

# Student Link

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## INSTRUCTIONS

This exercise will help you learn about clouds.  
Find out how scientists classify and describe them.

1. Go through the **Grade Five** door.
2. Click on "**Science and Technology**".
3. Click on "**Wild Wild Weather**".
4. On the left side of your screen click on **Clouds**.
5. Scroll down and read through "**What Are Clouds?**" and answer the following questions.



6. What are clouds made of? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. How do **meteorologists** rank clouds? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

8. Click on each of the pictures in "**Dan's Wild Wild Cloud Gallery**".  
In the left column below, name all the different types of clouds.  
In the right column, write two words to describe each type.



Name that cloud!	Describe with two words!





Student

1. Read through "How Are Clouds Formed?" near the bottom of the page.
2. In **your own words**, describe how a cloud is formed. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Time to go to another web site. At the very bottom of the page click on "Cloud Types" (Not Cloud Types Grade 5) Read the information and complete the chart.

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TRANSLATION



Click the **Back** arrow and click on "**Clouds**". Scroll down the page and click on "**Cloud Types**".

5. Write down the author's description of each of the following types of clouds. Do they match yours from the other page?
6. **Cirrus:** \_\_\_\_\_
7. **Stratus:** \_\_\_\_\_
8. **Cumulus:** \_\_\_\_\_

