

Water Cycle Switcheroo

INSTRUCTIONS: What happens to water in nature? And how about when it goes down our drains? The jumbled-up words below are all about the water cycle! Switch the letters around until you make a water cycle word, and then match them to their descriptions.



You might need an umbrella to stop this from falling on your head

DPROAIND

RAINDROP

These make the sky dark and grey or can sometimes be fluffy and white

SODUCL

Rays from the star in the middle of our solar system

LIGTHUNS

About 97% of all of the water on our planet is here

ANCEO

When water in the ground is heated up by the sun and turns into a gas

EPAROATIONV

When high in the sky water cools back into a liquid

DENSCONTIONA

When clouds become heavy and rain falls out to the ground

PERPICIAN TIOT

When water sinks underground into water pockets

PERLATONIOC

When water is absorbed into the ground

FILTINRATION

This could be a river, a creek, or a stream where rain collects

YAWTERWA

Everything that gets flushed down the toilet or washed down the drain turns into this

GEWASE

This is where we clean our water to send it safely into the environment

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Helpful hint

Check out the interactive water cycle on our website if you need some more clues!
<https://education.unitywater.com/>

