

ATMOSPHERIC WATER CYCLE

[Illustration Diagram Placeholder]

CONDENSATION

EVAPORATION

PRECIPITATION

EVAPORATION Water changes from liquid to gas as it moves from the ground to the atmosphere.

TRANSPIRATION Release of water vapor into the atmosphere by plants through their leaves.

CONDENSATION Water vapor cools and changes back into liquid form, creating clouds.

PRECIPITATION Water falling from clouds as rain, snow, sleet, or hail.