

Today's Vocabulary

Describe the weather or the season. How does the person feel? Use the nouns, verbs and adjectives below to complete the sentences.

	<p>1. It is <u>windy</u>.</p> <p>Her _____ is blowing away.</p>		<p>2. It is _____.</p> <p>The _____ isn't out today.</p>
	<p>3. It is _____.</p> <p>I don't like humidity.</p>		<p>4. I hate _____.</p> <p>It's too <u>cold</u>.</p>
	<p>5. It is _____.</p> <p>Be careful driving.</p>		<p>6. It's not _____ hard.</p> <p>It's just _____.</p>
	<p>7. It is _____.</p> <p>I can't see very well.</p>		<p>8. It is _____.</p> <p>It's funny to see ice in the <u>summer</u>.</p>
	<p>9. There is a _____.</p> <p>Stay indoors.</p>		<p>10. The _____ says 100°.</p> <p>It's too _____.</p>
	<p>11. The weather forecast looks bad.</p> <p>They're calling for _____.</p>		<p>12. Look at the _____.</p> <p>It's below average for _____.</p>

Weather Adjectives

windy, cloudy, cold, humid,
icy, foggy, hot

Weather Verbs

drizzling, hailing,
raining

Weather Nouns

summer, winter,
autumn, umbrella, tornadoes, temperature,
thermometer, sun, hurricane

Questions and Answers

Practice asking and answering questions using complete sentences. Use the words in brackets to help you.

1. Fall

What season is it? _____ (fall/autumn)

What's the temperature? _____ (30° F)

How does it feel outside? _____ (windy)

What should I wear? _____ (jacket)



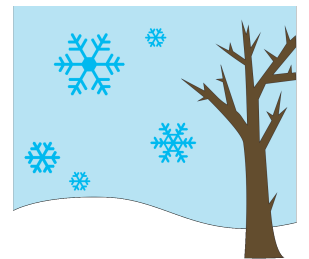
2. Winter

What season is it? _____ (winter)

What's the temperature? _____ (below freezing)

How does it feel? _____ (very cold)

What should I wear? _____ (winter coat and a hat)



3. Your Choice of Season

What is your favorite season? _____ (your choice)

Do you like being indoors or outdoors? _____ (your choice)

What weather do you dislike? _____ (your choice)

What do you do when it's raining? _____ (your choice)

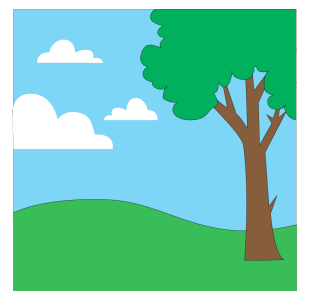
4. Summer

What season is it? _____ (summer)

What's it like out? _____ (too hot)

Is it sunny? _____ (yes, wear sunscreen)

Is there any shade? _____ (yes, trees)



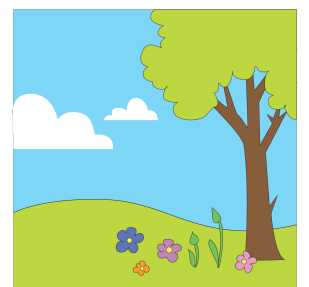
5. Spring

_____ ? It's spring.

_____ ? It's quite warm.

_____ ? No, you don't need a jacket.

_____ ? Yes, there's a chance of rain.



Work in Pairs – Student A: Find out the missing information by asking your partner. Work together to make sentences using this information.

Name	Weather	Location	Season	Feeling
1. Tom		parade	winter	
2. Silvia	above seasonal			cool
3. Ben	humid		summer	
4. Kara	rainy	school		
5. Joey		farm	fall	
6. Mom	cloudy			cool
7. Lars		park	autumn	
8. Sara	humid	garden		
9. Eve		ice rink	winter	
10. Lily	foggy	car		

Work in Pairs – Student B: Find out the missing information by asking your partner. Work together to make sentences using this information.

Name	Weather	Location	Season	Feeling
1. Tom	snowy			freezing
2. Silvia		festival	winter	
3. Ben		cottage		hot
4. Kara			autumn	cool
5. Joey	sunny			comfortable
6. Mom		beach	summer	
7. Lars	drizzling			wet
8. Sara			summer	hot
9. Eve	stormy			cold
10. Lily			spring	nervous

Questions about Weather: Practice asking and answering questions about the weather.

