## **Water Cycle**

Complete the passage using appropriate words or phrases from the word box.

	percolates	evaporates	runoff	transportation	
	rain	water cycle	condenses	precipitate	
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On the other hand, if precipitation falls as	back to				
the Earth, it may fall into a waterbody or onto land. Some of it is returned to the					
atmosphere by evaporation. Water	the soil by moving				
through the surface. Some of it	deeper through the layers				
of the soil, reaching the groundwater due to the gravitational force. The groundwater					
can intersect with surface streams, appear as springs, or flow downhill toward the					

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ocean. Some groundwater is absorbed by the plants, and it evaporates into the atmosphere in a process called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The precipitation that does not soak into the soil but moves on the Earth's surface toward streams is called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Runoff raises the levels of river a precipitation of the precipi

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