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The importance of water in the countryside.

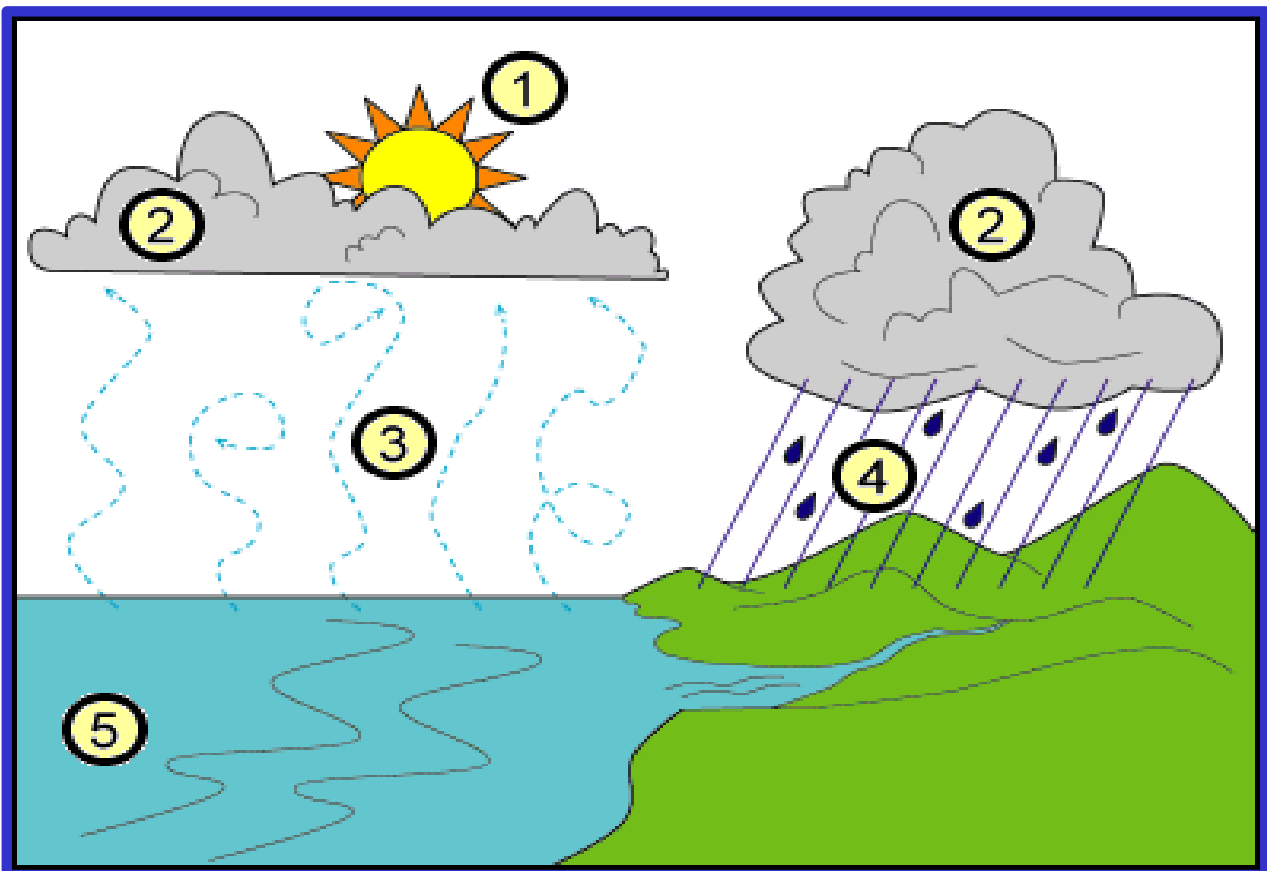
A. Think:

- Have you ever thought where water comes from?
- Have you ever wondered where rain water goes?

B. Look at this picture of the water cycle.

Discuss with your friends: Water is very important for all living creatures.

We need water to drink, cook, bathe and to clean our houses. We also use it to water our plants.



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C. The phases of the water cycle are all jumbled.

Arrange them in the correct order according to the picture. Number 2 must be written twice!

- ___ Water vapour rises, cools and condenses into water droplets forming clouds.
- ___ Rain falls on the hills, valleys and fields.
- ___ Rain also falls into the sea.
- ___ The sun heats up the water from the sea, from puddles, from trees and from the fields. This water turns into water vapour.
- ___ The wind moves the clouds. When these drops of water grow, it rains.

D. These are some pictures which help us think, discuss and learn about how to better conserve water:



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E. This picture shows the different rooms of a house.

Together with your friends, write a list of points on how we can save water in the bathroom, the kitchen and the washroom.



| In the bathroom | In the kitchen | In the washroom |
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