Graphic on a Slide Activity

- **Overview**
  - You'll create a slide using a visual explanation that you find on the internet.
- **Objectives**
  - Locate and evaluate the suitability of online visuals for presentation slides
  - Save an image file from a web page
  - Insert an image file into a presentation slide
  - Resize visual to fill most of the screen
- **Instructions**
  - Suppose that you're teaching about the earth's water cycle, where water evaporates from the ocean and forms clouds, then falls to the earth as rain, then is collected in rivers and flows back to the ocean. You're looking for a suitable visual.
  - Things to consider include:
    - the visual should not have so much detail that it's hard to see on the slide
    - the visual should fill the lower 2/3 of the slide without "jaggies", so should be at least 500 px wide, more would be better.
    - the visual should show the basic facts of the water cycle
  - Step by step instructions
    - search for "water cycle" at images.google.com. Change the search options to search for "large images", so you'll find images that will mostly fill the slide.
    - when you find a good image, right-click (control-click) and save the image to your computer. You should also save the address of the web page where you got the image for attribution later. To see the URL of the web page, you can click the "close frame" button. You can save the URL in a word document.
    - Open your slide presentation program (Powerpoint, Keynote, etc). Create a new slide, and insert the graphic file you saved on your computer.
    - Resize and position the graphic as needed.
    - Create a text box below the graphic, and paste in the URL for the graphic. Change the font size of the text box to be very small (this is just to keep track of the origin of the graphic should you need that info later).
    - Create a text box above the graphic, and write in a full sentence assertion for the slide.