Types of Clouds







Cirrocumulus Cirrostratus

Cirrus

Puffy, patchy, wave-like.

Thin, large coverage, grey or white.

Thin, wispy, ice crystals.



Altocumulus

Light grey, consistent sky coverage.



Altostratus

Puffy, patchy, lots of spaces between.



Stratus

Fog clouds. Consistent coverage.



Nimbostratus

Dark grey, rain.



Cumulus

Puffy, cotton-ball appearance.



Cumulonimbus

Large, dark bases with tall towers and thunder.



Stratocumulus

Rolling, puffy, irregularly spaced.

We have prepared an activity/ worksheet. Use this infographic to find out interesting facts about the sky.