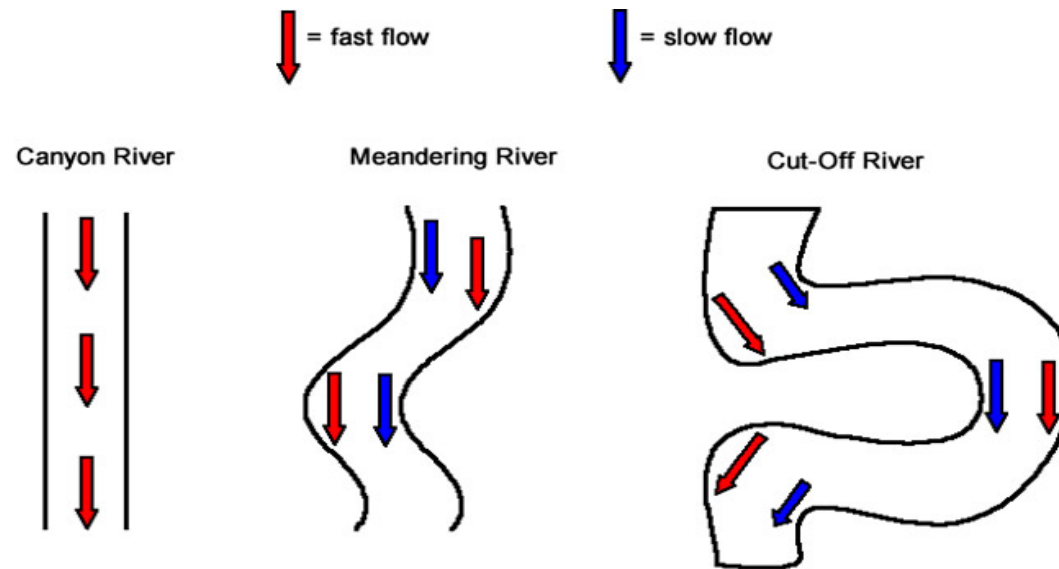


## Erosion and Deposition Task Card #2

### How does material travel through a water system?

**Erosion** is the wearing away of land surface by wind, ice, and/or water. **Fast flowing** water will erode the land around and underneath the water. **Deposition** is the settling of materials from water when they are too heavy or when the water flow slows down.

1. Look at the three different types of rivers in the picture below. Compare and Contrast the shape of each river.
2. On your worksheet, identify and draw an "X" where the **erosion points** are found along the rivers below.
3. On your worksheet, identify and draw an "O" where the **deposition points** are found along the rivers below.
4. Draw what you think will happen to the shape of the third river (**Cut - Off River**) on your worksheet.
5. Look at **Tulip River** on your map and mark the **erosion** and **deposition** points the same way you have above.



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