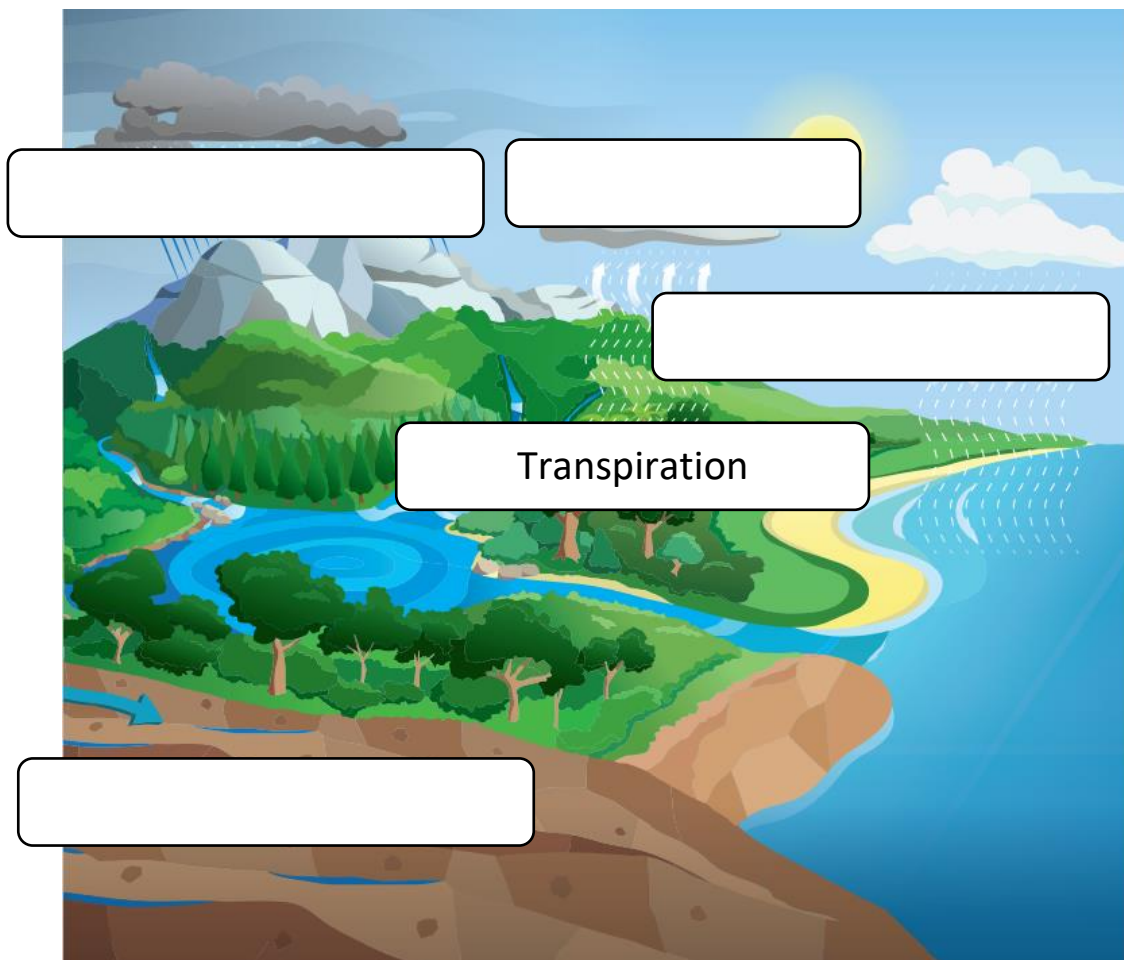


TASK: Fill in the blank spaces in Part A and Part B at any time. The missing words are in the **WORD LIST**. Transpiration has been done for you.

Part A

- 1) _____ is when the sun heats water bodies across Earth, causing the liquid water to change into water vapour. The vapour (or gas) is light enough to rise into the atmosphere
- 2) **Transpiration** is when water is absorbed (soaked up) by a plant's roots as a liquid, then travels up to its leaves before it is released as water vapour into the atmosphere.
- 3) Water vapour rises into the air where the temperature becomes colder. _____ is when the water vapour condenses (crowds together) into small droplets, which form clouds.
- 4) When so much water has condensed (gathered together) in the clouds that the air cannot support its weight, water falls from the clouds as rain, hail, sleet or snow. This is called _____. Much of this water flows across the land and collects in rivers, lakes and, eventually, the ocean.
- 5) Some of the water gets into the ground and gathers in the cracks and pores of rocks, forming _____. These areas of water-filled cracks underground are called aquifers.

Part B



WORD LIST:

Evaporation
Precipitation
Condensation
Ground Water