7 GOING PLACES



1 **a** Work in pairs. Match the photos to the places and seasons.

1 in a city, in the country, in the mountains, on the beach
2 spring, summer, autumn, winter

b What do you notice about the photos? Which place do you like most? Why?

2 7.1 Listen to four people describing the places. Which place is each person talking about?



3 Complete A in the KEY VOCABULARY PANEL.

4 Discuss the questions with a partner.

- Where do you prefer to go on holiday: the city, the country, the mountains or the beach?
- Does it depend on the weather? Or the season?

In spring I like going to the mountains – it's usually warm and sunny, and the mountains are full of flowers.

5 7.2 Listen to a weather forecast for South America. Write the correct weather symbol(s), a–h, from A next to each town on the map above.

6 Work in pairs to complete B in the KEY VOCABULARY PANEL.

7 **a** Find four more adjectives in transcript 7.2 on page 164 to describe the weather. Can you use them to describe the climate in your home town?

b Work in pairs or small groups. Discuss the questions.

- What's the weather like where you live at the moment?
- Do you like this kind of weather? Why/Why not?

KEY VOCABULARY

The weather

A Match the words in **bold** to the weather symbols. Use a dictionary to help you.

1 It's **raining**. [b] 4 It's **windy** and **cloudy**. [ ][ ]
2 It's **cold**. [ ] 5 It's **sunny** and **warm**. [ ][ ]
3 It's **snowing**. [ ] 6 It's **hot**, really hot. [ ]



NOTICE TALKING ABOUT THE WEATHER

When we talk about the weather we use *it* + be:
It's cold. It's raining. It's cloudy.

B Look at the words in **bold** in transcript 7.2 on page 164. Use them to complete the thermometer.



NOTICE WEATHER ADJECTIVES

Some weather adjectives come from nouns:
rain → rainy *cloud → cloudy*
wind → windy *snow → snowy*

When a noun has one syllable and ends in consonant–vowel–consonant, we double the final consonant:
sun → sunny *fog → foggy*

When a noun ends in *-e*, we replace the *-e* with *-y*:
ice → icy

LIVEWORKSHEETS