

# LAND, WATER AND AIR

# What Makes Up the Earth?

Earth is made of land, water, and air. Earth has more water than land.



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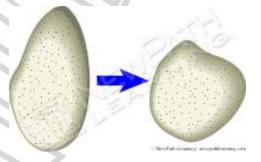


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Water and ice causes weathering.

Weathering can change the size of a rock, the shape of a rock, and even the color of the rock!



Weathering can change a rock from being rough to being smooth.



Erosion can also change land.

Erosion is when water and wind move rocks and soil.

For example, erosion can make a beach smaller. Wind and water can move sand away from a beach.



before erosion



after erosion

#### How Do We Use Air?

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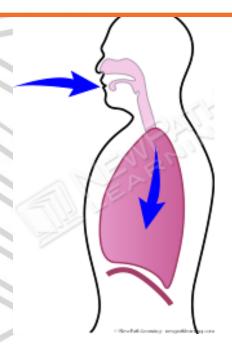
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### **How Do We Use Water?**

All living things need water to live too.



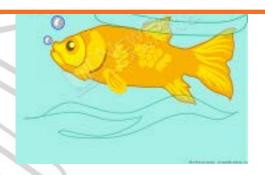
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Plants use water to grow.

There are two kinds of water found on Earth: saltwater and freshwater. Animals and people need to drink freshwater in order to live. We can't drink saltwater.

Oceans are made up of saltwater.



Many animals live in saltwater in the ocean.



## **Water Cycle**

The movement of the Earth's water is called the water cycle.

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