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Our planet

Vocabulary

A

Weather

I can describe the weather.

- 1 Complete the adjectives that describe the weather in the pictures.

It's ¹thunder and ²c_____.It's ³s_____ and ⁴f_____.It's ⁵f_____ and ⁶i_____.It's ⁷s_____ and ⁸w_____.It's hot and ⁹s_____.It's cold and ¹⁰r_____.

- 2 Write the nouns for the adjectives in exercise 1.

1 thunder	5	9
2	6	10
3	7	
4	8	

- 3 Complete the text with the words below.

blow claps flashes raindrops storm clouds
sunshine thunderstorm

There was a terrible ¹_____ yesterday evening. We saw big, dark grey ²_____ in the distance. Then a strong wind started to ³_____ and it began to rain heavily – huge ⁴_____ fell from the sky. We got incredibly wet! There were ⁵_____ of lightning and loud ⁶_____ of thunder. It was quite scary. But then the storm passed and there was bright ⁷_____!

- 4 Number the adjectives in order from hottest (1) to coldest (7).

- cold hot sweltering cool
 mild warm freezing

- 5 Write the temperatures in words.

1 -5° It's minus five.2 26°C It's twenty-six degrees Celsius.3 -15° _____4 14°C _____5 -7°C _____6 32° _____

- 6 1.14 Listen to people describing the weather. Complete each sentence with one word from exercises 1, 2 or 3.

1 a It was rainy all morning.

b It was _____ in the afternoon.

2 a There was thick _____.

b There was _____ on the road.

3 a Most of the day the sky was _____.

b It was mild and _____.

4 a There was _____ on the grass.

b In the afternoon it was _____ and _____.

- 7 Write a paragraph describing the weather one day last week. Write 15–30 words.
