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LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

Children will come to know about--THE BRAHMAPUTRA BASIN



Recapitulation



States which lies within the Northern plains:

The Northern Plains are divided into three parts:

1. Western part - Punjab and Haryana

Punjab and Haryana comes under Satluj basin.

1. <u>Central part</u> - Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, West Bengal.

Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, West Bengal comes under Ganga Basin.

1. Eastern part- Assam

Assam comes under Brahmaputra Basin.



The Brahmaputra Basin





The Brahmaputra Basin

- The Brahmaputra Basin is a narrow strip in the state of Assam.
- The Brahmaputra is the longest of the three great rivers of North India.
- It starts in Tibet where it is called Tsangpo.
- It enters India through Arunachal Pradesh and flows through Assam into Bangladesh.
- Here it joins the Padma, and forms the Sunderbans Delta before flowing into the Bay of Bengal.



- After flowing through Uttar Pradesh and Bihar, the Ganga enters West Bengal.
- Here, it splits into many branches or distributaries.
- The two main branches are Hooghly and Padma.
- The Hooghly flows through Kolkata, and then into the Bay of Bengal.
- The Padma enters Bangladesh.
- The Ganga originates from the glacier Gangotri.







The Ganga and Yamuna meet at Prayag Sangam in Allahabad(Prayagraj).

The meeting of two rivers is called a **Confluence**.





The world's largest Delta- Sundarban Delta





HW No Homework



Children will be able to -

- The tributaries of the river Ganga
- The river Basin
- Drainage system of the river



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