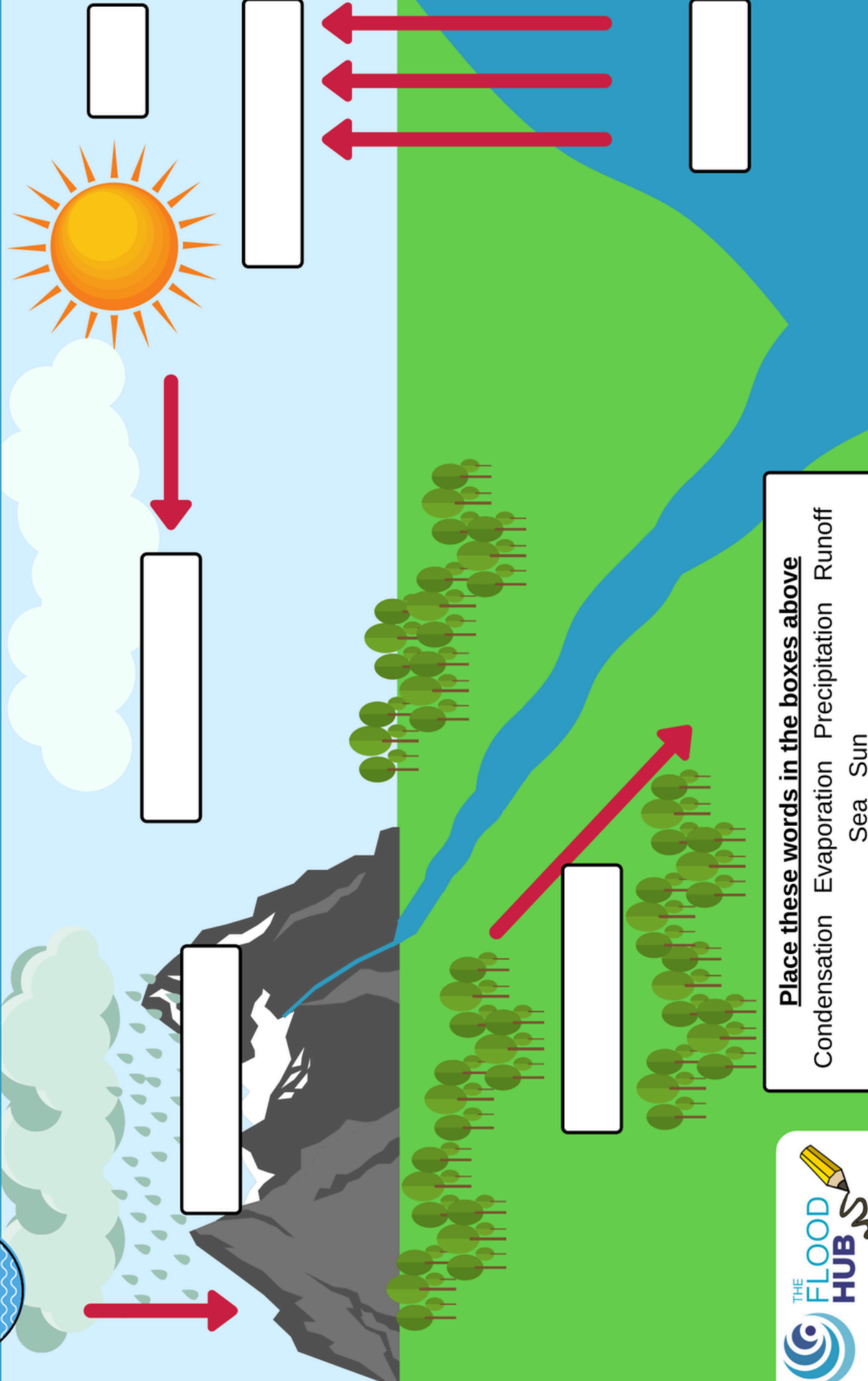


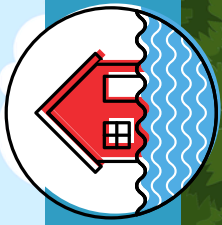
WORKSHEET: THE WATER CYCLE



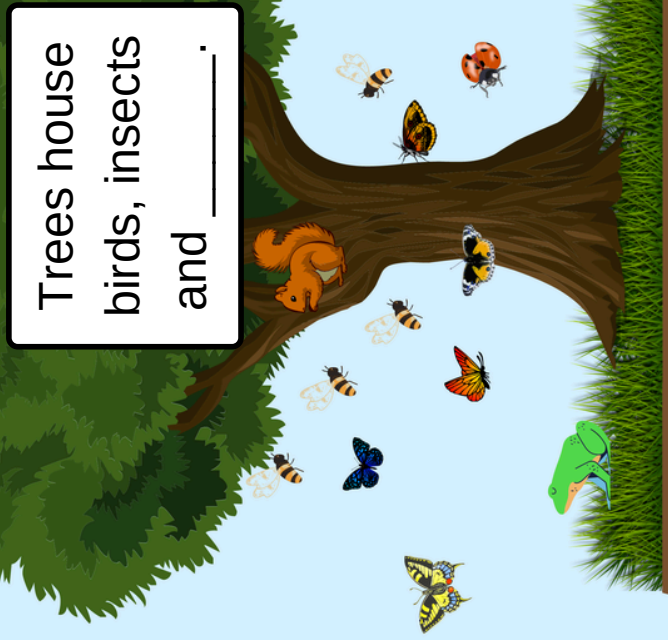
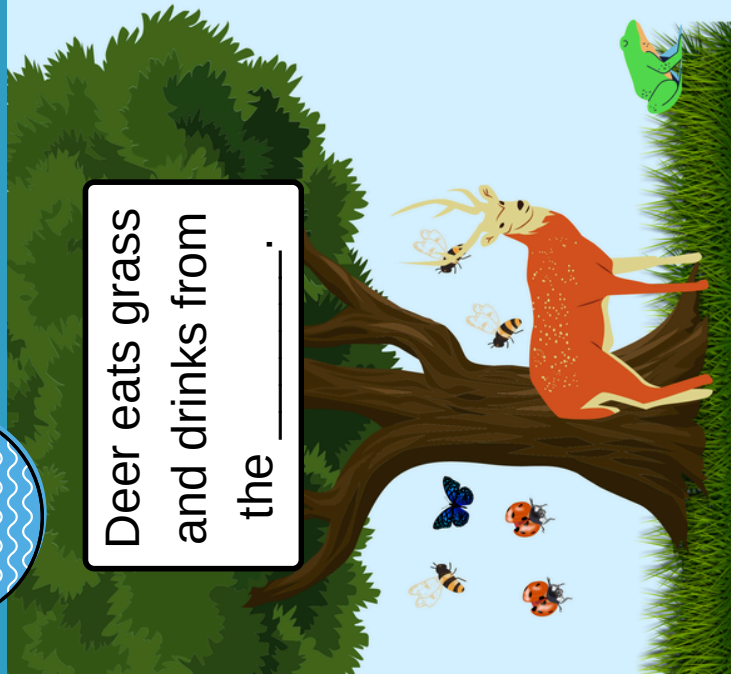
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- Condensation
- Evaporation
- Precipitation
- Runoff
- Sea
- Sun

WORKSHEET: BASIC RIVER ECOSYSTEM

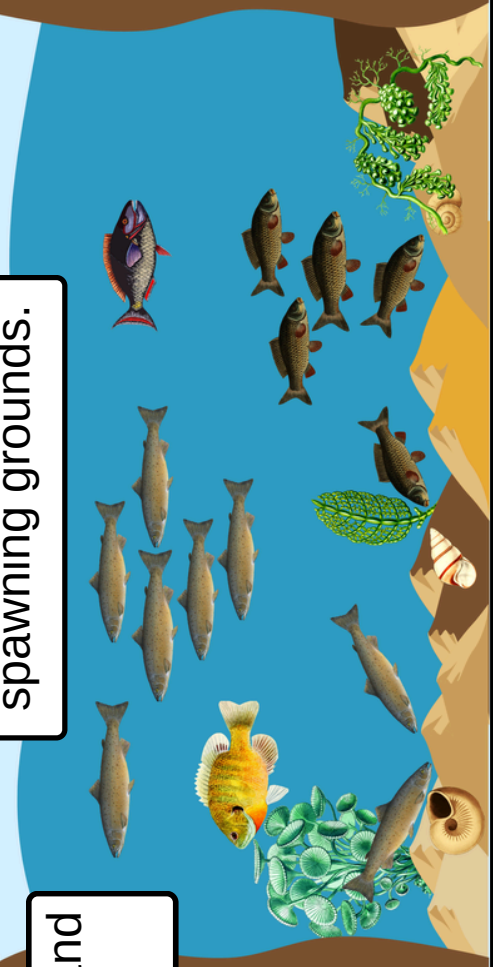


Deer eats grass and drinks from the _____.



Trees house birds, insects and _____.

_____ lay eggs in spawning grounds.



The ground absorbs _____ and the grass and plants _____.

Insects _____ in the grass.

Frogs eat insects which live in the _____.

Tree roots stabilise the river bank and help to reduce _____.

Fish eat _____ and smaller fish.

Place these words in the boxes above
Rainfall Erosion Live Grass
Fish Squirrels River Grow Plants



QUIZ: WHY RIVERS ARE IMPORTANT

Answer the following questions based on today's lesson.

1. Name 3 reasons why rivers are important? (The students can choose either of the following or another valid reason)
2. What role do rivers play within the water cycle?
3. What is the name given to the area in which all the rain that falls drains to the same river?
4. River beds, banks and floodplains contain lots of nutrients and minerals. How do they get there?
5. What is a river ecosystem?
6. How does a beaver help to reduce flood risk?