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The Nile River Book was perfect for my Pre K class and summer school class. We studied Egypt and the text and picture were very nice and simple for young readers to understand. Read more. One person found this helpful. Helpful. Comment Report abuse. True Lucy Maud Montgomery Fan. Enough information along with pictures to give her a feel for the geography of the Nile river. Read more. 5 people found this helpful. Helpful. Comment Report abuse. See all reviews. Top reviews from other countries. The Nile River flows from south to north through eastern Africa. It begins in the rivers that flow into Lake Victoria (located in modern-day Uganda, Tanzania, and Kenya), and empties into the Mediterranean Sea more than 6,600 kilometers (4,100 miles) to the north, making it one of the longest river in the world. The Nile River was critical to the development of ancient Egypt. In addition to Egypt, the Nile runs through or along the border of 10 other African countries, namely, Burundi, Tanzania, Rwanda, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Kenya, Uganda, Sudan, Ethiopia, and South Sudan. Its The Nile River has certainly played a critical role in the history of ancient Egypt. Famous as the longest river in the world, the river got its name from the Greek word Neilos, which means valley. The Nile floods the lands in Egypt, leaving behind black sediment. That's why the ancient Egyptians named the river Ar, meaning black. "A land won by the Egyptians and given them by the Nile." -Greek historian Herodotus (circa 500 B.C.) The story of the Nile River begins not in the lush coastal lagoons of its Mediterranean mouth, nor at its headwaters high in the cloud forests of Rwan Nile River, the longest river in the world, called the father of African rivers. It rises south of the Equator and flows northward through northeastern Africa to drain into the Mediterranean Sea. Learn more about the Nile River, including its hydrology and its plant and animal life, in this article. Alternative Titles: Baá,Ÿr Al-NÄ«l, Naá,Ÿr an-NÄ«l. Follow the course of the longest river in the world, the Nile. Overview of the Nile River, 2009. Contunico Â© ZDF Enterprises GmbH, Mainz See all videos for this article. Nile River, Arabic Baá,Ÿr Al-NÄ«l or Nahr Al-NÄ«l, the longest river in the world, called the father of African rivers. It rises south of the Equator and flows northward through northeastern Africa to drain into the Mediterranean Sea.