

Dear Cashmere,

I hope all of you that did something special for VE day had a great time and learnt why the day was important.

First, well done to NH for getting pupil of the week for working on his cooking skills - baking VE day scones and making his family spaghetti bolognaise for dinner.



It seems that a few more of you have also been cooking, which is super, as it is such a good skill to have, I'm just disappointed that I can't sample any of your bakes. As well as NH, LN has also been making scones and cupcakes. If you want a cooking challenge this week, why not have a go at making some bread - the kneading is a great workout for your arms!



It has also been great to see all the work you are doing on Ancient Egypt, here is JH with his sarcophagus and mummy that he made. FS has also drawn a fantastic picture of one of the Egyptian gods - can any of you work out which one it is?



So far HM is the only one from Cashmere to create his own poster for the NHS, inspired by the ones Mrs de Roeck's friend made. It would be amazing if some more of you would have a go at doing one, as we will put them on the school website and possibly send the pictures of them off to the NHS. You can either email them straight to Mrs de Roeck, or to me via purple mash and I will pass them on.



This week I have finally managed to get my target out of the garage so have been able to get my bow out and practice some archery in my garden. Don't worry, I've made sure Luna is well out of the way! What have you all been doing for exercise?



Stay safe
Love Miss Chapman

This week, I would like everyone (where possible) to:

- 1) Log on to Purple Mash as often as you can, check for 2Do's and, if you would like, send me an email.

- 2) **Maths:** - Practice your times tables.
- Log on to the Oak Academy and have a go at the maths lessons.
<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-4/#subjects>
And/Or
- You could alternate Have a go at some of the BBC bitesize lessons.

- 3) **English:**
- Log on to <https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb> and work on your spellings for the week - there will be new ones set EVERY week!
Well done to SD who is this week's class top speller! To JH and DR who are 2nd and 3rd this week, and to all of you who have been on spelling shed as (at the time of writing this letter) Cashmere are this week's top class!
- Check for 2Dos on Purple Mash.

- 4) **Science**
- See information and activity below, on evaporation and condensation.

- 5) Have a go at learning a new game that you have never played before. You could try: a new card game (like knock out whist, canasta or ultimate snap), a board game (chess, draughts or monopoly) or even invent your own game.

- 6) Finally, please remember to keep reading as much as you can!



Evaporation and condensation

Liquids and gases can be changed from one state to another by heating or cooling.

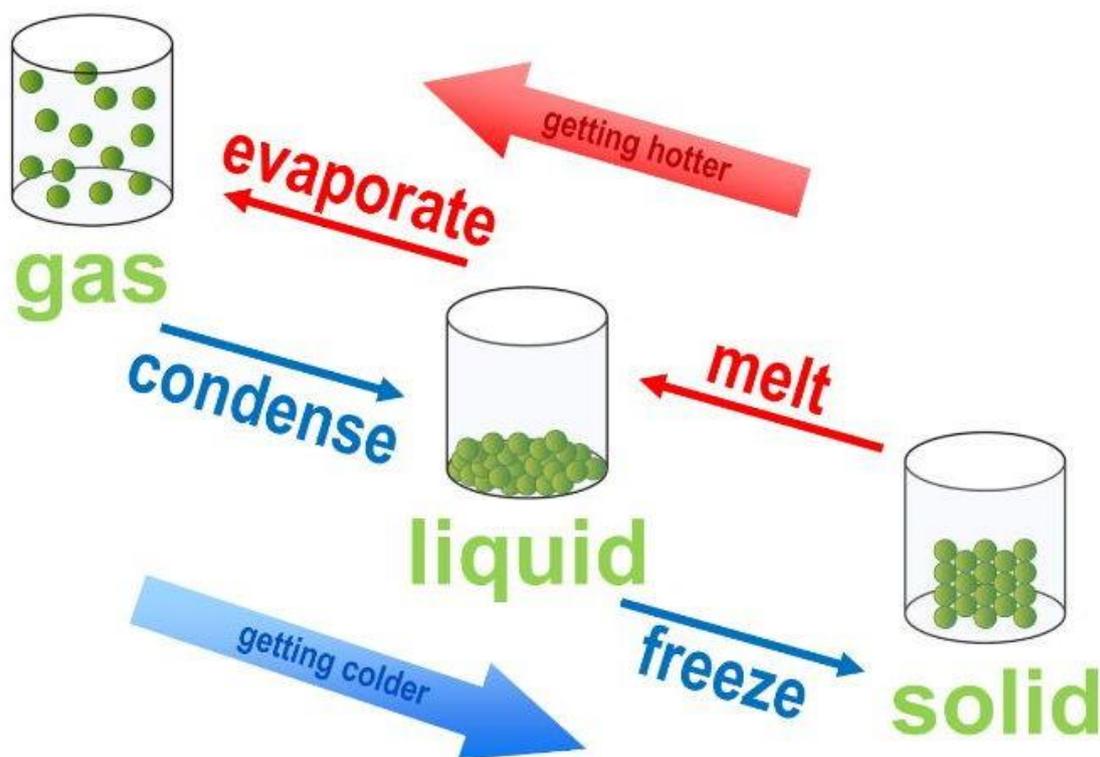
Heat can turn a liquid into a gas and cooling can cause a gas to turn to a liquid.

Heating

If water (liquid) is heated, it changes to water vapour (gas). This change is called evaporation.

Cooling

If water vapour (gas) is cooled down, it changes into water (liquid). This change is called condensation.



Challenge: Does temperature affect how fast water evaporates?

Can you create a fair test to find an answer?

- remember, to make it a fair test you must only change one variable (thing, e.g. amount, time, temperature).

- You could use the fair test sheet on Purple Mash to help.