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TEACHER directions





Hello Teacher! Thank you for downloading these interactive fact fans. I think your students are really going to enjoy this way of showcasing their understanding of the water cycle!

To help visualize the prep needed for the project, each student will need a copy of each of the following pages.

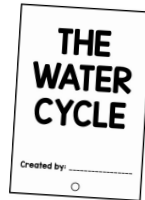
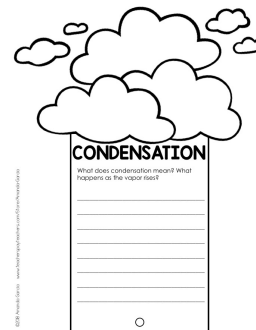
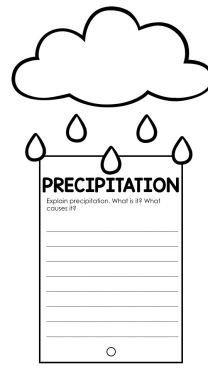
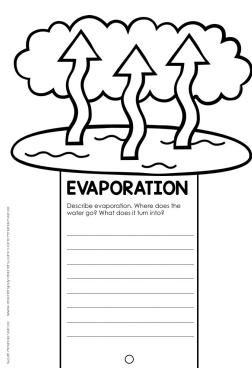
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WATER CYCLE notes

Take notes about the water cycle. Key questions are provided to help focus your thinking.

EVAPORATION 	What is evaporation? Where does the water go when it evaporates? What does the liquid turn into?
CONDENSATION 	What does condensation mean? What happens as the water vapor rises?
PRECIPITATION 	Explain what causes precipitation. What is precipitation?
COLLECTION 	Where might the precipitation be collected? How does this start the water cycle all over again?

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The Answer Key at the end of this product is for the note-taking sheet. These answers, however, are the SAME answers students will transfer onto their fans. This way, you can correct their note-taking sheet for accuracy BEFORE they publish onto the fan.

PROCESS

- Note-take on provided sheet
- Transfer answers to fan pages
- Color the pictures
- Cut out the fans
- Hole punch and use a metal brad to complete the fan!

TIPS

It is easiest for students to cut out the fan if they cut just OUTSIDE of the picture, rather than trying to stay on the line. When cutting the rectangular part of the fan, it works best to cut directly ON the line.

Please feel free to email me with any comments or questions about this product!

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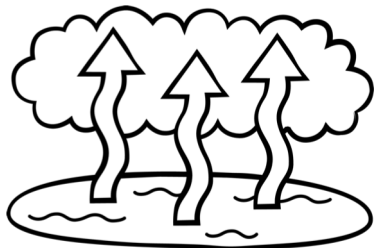
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EVAPORATION

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CONDENSATION

What does condensation mean? What happens as the water vapor rises?