What's it like out?

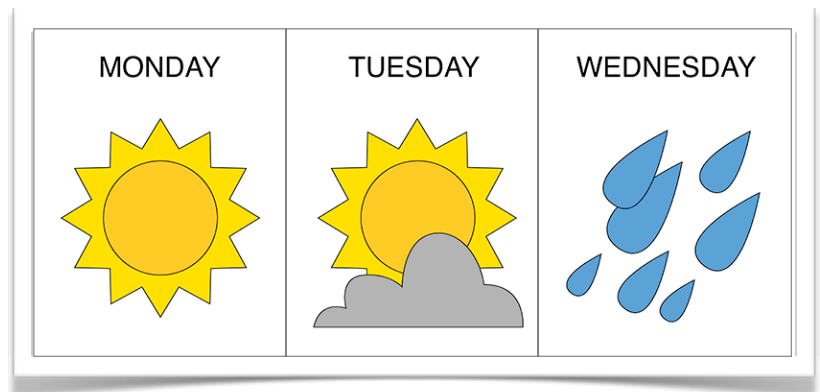
How's the weather?

Is it hot outside?

Do I need a coat/sunscreen/hat?

Have you checked the forecast?

What's the temperature?



Describing Weather: Using Adjectives

It is cool.

It is rainy.

It is sunny.

It is warm.

It is stormy.

It is windy.

Describing Weather: Using Verbs

It is raining.

It is drizzling.

It is snowing.

It is hailing.

It is going to rain.

It's supposed to snow.

Describing Weather: Using Nouns

It is 20 degrees outside.

There is a thunderstorm.

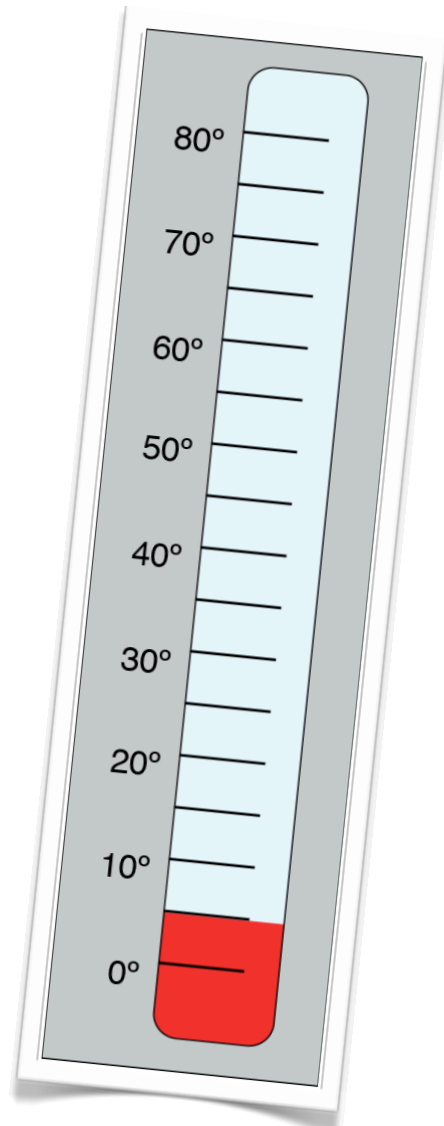
There is a snowstorm.

There is a hurricane.

There is a 20% chance of precipitation.

