# Cloud Spotting

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#### Cirrus Clouds

Cirrus clouds are wispy and hair-like, and are found very high up. They are often seen when it is sunnier, and can be bright white during the day.

### Nimbostratus Clouds

Nimbostratus clouds are thick, dark clouds which will completely block out the sun. They have no particular features, and are relatively low in the atmosphere.

#### Cumulus Clouds

Cumulus clouds are individual, and detached and can look like little cauliflowers. They can often be whiter at the top then greyer towards the bottom.

#### Stratus Clouds

Stratus clouds are very low lying, and are what make up mist and fog. They are fairly grey/white and uniform throughout, and also can form light rain.

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