

Weather Study Guide Key

I. Vocabulary

Precipitation

Humidity

Temperature

Weather

II. Identification

Possible answers given

Rain – Water that falls from the sky in the form of a liquid

Hail – A small ball of ice

Sleet – Water that is halfway between rain and snow

Snow – Frozen water vapor that falls from the sky

III. Open-Ended Response

Explain the weather conditions on a typical day in your community.

Answers will vary based on community. Should include temperature, humidity, precipitation, and wind.

Describe similarities and differences between each type of precipitation.

All forms of precipitations fall from clouds in the sky. Rain is the only type that is a liquid. Hail, sleet, and snow are all frozen or partially frozen.