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THE WATER CYCLE

Label these images using the words in the word bank:

Rain

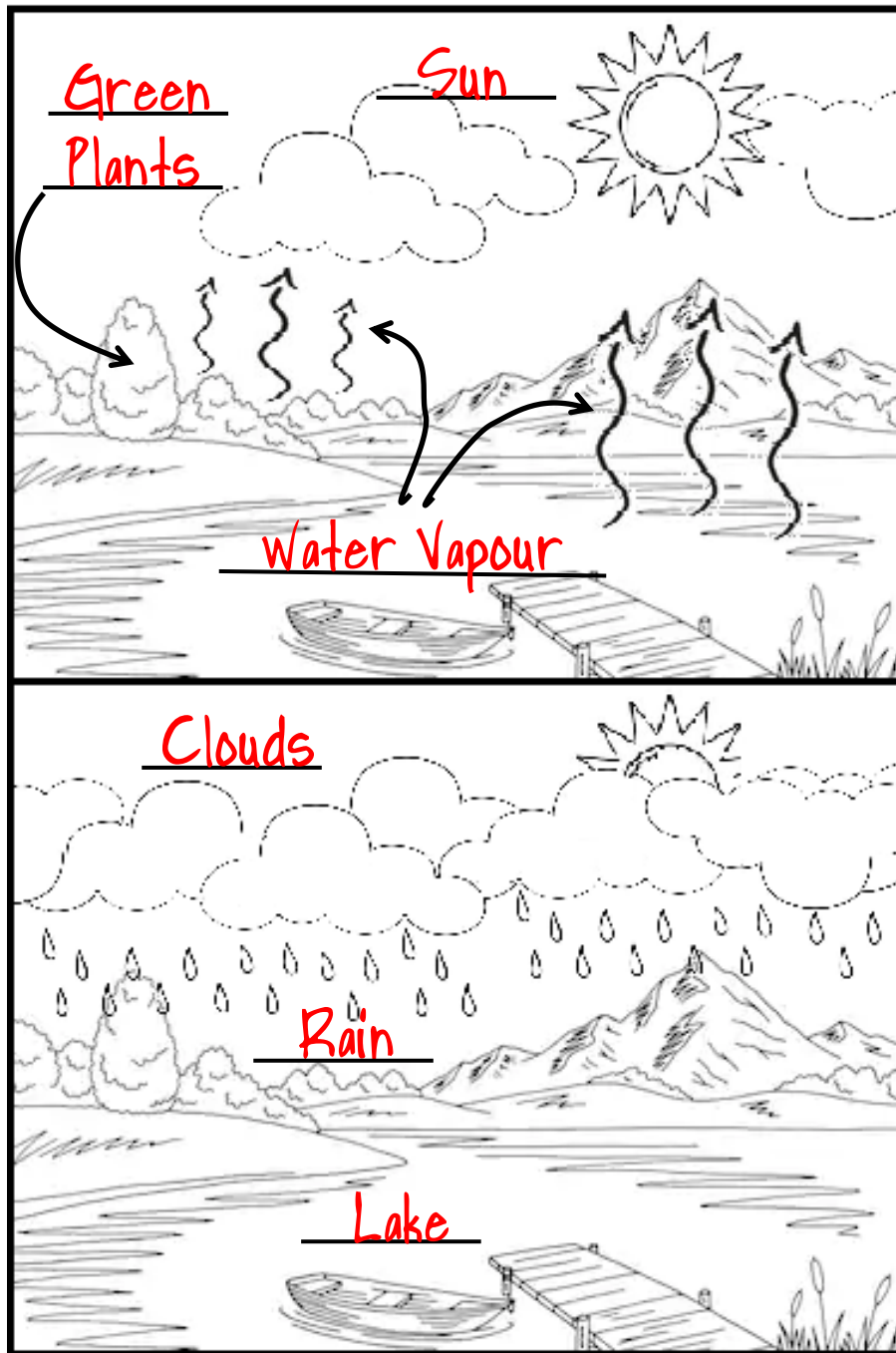
Green Plants

Sun

Lake

Water Vapour

Clouds



Precipitation: Water falling from the sky (rain, snow, hail, etc.)

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Copy the information about the water cycle below.

The sun turns water in lakes and oceans into vapour.

The water vapour then rises.

Water vapour also rises from green plants.

The water vapour is collected by the clouds.

Water then falls to the ground as rain.

The things below are all types of precipitation, they are all different forms of water falling from the clouds.



Rain

Liquid water falling from the sky.



Snow

Solid water falling from the sky because the clouds are very cold.



Sleet

Rain that freezes as it falls to the ground.



Hail

Rain that freezes because strong winds blow it high up in to the clouds where it is very cold.