

GINA & OLLIE EXPLORE

WATER CAN CHANGE

SOLID

Ice keeps its shape.



LIQUID

Water flows and takes the shape of its container.



GAS

Water vapor is invisible in the air.



EVAPORATION



Warming can melt ice. Liquid water can evaporate.

LOOK & WONDER

Which form can you pour?

GINA & OLLIE EXPLORE THE WATER CYCLE

Water keeps moving around Earth.

The Sun gives
the water cycle
energy.

1 EVAPORATION

The Sun warms water.
Liquid water becomes
invisible water vapor.

Water vapor
is invisible.

2 CONDENSATION

Water vapor cools into tiny
liquid drops.
These drops form clouds.

3 PRECIPITATION

Water falls from clouds
as rain or snow.

4 COLLECTION

Water gathers in rivers,
lakes and oceans.

FOLLOW A DROP
Trace the water's journey
with your finger.

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WHAT'S THE WEATHER?

Weather is what the air and sky are like here, now.
Five weather examples

SUNNY

Sunlight reaches
the ground.

CLOUDY

Clouds cover much
of the sky.

RAINY

Drops of water
fall from clouds.

WINDY

Moving air bends grass
and rustles leaves.

SNOWY

Snowflakes are made
of ice crystals.

LOOK & WONDER

Look outside with a grown-up. What do you notice?
Weather can change—and conditions can happen together.

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GINA & OLLIE EXPLORE THE FOUR SEASONS

A year brings changes to many places.

SPRING

New buds open.
Many flowers bloom.



SUMMER

Days are often warm.
Trees have green leaves.



AUTUMN

Some leaves change
color and fall.



WINTER

Days are often cold.
Many trees rest.



LOOK FOR CHANGE

What signs of the season can you notice?

Earth's tilt causes seasons as it travels around the Sun.