

Explain Water Cycle Processes: Apply and Create

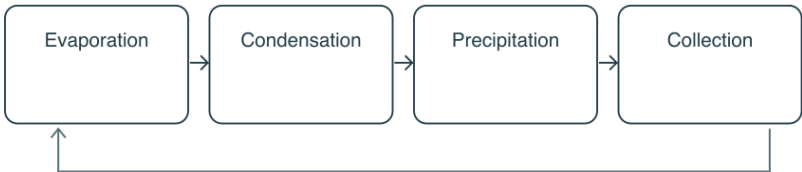


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Use what you learned to explain, construct or apply an idea.

A simplified water cycle

Liquid water can evaporate into water vapor. Cooling vapor can condense into droplets. Water in clouds can fall as precipitation. Water may collect, flow or soak into the ground. Water takes many paths, so this short sequence is a simplified model.



1. Why is condensation different from precipitation?

2. Why should the diagram not be read as the only path water can take?
