

Content Vocabulary

LESSON 1

Describing Weather

Directions: Write the correct term in the boxes to the right of each definition. Then unscramble the letters in the shaded boxes to spell a ninth term.

air pressure

dew point

humidity

kinetic energy

precipitation

relative humidity

variable

water cycle

weather

1. series of processes through which water moves around the globe

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2. the amount of water vapor in the air compared to the maximum possible amount of water vapor the air can contain at that temperature

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3. energy an object has because of its motion

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4. atmospheric conditions at a certain place and time

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5. a quantity that can be changed

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6. a force exerted by a column of air

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7. the amount of water vapor in the air

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8. boundary at which water vapor becomes liquid water

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9. When they are unscrambled, the letters from the shaded boxes spell _____, which includes rain, snow, and sleet.