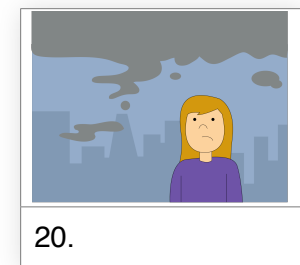
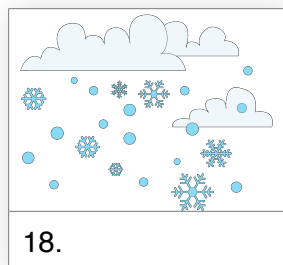
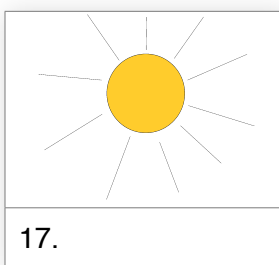
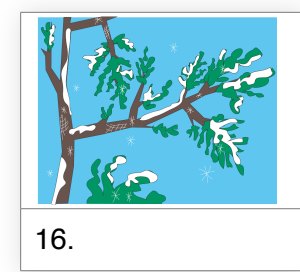
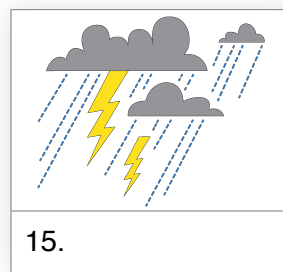
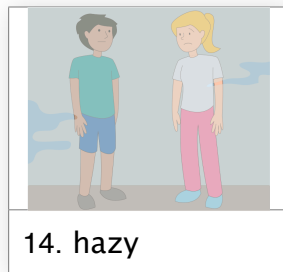
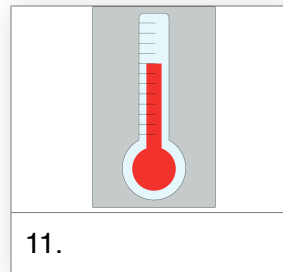
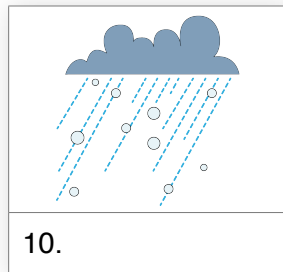
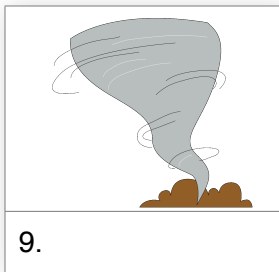
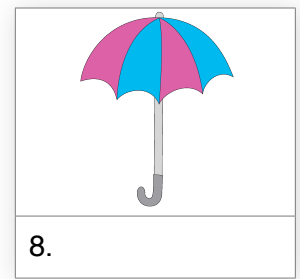
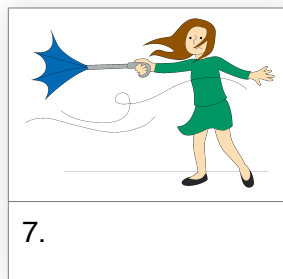
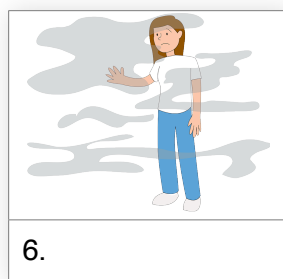
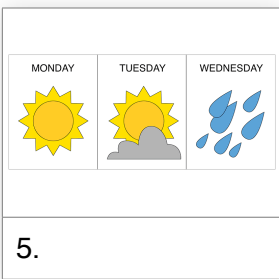
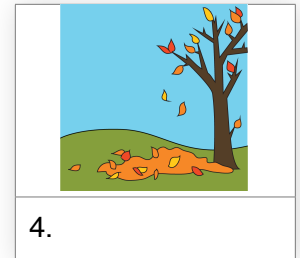
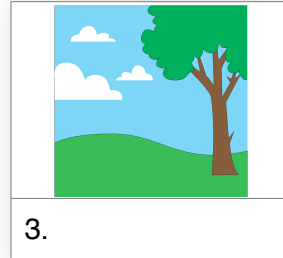
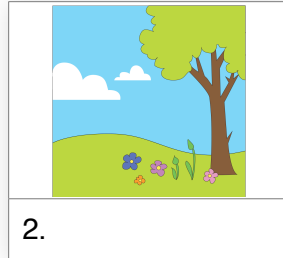
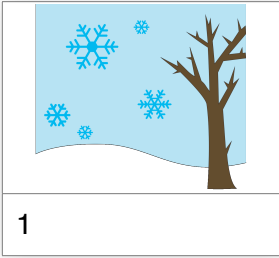
*They are calling for sunshine.

