

Key Concept Builder **LESSON 1*****Describing Weather***

Key Concept How is weather related to the water cycle?

Directions: *On the line before each statement, write T if the statement is true and F if the statement is false.*

- _____ 1. Precipitation, condensation, and evaporation are important to the water cycle.
- _____ 2. The water cycle is a natural process.
- _____ 3. In the water cycle, water is constantly added to the atmosphere, where it builds up over time.
- _____ 4. Most water enters the atmosphere through surface runoff.
- _____ 5. Water vapor warms as it rises in the atmosphere.
- _____ 6. Water vapor that evaporates eventually condenses.
- _____ 7. Clouds form from liquid water and ice.
- _____ 8. Evaporation occurs when water falls from clouds.
- _____ 9. Water enters the atmosphere when it condenses.
- _____ 10. Thermal energy causes water at the ocean's surface to evaporate.