

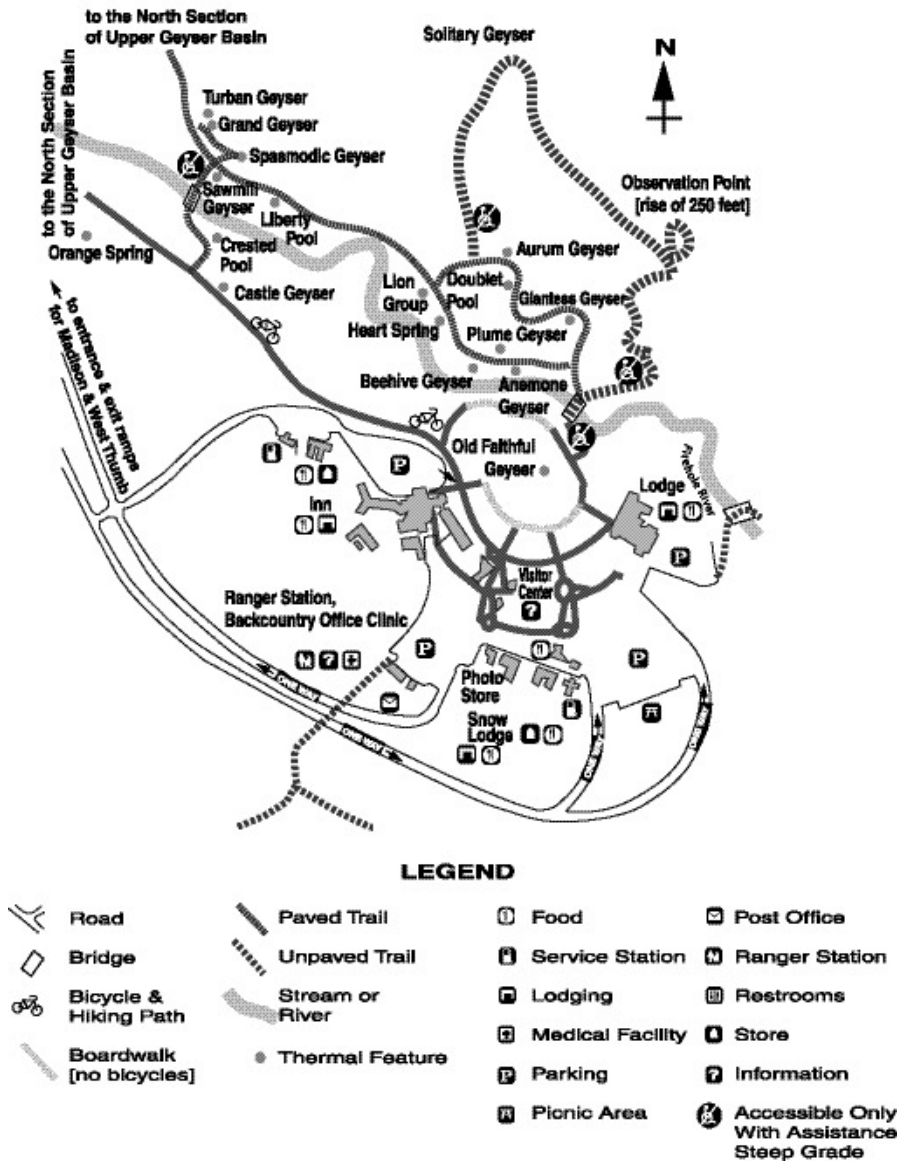
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1.

Use the map below to answer this question.

### YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

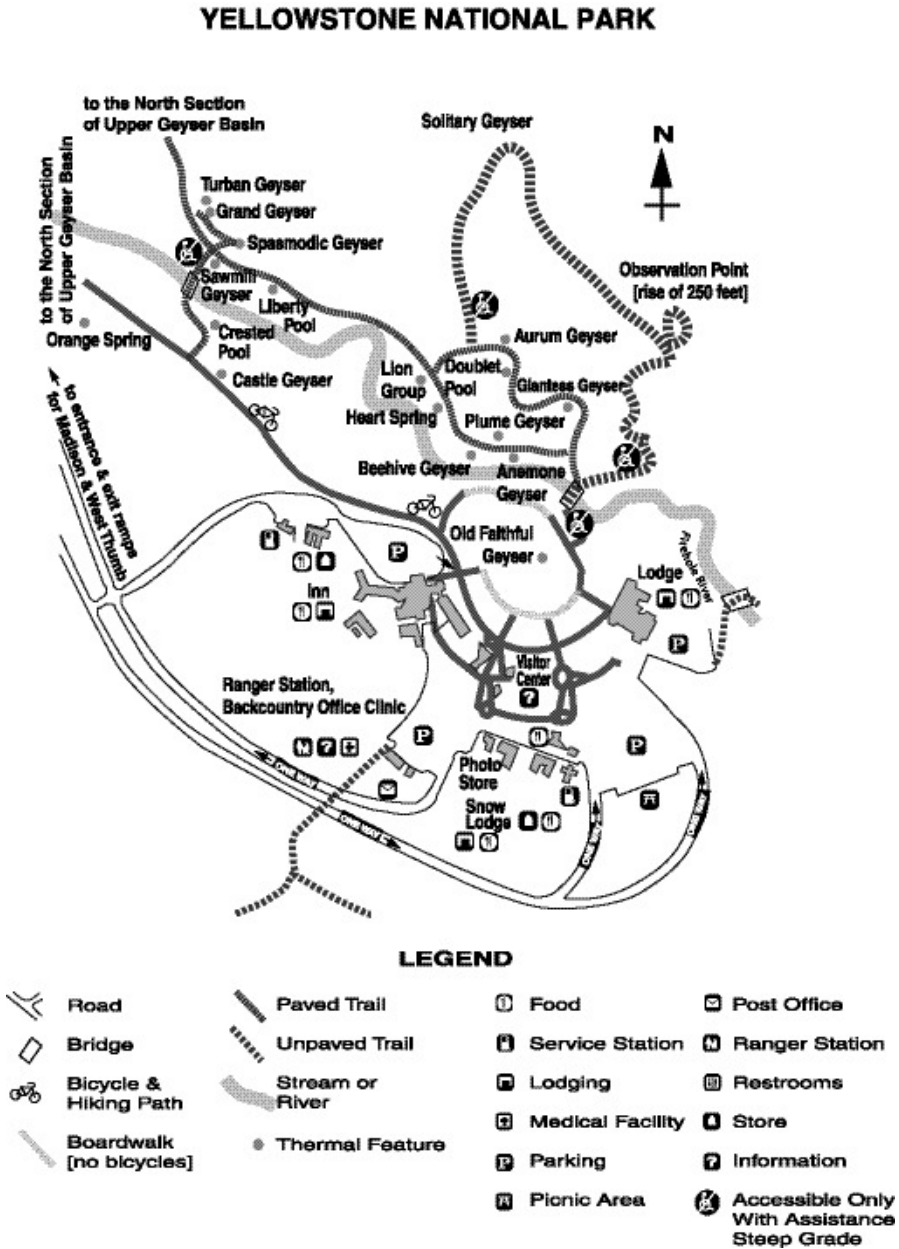


Look at the map. Which natural feature flows through the Old Faithful area?

- A. Orange Spring
- B. Crested Pool
- C. Firehole River
- D. Beehive Geyser

2.

Use the map below to answer this question.



Where would you go in the national park shown above to find a medical facility?

- A. Snow Lodge
- B. Visitor Center
- C. Ranger Station
- D. Observation Point

3. Many of the states in the United States have cold winters with large amounts of snow. To melt the snow, these states often use salt and other chemicals on the roads. Unfortunately, the salt and chemicals

- A. cannot melt the snow completely.
  - B. can pollute the groundwater.
  - C. cannot be kept for long periods of time.
  - D. can pollute the atmosphere.
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4. Many of the Native Americans who lived on the Great Plains were nomadic people. Why did they move from place to place?

- A. They were finding new areas to mine.
  - B. They were looking for fertile lands to farm.
  - C. They were trapping fur-bearing animals.
  - D. They were following the buffalo to hunt.
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5. The use of natural resources affects the environment. Many human activities cause pollution. What is pollution?

- A. an agreement to restrict the number of resources being used
  - B. the shipping of materials from country to country
  - C. the use of renewable resources such as forests and grasslands
  - D. putting impure substances into the land, water, and air
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6. Which of the following is the BEST example of an ecological problem that has been caused by the growth of factories in the United States?

