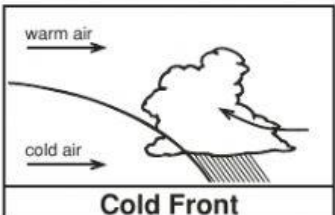
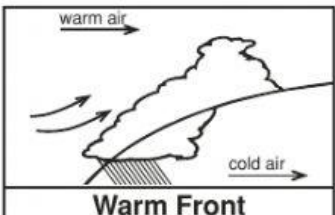


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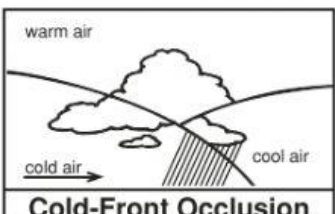
A *front* is a boundary between air masses of different temperatures. Most weather events occur along fronts. Each picture below shows a type of front. Cut out the facts and symbols at the bottom of the page. Then match each fact and symbol with the picture it describes. When you are sure of your answers, glue each fact in place.



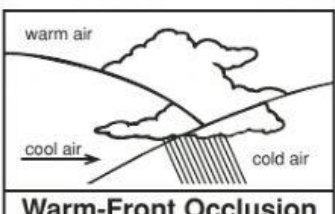
Cold Front



Warm Front



Cold-Front Occlusion



Warm-Front Occlusion

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Moving cold air meets cool air at a warm front. This keeps the warm air mass off the ground.	Moving warm air passes over cold air.
Moving cold air slides under warm air.	
	Periods of moderate precipitation result.
Light, steady precipitation results.	
	Moving cool air meets cold air at a warm front. This keeps the warm air mass off the ground.
Light precipitation may result.	Heavy precipitation results.

