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Getting Ready to Read: *Drinking Cleopatra's Tears*

1. Before reading the book *Drinking Cleopatra's Tears*, read each sentence below.
2. If you agree with the sentence, write an "A" on the line before the sentence.
3. If you disagree with the sentence, write a "D" on the line before the sentence.
4. After you read the book, see if your ideas have changed. Be ready to explain your thinking.

_____ New water forms on Earth every few years.

_____ Dinosaurs may have drunk the same water you bathe in.

_____ If all the water vapor in the atmosphere condensed, it would cover the whole Earth.

_____ Air is always dry.

_____ Your body is made of water.

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Multiple Meaning Words: *Drinking Cleopatra's Tears*

Some words can mean more than one thing. For each word in the table:

1. Read the sentence from *Drinking Cleopatra's Tears* that uses the word.
2. Read the two meanings the word can have.
3. Decide which meaning the word has in the sentence from the book and circle that meaning.

Word	Sentence from the book	Meaning 1	Meaning 2
hard	Did you know that water can be hard as rock?	not easily broken	difficult
rock	Did you know that water can be hard as rock ?	to swing back and forth	a stone
drops	The drops of liquid water you see all over the grass condensed from water vapor in the air.	small round blobs of something	lets something fall
cool	Condensation usually happens high off the ground, but every once in a while it gets cool enough near the ground for water vapor to condense, and fog is formed.	interesting	a low temperature

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Synthesizing Ideas About Water on Earth

1. Read the question below.
2. In the first four boxes, record big ideas from each source that help you answer the question.
3. Connect ideas together to come up with a new understanding that answers the question.
4. Record your new understanding in the box below the arrow.

How can water from Cleopatra's tears be on Earth today?

Source: <i>Drinking Cleopatra's Tears</i> Ideas:
Source: Freshwater and Saltwater Drops Investigation Ideas:
Source: Condensation Investigations (ice water in a cup, frozen empty cup, ice water in a cup in a bag) Ideas:



New understanding:

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Reading Reflection: *Drinking Cleopatra's Tears*

How can a puddle turn into a cloud?

How does water move around Earth?

What in the book was interesting to you? Why?

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Daily Written Reflection

What did you read in *Drinking Cleopatra's Tears* that was surprising to you?
Why was it surprising?

Make a drawing if it helps you explain your thinking. Label your drawing.