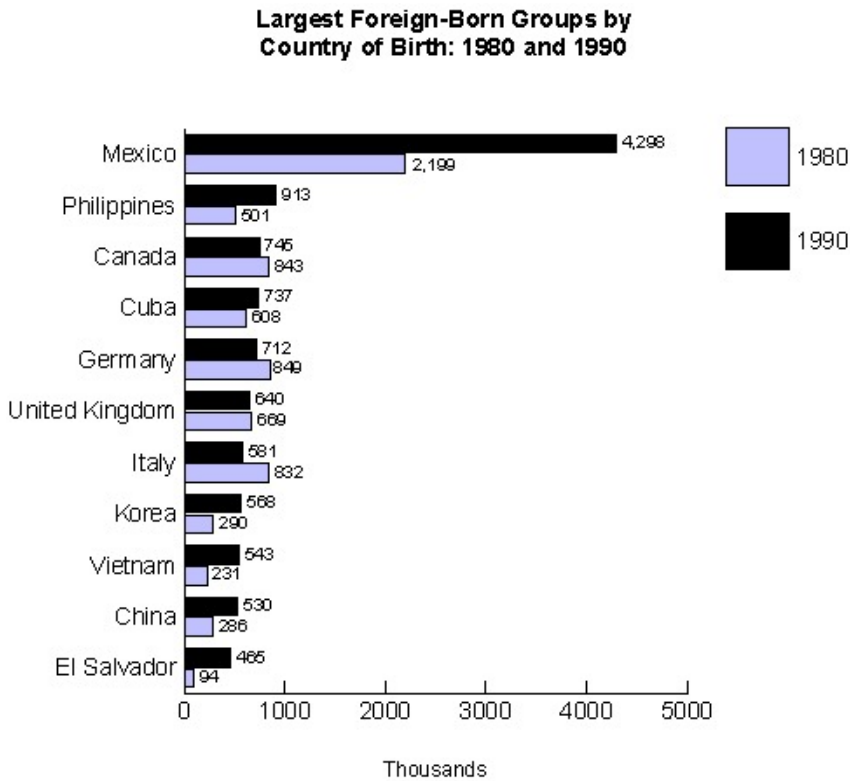
- A. crowded housing
  - B. labor strikes
  - C. water pollution
  - D. rural poverty
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7. Certain regions of the United States are better suited for certain economic activities. Which BEST explains why the midwestern region of the United States is well suited to farming?

- A. There are many mountains located in this region.
  - B. The region has a dry climate throughout the entire year.
  - C. There are many forested areas in this region.
  - D. The region has good soil and an adequate water supply.
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8.

Use the graph below to answer this question.

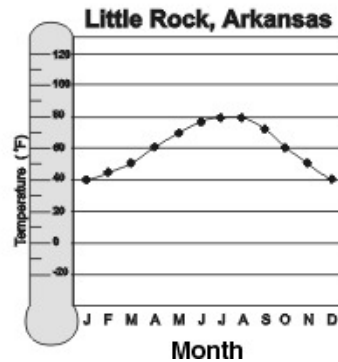
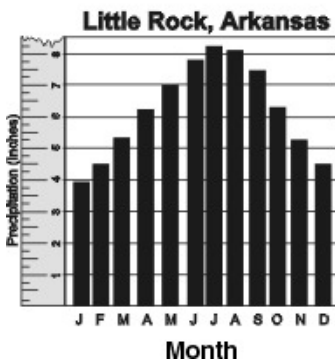
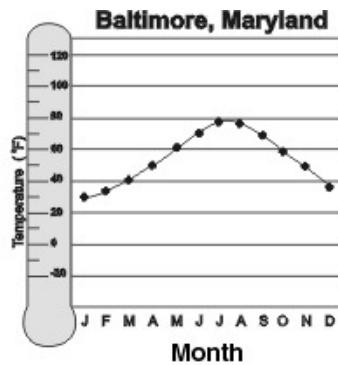
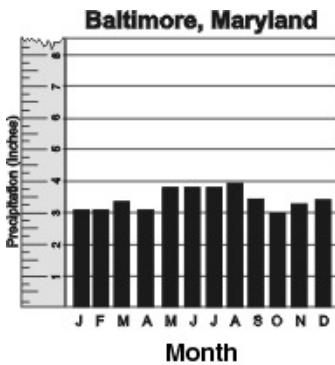


This graph shows immigration to the United States between 1980 and 1990. According to the information on the graph, most of the immigrants during this time were born in

- A. North America.
  - B. Europe.
  - C. Africa.
  - D. Asia.
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9.

Use the graphs below to answer this question.



According to the information in the graphs, which of the following is true?

- A. Little Rock, Arkansas has more rain and higher temperatures than Baltimore, Maryland.
- B. Baltimore, Maryland has more rain than Little Rock, Arkansas.
- C. Little Rock, Arkansas has more rain and lower temperatures than Baltimore, Maryland.
- D. Baltimore, Maryland has higher temperatures than Little Rock, Arkansas.

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10. One major problem facing the world today is the pollution of the soil, water, and air. Which of the following actions could people take to reduce pollution?

- A. recycling paper and plastics
- B. traveling more often
- C. exercising on a regular basis
- D. using garbage bags

**Answer Key**

1. C) Firehole River
2. C) Ranger Station
3. B) can pollute the groundwater.
4. D) They were following the buffalo to hunt.
5. D) putting impure substances into the land, water, and air
6. C) water pollution
7. D) The region has good soil and an adequate water supply.
8. A) North America.
9. A) Little Rock, Arkansas has more rain and higher temperatures than Baltimore, Maryland.
10. A) recycling paper and plastics