

3rd Grade Rivers and Erosion Field Worksheet

Name:

Date:

Location: _____

Record, draw & describe your observations about the following:

shape of river	
width of river	
speed of water	
describe the slope (Is it steep or flat?)	
Sediment types along riverbed	

Draw a picture with labels:



Some Useful Words to be thinking about ...

erosion

speed (velocity)

silt

erode

sediment

inside/outside of curve

meander

current

steepness

slope

oxbow

mountain

deposit

sand

gravel