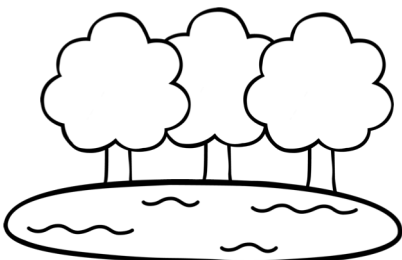
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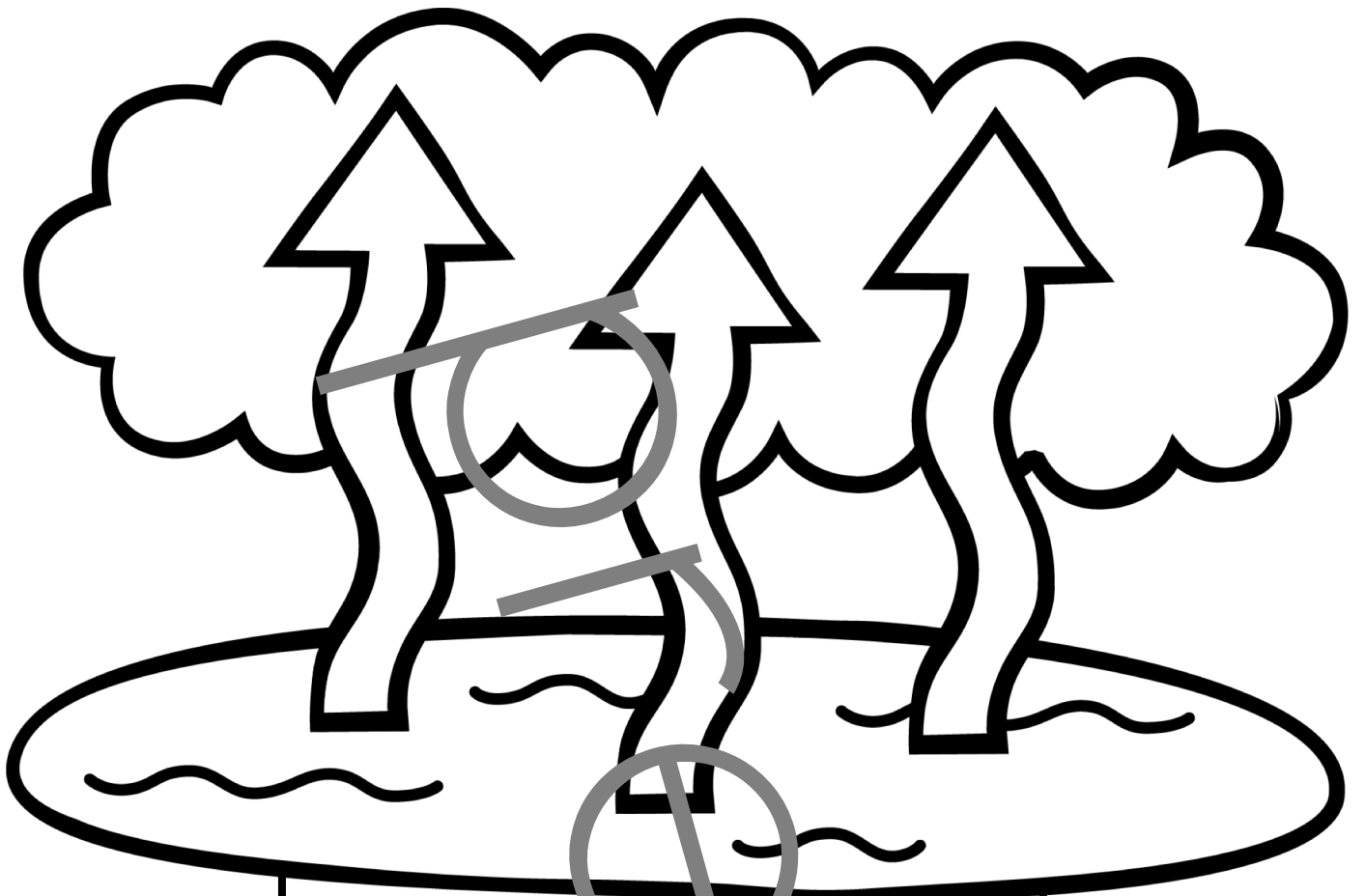
Explain what causes precipitation. What is precipitation?



COLLECTION

Where might the precipitation be collected? How does this start the water cycle all over again?





EVAPORATION

Describe evaporation. Where does the water go? What does it turn into?





CONDENSATION

What does condensation mean? What happens as the vaporises?

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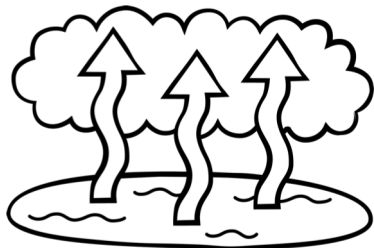


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EVAPORATION



What is evaporation? Where does the water go when it evaporates? What does the liquid turn into?

Evaporation takes place when energy from the sun heats up the surface of the Earth. This heats up water (like in lakes, streams, or the ocean) and turns it from a liquid into a vapor. The water rises into the sky.

CONDENSATION



What does condensation mean? What happens as the water vapor rises?

Condensation is when the water vapor cools as it rises and then becomes liquid again. The liquid forms into clouds.

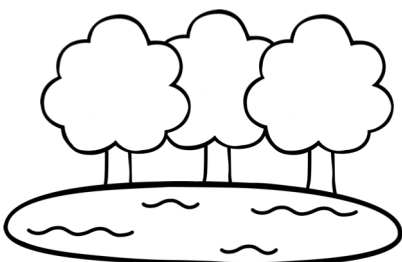
PRECIPITATION



Explain what causes precipitation. What is precipitation?

Precipitation happens when there is so much liquid condensed in the air that the water droplets become too big and heavy for the air to hold. They fall down to Earth. This can be in the form of rain, sleet, hail, or snow.

COLLECTION



Where might the precipitation be collected? How does this start the water cycle all over again?

The precipitation that falls is collected in bodies of water or into the soil. If the ground is cold, it can also be accumulated in the form of snow, which will eventually melt and run into a body of water or into the soil. The water cycle starts again when the Earth heats up this precipitation and it evaporates.