**River Wey, Dorset**

* De rivier de Wey van [Dorset](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhHkWRV4mId2q8H1GJmGvLqu8V0Qg) , Zuid-West [Engeland](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh3lEyubWAREPBjQ2pc3i_vVUMbvg) , is een korte [rivier](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhVlNXDxkzEZMTbeybHDqWygujoyA) 9 kilometer lang. The river rises in [Upwey](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Upwey,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh_kPXJXRUsn7IkUzVgyMrS8ugbeg) , where the spring forms Upwey Wishing Well, at the foot of the [South Dorset Downs](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Dorset_Downs&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhQdLXKC5e0pbjW58ZZns667BiyTA) , a ridge of [chalk](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chalk&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg_5smvSwjKzsptHK5z3BnLIDcbEA) [hills](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hill&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhWdcCsf6KEA85_RNiFYAjW5KzN6Q) that separate [Weymouth](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weymouth,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhwj-VqGr7cSmeQtCA-OYN64HEIAA) from [Dorchester](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dorchester,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgmyIIGe6qhwY9iyoaG6p2hkvZxUQ) .
* De rivier ontspringt in [Upwey](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Upwey,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh_kPXJXRUsn7IkUzVgyMrS8ugbeg) , waar de bron vormen Upwey Wishing Well, aan de voet van de [Zuid-Downs Dorset](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Dorset_Downs&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhQdLXKC5e0pbjW58ZZns667BiyTA) , een bergkam van [krijt](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chalk&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg_5smvSwjKzsptHK5z3BnLIDcbEA) [heuvels](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hill&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhWdcCsf6KEA85_RNiFYAjW5KzN6Q) die afzonderlijke [Weymouth](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weymouth,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhwj-VqGr7cSmeQtCA-OYN64HEIAA) van [Dorchester](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dorchester,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgmyIIGe6qhwY9iyoaG6p2hkvZxUQ) . Most of the river's course is in the built-up area of Weymouth, running through the former villages (now [suburbs](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Suburb&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhguOQPZCKmlMvl-wpuxtOR3OXwJhQ) ) of [Upwey](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Upwey,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh_kPXJXRUsn7IkUzVgyMrS8ugbeg) , [Broadwey](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Broadwey&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh8s0roxYWeiTiPygNvyn1fwaMnqA) , Nottington, and [Radipole](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radipole&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiOFOFJY2hqXDET1JEOeio1uD77sw) , through [Radipole Lake](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radipole_Lake&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg4zRvLjDiRwL6udZ0d2mVt8YF-UQ) and into [Weymouth Harbour](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weymouth_Harbour,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj60t8XoQEBuOxfhU3Z7ZdrpO8-Kw) .
* De meeste van rivier is natuurlijk de in de bebouwde kom van Weymouth, loopt door de voormalige dorpjes (nu [voorsteden](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Suburb&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhguOQPZCKmlMvl-wpuxtOR3OXwJhQ) ) van [Upwey](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Upwey,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh_kPXJXRUsn7IkUzVgyMrS8ugbeg) , [Broadwey](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Broadwey&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh8s0roxYWeiTiPygNvyn1fwaMnqA) , Nottington en [Radipole](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radipole&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiOFOFJY2hqXDET1JEOeio1uD77sw) via [Radipole Lake](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radipole_Lake&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg4zRvLjDiRwL6udZ0d2mVt8YF-UQ) en in [Weymouth Harbour](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weymouth_Harbour,_Dorset&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj60t8XoQEBuOxfhU3Z7ZdrpO8-Kw) .
* The river is important for wildlife and [Radipole Lake](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radipole_Lake&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg4zRvLjDiRwL6udZ0d2mVt8YF-UQ) is a [National Nature Reserve](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/National_Nature_Reserve&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhyrHJnQuVs0yTouPqKcFX58i3dRw) run by the [Royal Society for the Protection of Birds](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Royal_Society_for_the_Protection_of_Birds&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhi7BHyBc3tDpNsVbMus2htK6qyMSg) .De rivier is belangrijk voor natuur-en [Radipole Lake](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radipole_Lake&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg4zRvLjDiRwL6udZ0d2mVt8YF-UQ) is een [National Nature Reserve](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/National_Nature_Reserve&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhyrHJnQuVs0yTouPqKcFX58i3dRw) beheerd door de [Koninklijke Vereniging voor de Bescherming van de Vogels](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Royal_Society_for_the_Protection_of_Birds&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhi7BHyBc3tDpNsVbMus2htK6qyMSg) .