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The Water Cycle: Classroom Presentation

22 editable slides with diagrams, speaker notes and a worksheet.



- 22-slide PowerPoint presentation
- PDF version for any projector
- Speaker notes on every slide

About this resource

A ready-to-teach water cycle presentation in PowerPoint and PDF, with diagrams and a follow-up worksheet. Teach the water cycle in one confident lesson. This deck moves from evaporation to condensation, precipitation, collection and transpiration, with a clear diagram on every key slide and speaker notes that explain what to say. The pack includes an editable PPTX file, a PDF version for display, a labelled diagram worksheet and a five-question exit ticket. All text is original and age-appropriate.

How to use this book

Open the PPTX in PowerPoint or Google Slides. Read the speaker notes before teaching and print the worksheet.

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TEACHER CURRICULUM GUIDE

The Water Cycle Curriculum Guide

This comprehensive instructional package is designed for science educators, homeschooling parents, and curious students. It includes a complete, fully editable 16:9 widescreen presentation deck (`The_Water_Cycle_Presentation.pptx`) alongside this slide-by-slide teacher handout and student workbook.

Each slide in the presentation is paired with detailed lecture guidance, scientific background research, provocative classroom discussion prompts, and formative check-for-understanding questions.

- 22 Widescreen (16:9) slides designed with professional high-contrast typography.
- Complete slide-by-slide lecture notes, discussion cues, and student response questions.
- Full compatibility with Microsoft PowerPoint, Google Slides, Apple Keynote, and Canva.

GOOD TO KNOW

Instructional Tip: Run the slides on your classroom projector while having students follow along and record answers in their printable handout booklets.

DAILY PRACTICE ROUTINE & COMMITMENT

- [ ] Set a dedicated 15-minute daily focus window without phone or notifications.
- [ ] Work through each exercise completely before checking answers in the back.
- [ ] Review missed questions to understand the underlying rule or method.
- [ ] Celebrate consistency: completing one unit daily beats rushing an entire pack.

My Daily Goal: Complete _____ pages/day · Target Start Time: _____

TEACHING SLIDE HANDOUT · SLIDE 01 OF 22

THE WATER CYCLE: NATURE'S ENDLESS JOURNEY

An Introduction to Earth's Hydrologic Cycle

SLIDE 01 PREVIEW

The Water Cycle: Nature's Endless Journey

An Introduction to Earth's Hydrologic Cycle

- Water is the lifeblood of planet Earth.
- The exact same water molecules recycling today were once drunk by dinosaurs 100 million years ago.
- The water cycle is an endless closed loop powered by solar radiation and gravity.

★ TEACHER LECTURE NOTES & EXPLANATION:

When presenting Slide 1, begin by connecting to the student's personal real-world experience. Focus deeply on the causal mechanism behind the water cycle: nature's endless journey: why does this physical process occur? Emphasize the quantitative data points on the slide to build scientific literacy.

Classroom Discussion Questions:

1. How does the water cycle: nature's endless journey impact our everyday weather, health, or technology?
2. What would happen to planet Earth if this specific process stopped functioning tomorrow?

★ FORMATIVE STUDENT CHECK-FOR-UNDERSTANDING:

Question: Based on Slide 1, explain the primary scientific takeaway in one sentence.

Student response line: _____

TEACHING SLIDE HANDOUT · SLIDE 02 OF 22

EARTH AS THE BLUE PLANET: WHERE IS WATER?

Distribution of Global Water Reserves

SLIDE 02 PREVIEW

Earth as the Blue Planet: Where is Water?

Distribution of Global Water Reserves

- Oceans hold 96.5% of all water on Earth (saline).
- Only 2.5% of Earth's water is freshwater.
- Over 68% of freshwater is locked inside glaciers and ice caps; 30% is groundwater; only 1.2% is accessible surface water in lakes and rivers.

★ TEACHER LECTURE NOTES & EXPLANATION:

When presenting Slide 2, begin by connecting to the student's personal real-world experience. Focus deeply on the causal mechanism behind earth as the blue planet: where is water?: why does this physical process occur? Emphasize the quantitative data points on the slide to build scientific literacy.

Classroom Discussion Questions:

1. How does earth as the blue planet: where is water? impact our everyday weather, health, or technology?
2. What would happen to planet Earth if this specific process stopped functioning tomorrow?

★ FORMATIVE STUDENT CHECK-FOR-UNDERSTANDING:

Question: Based on Slide 2, explain the primary scientific takeaway in one sentence.

Student response line: _____

TEACHING SLIDE HANDOUT · SLIDE 03 OF 22

THE SUN: ENGINE OF THE HYDROLOGIC CYCLE

Solar Energy and Evaporation Dynamics

SLIDE 03 PREVIEW

The Sun: Engine of the Hydrologic Cycle

Solar Energy and Evaporation Dynamics

- The Sun's heat provides the thermal energy driving the entire cycle.
- Solar radiation warms oceans, lakes, and rivers, exciting water molecules.
- Without continuous solar input, the water cycle would freeze to an immediate standstill.

★ TEACHER LECTURE NOTES & EXPLANATION:

When presenting Slide 3, begin by connecting to the student's personal real-world experience. Focus deeply on the causal mechanism behind the sun: engine of the hydrologic cycle: why does this physical process occur? Emphasize the quantitative data points on the slide to build scientific literacy.

Classroom Discussion Questions:

1. How does the sun: engine of the hydrologic cycle impact our everyday weather, health, or technology?
2. What would happen to planet Earth if this specific process stopped functioning tomorrow?

★ FORMATIVE STUDENT CHECK-FOR-UNDERSTANDING:

Question: Based on Slide 3, explain the primary scientific takeaway in one sentence.

Student response line: _____

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