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Water cycle

You will need: the 'Water cycle 2' sheet, scissors, glue.

What to do: Cut out these labels and paste them in their correct places on the diagram of the **water cycle**.

When **clouds** rise over higher ground, large drops of water form and start to fall as **rain**.

The **rain** collects in streams and rivers and flows back to lakes and the sea.

Rain falls into the sea.

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Water **evaporates** into the **atmosphere** from the surface of lakes.

The **clouds** are blown by the wind over the land.

Water **evaporates** into the **atmosphere** from the surface of the sea.

Animals breathe out **water vapour** when they **exhale**.

Plant leaves give off **water vapour** into the **atmosphere** when they **transpire**.

As **water vapour** rises into the sky it cools and **condenses** to form **clouds**.