

1 Write three items of clothing for each kind of weather.

sunny



rainy



snowy



2 Read and underline words related to the weather.  17

Does the Weather Affect Us?

The weather is very important in our lives.

Think about the following situations:

You want to go camping on the weekend. But on Friday night the weather forecast says it's going to rain on Saturday and Sunday. You're angry because you have to change your plans.

You wake up and the day is hot and sunny. Your family wants to go to the zoo. Suddenly, it gets cloudy and it starts to rain. You feel disappointed because you have to stay home.

You're having a picnic with friends. Suddenly, it gets very windy. All the plates and cups go flying away. Everybody starts running around picking up all the things. But you are happy — you can fly your kite now.

The weather affects our emotions. Some people can feel sad when it's cloudy, cold, or rainy for a long time. Lots of people feel happy and positive when it's sunny. The weather can change your plans, but that doesn't mean it's something bad. You can always make the best of the situation and adapt your plans. Can you think of examples of how the weather affects your mood?

► Write A, B, or C.

1. It's difficult to go camping .

A. when it rains

B. when you're angry

C. on Friday

2. On a windy day, .

A. everybody runs

B. you can't go out

C. you can fly kites

3. The weather can affect .

A. your mood

B. your clothes

C. your hobbies

4. A long period of cold weather can make people feel .

A. excited

B. sick

C. sad

5. People feel happy when .

A. it's sunny

B. they change plans

C. it's cloudy and rainy