

5. Water Cycle

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(Chorus)

The water cycle – it goes around and round
The water cycle – keeps going up and down
The water cycle – it goes around and round,
It goes around and round and round

Evaporation, condensation, precipitation
Keeps going round and round
Evaporation, condensation, precipitation
Keeps going round and round, and round

Evaporation – Happens first
The sun heats surface waters of the earth
The water's changed to a gas right there
Gets lighter and rises into the air

Condensation – Is when the gas
Gets cooled in the upper atmosphere
Turns liquid or solid, forming clouds
And, yo, it might start falling down

Precipitation – Is when the clouds
Get liquids or solids all around
The particles get heavy and grow
Then fall as rain, hail, sleet or snow

Repeat Chorus
The water cycle it keeps going round and round and round