

Weather Vocabulary Starter 2008-2009

Using the word bank below and your Earth Science Glossary, match the words with their correct definitions.

air mass	air pressure	anemometer	barometer	cyclone
dew point	front	isobar	isotherm	meteorology
precipitation	psychrometer	relative humidity	saturated	transpiration

	The weight of the overlying air.
	A low pressure center.
	Instrument used to measure air pressure.
	Any form of water that falls to the earth.
	The temperature at which condensation occurs.
	Filled with water.
	Lines connecting points of equal pressure.
	Lines connecting points of equal temperature.
	The study of weather.
	Instrument used to measure wind speed.
	Instrument used to measure relative humidity and dew point.
	The percentage of the air that is filled with water.
	A large body of air with similar characteristics throughout.
	Release of water from plants.
	An interface (boundary) between two air masses.