**They* refers to weather forecasters.



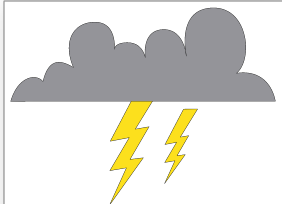
Weather Picture Dictionary

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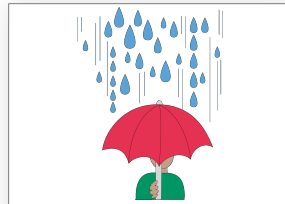


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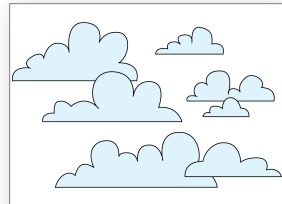
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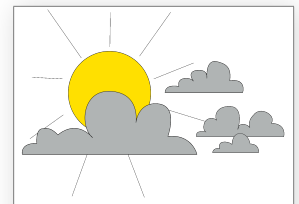
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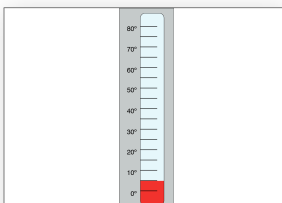
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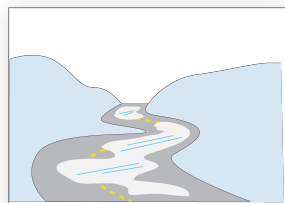
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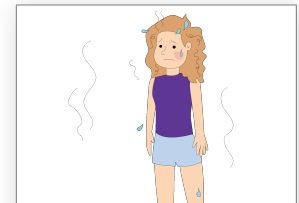
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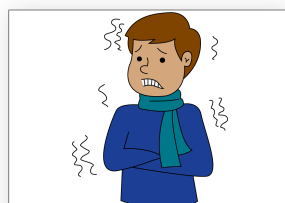
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Teacher's Notes

Lesson Description: Students learn weather vocabulary through various writing and speaking activities. They also practice question formation and learn how to use verbs, nouns, and adjectives to describe the weather.

Page 1

1. It is windy. Her umbrella is blowing away.
2. It is cloudy. The sun isn't out today.
3. It is humid. I don't like humidity.
4. I hate winter. It's too cold.
5. It is icy. Be careful driving.
6. It's not raining hard. It's just drizzling.
7. It is foggy. I can't see very well.
8. It is hailing. It's funny to see ice in the summer.
9. There is a hurricane. Stay indoors.
10. The thermometer says 100 degrees. It's too hot.
11. The weather forecast looks bad. They're calling for tornadoes.
12. Look at the temperature. It's below average for autumn.

Page 2

Fall

It is fall.

It's 30 degrees Fahrenheit.

It's windy.

Put on a jacket/You should wear a jacket.

Winter

It's winter/wintertime.

It's below freezing.

It's very cold out.

Wear a winter coat and a hat.

Your Choice (answers will vary)

My favorite season is _____

I like being _____.

I don't like _____. (rain/wind/storms)

I _____ when it's raining.

Summer

It's summer.

It's too hot out.

Yes, it's sunny. Put on/wear sunscreen.

Yes, there is shade under the trees.

Spring

What season is it?

How does it feel outside?

Do I need a jacket?

Is it going to rain?

Page 3 and 4 Pair Activity

Refer to the Answer Key on page 10.

Model possible spoken/written sentences, e.g., It is snowy. Tom is at a parade in winter. He is freezing.

Page 5 Expressions

Go over these expressions with your students. Tell them that they can use these sentences in the following exercise on page 6.

Page 6 Class Survey

Have the students complete the survey by talking to their classmates.

Page 7 and 8 Picture Dictionary Answers

(Answers may vary)

1. winter
2. spring
3. summer
4. fall/autumn
5. forecast
6. foggy
7. windy
8. umbrella
9. tornado
10. hail
11. thermometer
12. sunscreen
13. hot
14. hazy
15. thunderstorm
16. frost
17. sunny
18. snowy
19. blizzard
20. smog
21. lightning
22. raining
23. cloudy
24. partly cloudy
25. temperature
26. icy
27. hurricane
28. humid
29. drizzling
30. cold

Spelling Note: This lesson shows the American spelling of the word *Favorite*. Most other English-speaking countries spell it this way: *Favourite*. Make it a challenge for your students to find this word in the lesson and see if they know the alternate spelling.

Pair Work Answer Key

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Weather and Seasons

winter
spring
summer
fall/autumn
forecast
foggy
windy
umbrella
tornado
hail
raining
cloudy

partly cloudy
temperature
icy
hurricane
thermometer
sunscreen
hot
hazy
thunderstorm
frost
sunny
snowy

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