The Sky is Falling!

A Cross-Curricular Unit on the Weather

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Understanding What You Read



Answer the following questions about the story.

- 1. What things combine in the clouds to make snowflakes?
- 2. What is added to ice crystals to make hail? ______
- 3. What are very small drops of rain called? _____

Tell Your Own Story



Design your own snowflake. It can be any shape or size, but it should have only six sides. Cut out your snowflake and hang it in the classroom to make your own winter wonderland. A sample snowflake is shown below to help you get started.



Map Moments



Follow the directions using the map below.

- 1. It is December. It is snowing very hard in Ohio and Indiana.
 - a. Find Ohio on the map. Color it red.
 - b. Find Indiana on the map. Color it green.
 - c. In what direction is Indiana from Ohio?
- 2. It is now raining in Alabama.
 - a. Find Alabama on the map. Color it blue.
 - b. In what direction is Alabama from Indiana? _____



