signs