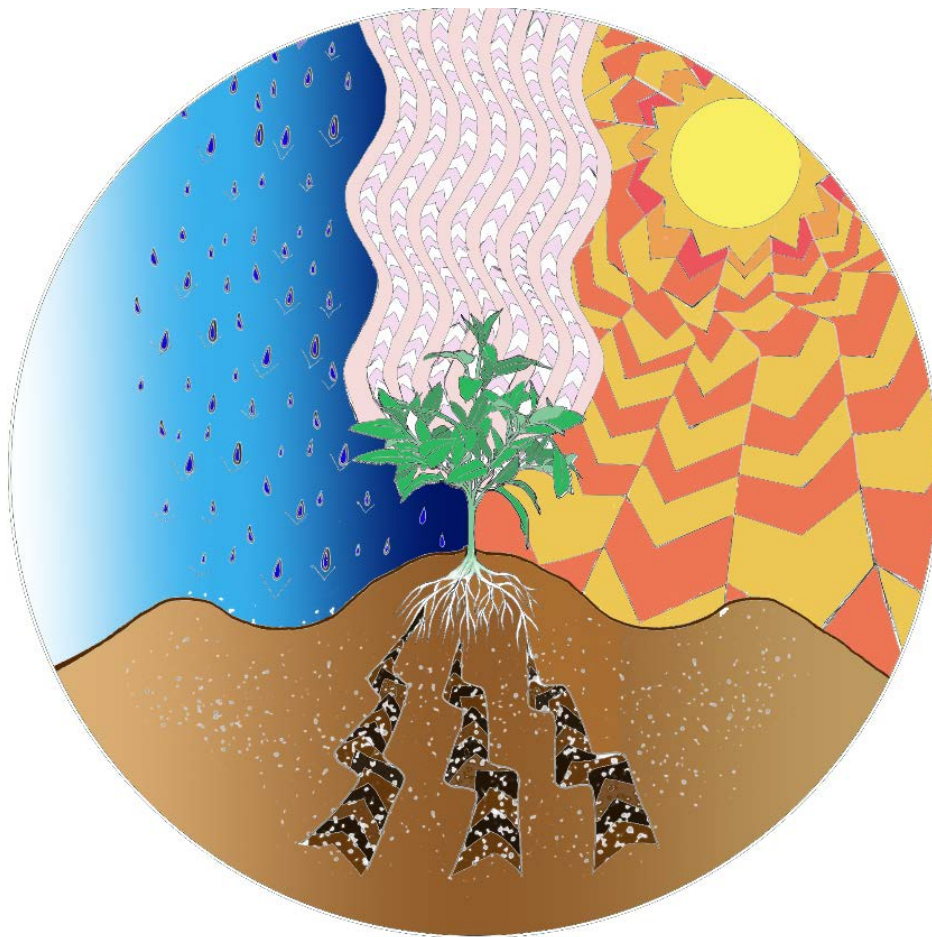


SOIL CYCLES: INPUTS & OUTPUTS

Think about the many natural components that interact with soil. Examples include water, sunlight, minerals and nutrients, and air. Can you think of others?

How and when do these components enter soil? How and when do they leave the soil? As an example, water may enter the soil from rainfall and then be drawn out of the soil from plant roots.

How do these components interact with each other in the soil? How do they interact with soil life?



Extender Activity:

Create and perform a dance inspired by the movement and interactions of a component in the soil.

