



## Story B

### Run-Off

I am inside the rain which has fallen on a mountain side.

The rain runs down the mountain side.

I reach a stream and flow down to a river.

The river flows down to the Ocean and I am released into the Ocean.

## Story A

### Domestic Water

I am inside the rain which has been collected.

I am now in a water collection point for household water.

I travel down a tap into a house.

I am used in a bath before a child's bedtime.

I get released down the plug hole into the water disposal system.

I travel along pipes and am released back into the Ocean.

## Story D

### Deep Underground

I am taken deep under the surface and fall into spaces between the rocks. These spaces can store water for ages.

I think I might be here for some time before I eventually get soaked back up and returned to the cycle and ending up in the Ocean again.

## Story C

### Ground Water

I am inside the rain which falls on a field. I get soaked down under the earth:

- sometimes near the surface (go to Story E) or sometimes deep underground. (go to Story D)

I eventually end up back in the Ocean.

## Story F

### Respiration

I find myself under the grass.

The roots of the grass pull me up into the blades of the grass.

A cow comes along and eats me.

I get released when the cow breathes out.

#### **Respiration.**

I get caught up in a cloud and travel around the water cycle again, and eventually end up back in the Ocean.

You could tell this story with a cabbage being eaten by a human. What happens to the water droplet then?

## Story E

### Transpiration

The Ground Water has left me near the surface, under a tree. The tree's roots pull me up, through the inside of the tree to the leaves.

I help the leaves to make glucose and oxygen (photosynthesis)

The water not needed for photosynthesis is released from the leaves into the air as **transpiration.**

I get caught up in a cloud and travel around the water cycle again, and eventually end up back in the Ocean