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| **IB Geography – The Atmospheric System** |

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| Your diagram from memory here |

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| Starter: Complete the sentence below using the key words in the box underneath. |
| IB Essay Killer Opening Statement (copy and complete)  The atmosphere is an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ system, receiving radiation from both the sun and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The energy of the earth is very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but it does have an effect in particular in urban climates. Incoming solar radiation is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  The main energy that drives all of our weather systems and our climate comes from the sun. The vast majority of this energy is absorbed at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ whereas energy is generally lost in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ regions. However, this energy is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to higher latitudes by wind and air \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  **Choose from this key word list**  **circulations open insolation earth equator redistributed polar small** |

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| Task 1 - Key Word | Definition |
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| Task 2 - Using the PDF document on ibgeographypods, make a copy of the diagram on the first page and use the text underneath it to make annotated (around the diagram) notes on how the energy budget works and transfers at each stage. |
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