



The Water Cycle

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 1

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- B) The sun heats the water and turns it into vapor
- C) The ground soaks it all up
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2. What causes clouds to form in the sky?

- A) Smoke rises from the ground
- B) Water vapor cools and turns into tiny water drops
- C) Wind pushes fog up high
- D) Rain floats back up into the sky

3. What happens to water vapor as it rises higher in the sky?

- A) It gets hotter
- B) It turns into ice cream
- C) It cools down
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4. Which is the correct order of the water cycle?

- A) Precipitation, evaporation, collection, condensation
- B) Evaporation, condensation, precipitation, collection
- C) Collection, precipitation, condensation, evaporation
- D) Condensation, collection, evaporation, precipitation

Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word on the line.

1. The _____ provides the energy that drives the water cycle.
2. During evaporation, liquid water changes into an invisible gas called water _____.
3. Condensation is the opposite of _____.
4. Clouds are made of millions of tiny water _____ or ice crystals.
5. Without the sun, the water cycle would _____.

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