



Science

Vocabulary Readers

# Lightning!

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## Chapter 1

# What Is Lightning?



**Lightning** zigs! Lightning zags! This book will tell you all about these bright flashes in the sky.



### Fast Fact

There are about nine million lightning strikes in the world every day.

Bolt of lightning

Lightning is a giant spark. This spark is made inside a cloud. Zap! A **bolt** of lightning can go all the way down to the ground!