

PROPÓSITO:

Que el estudiante aprenda hablar sobre el clima, las estaciones y las prendas de vestir.

MOTIVACIÓN:

Match the types of weather to the pictures.
Example: 1 = rainy

cloudy sunny snowy rainy windy



Listen to five people describing the weather in the places in exercise 1.
Match the speakers a-e to the pictures 1-5.

Match the adjectives describing temperature to pictures 1-4.

hot cool warm freezing

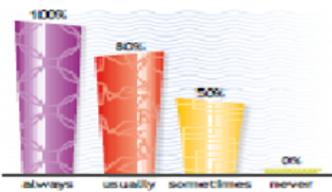


Describe the weather where you are today.

Example: I'm in Oxford. It's cold and rainy.

EXPLICACIÓN:

Look at the diagram. Find examples of frequency adverbs in the text in exercise 5.



Useful language

Look at the position of the adverb in affirmative and negative sentences.
 We usually go to the beach in the summer.
 We don't usually go to the beach in the summer.
 The negative form is used with *always* and *usually*.

Glossary

Don't confuse the words wear and carry.
 wear = llevar puesto
 carry = llevar (en sus manos)

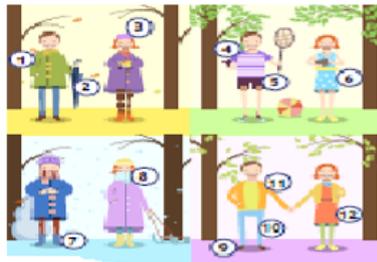
Read the Useful language box, then complete the sentences.

- People in Colombia _____ go on holiday in December.
- It _____ rains in the Atacama Desert.
- I _____ wear shorts in the snow.
- In Canada it _____ snows in the winter.
- In spring, the weather is _____ cold and rainy.

Focus on vocabulary

Match the words to the clothes 1-12.

- hat scarf coat jumper T-shirt
 shorts jeans skirt dress
 boots shoes umbrella



Listen

10. Listen to five people and say if the sentences are true (T) or false (F).

- Speaker 1 never carries an umbrella.
- Spring in Paris is usually cloudy and cool.
- Speaker 2 never wears a lot of clothes in winter.
- At the weekends, he goes to the mountains.
- Speaker 3 always wears a dress or a skirt and a T-shirt.
- Speaker 4 lives in Wellington where it's always windy.
- Speaker 5 is from Santa Marta, where it's usually cloudy and hot.
- He usually plays volleyball with his friends.

11. Tell a classmate about the clothes you wear for different types of weather.

Example: When it's rainy and cool, I wear a coat, a hat, boots, jeans and a jumper. I carry an umbrella.

Match the seasons in the box to the people. Then read the text and check your answers.

- spring summer autumn winter

WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE SEASON?

I'm Joanna and I'm from London. My favourite season is the summer. In July and August it's usually warm and sunny. Many people go to the beach on holiday. We always go to my grandparents' home near the sea. I love it!

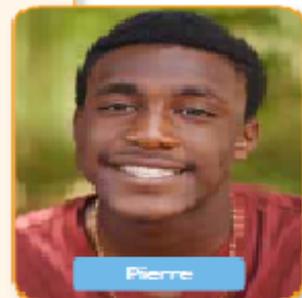
My name's Peter and I'm from Germany. I like autumn because the temperature is perfect. It's usually sunny, but it's never too hot. In September we usually go for long walks. The trees are full of fruit and the colours are just so beautiful!

I'm Mindy from Canada. Winter here is freezing with sub-zero temperatures. Usually, it's snowy and sometimes it's very windy. Many people like winter because they can do winter sports like skating, skiing, and snowboarding.

I'm from France and my name's Pierre. My favourite season is the spring because after the cold days of winter, it's warm again. Trees and bushes are full of blossom and people sometimes go on picnics.

Glossary

skating = patinar
 skiing = esquiar
 blossom = flor



Read the text again and answer the questions with the correct option A, B or C.

- What's the weather usually like in the summer in London?
 A. warm and rainy
 B. hot and sunny
 C. warm and sunny
- Why does Peter like autumn?
 A. It's too hot.
 B. It's not too hot or too cold.
 C. It's perfectly hot.
- Where and when do people go skating and skiing?
 A. In the winter in Germany.
 B. In the summer in Canada.
 C. In the winter in Canada.
- Why does Pierre like the spring?
 A. The temperature gets warm.
 B. He likes picnics.
 C. He's from France.

EJERCICIOS:

Read the text and answer the questions Yes (Y) or No (N). Correct the No answers.

Hi there. I'm Santiago. I'm 16 and I love music - it's my hobby. My favourite type of music is rock - I listen to it every day and there are a few bands that I follow - I'm crazy about them. There are other types of music that I like, but rock is my favourite. I don't like vallenato - it's boring.

Hi. My name's Jan and I'm 15 years old. Music is very important in my life. All my family loves playing and listening to music. My dad and I play the guitar together, but we have very different music taste. I enjoy listening to metal - I find it really exciting. My father loves classical music - he says it's relaxing.

Hi. I'm Annie. I always sing when I listen to music that I like. My favourite types of music are salsa and merengue. It's amazing - when I listen to that type of music I feel happy! Music plays a big role in my life because my mum is a music teacher and our whole family is musical. I play the piano and my sister plays the flute.

My name's Lola and I'm 14 years old. For me, music is an important part of my life - I like listening to it in my bedroom. I remember good times when I listen to music. I love pop music, but I can't stand listening to metal. Metal is annoying.



- Does Santiago only like rock music?
- Does he think vallenato music is boring?
- Does Jan play the same instrument as her dad?
- Does Jan's dad think classical music is exciting?
- Does Annie like more than one type of music?
- Does she play any instruments?
- Does Lola like listening to music in her bedroom?
- Does Lola think pop music is annoying?

Focus on vocabulary

Find five adjectives ending in -ing in the text. What do they describe?

Complete the sentences with the words below so they are true for you.

amazing annoying boring depressing exciting relaxing

- Pop music is ...
- Rock music is ...
- Classical music is ...
- Vallenato music is ...
- Reggae is ...

EVALUACIÓN:

Listen to an interview with a famous pop star and answer the questions with *Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't.*

- Does Tallulah know the title of her song?
- Does Tallulah write her own songs?
- Does she like doing concerts?
- Does her guitarist like doing concerts?
- Does Tallulah like answering questions?

Listen again and match the beginnings of the sentences with their endings.

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| a. Tallulah's fans are crazy about | 1. travelling. |
| b. Tallulah can't stand | 2. her fans. |
| c. Tallulah hates | 3. her. |
| d. Tallulah loves | 4. answering questions. |
| e. Tallulah doesn't like | 5. doing concerts. |

Useful expressions

be crazy about + -ing / noun
be mad about + -ing / noun
can't stand + -ing / noun
don't mind + -ing / noun
love / like / hate + -ing / noun

Read the *Useful expression* box. Then complete the sentences so they are true about you and your family.

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