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# The hottest and coldest places

**A** Find sentence pairs about different kinds of weather.

I'm white.

I make the leaves fall from trees.

I can change things from dry to wet!

You only see me when the sun's behind you!

I come from grey clouds.

I come out when you go to bed.

Look carefully to see my seven colours.

When you see me, you can see stars, too.

You want me when you go sailing!

I only fall on really, really cold days.

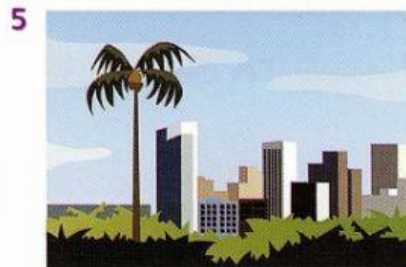
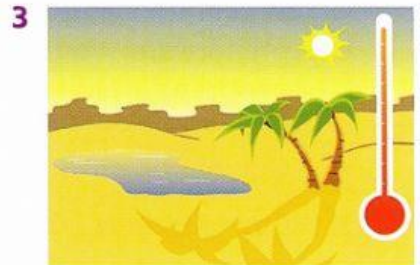
I'm hot, big and round.

No, you can't see me at night!

**B** Listen and write and say!

## Is it right to fly a kite at night?

**C** Complete the sentences with words from the box.



1 There's lots of ice in Antarctica. It's the coldest place in the world.

2 The ..... town is in India. It rains there a lot!

3 Africa is the ..... part of the world.

4 The ..... place is Antarctica, too. The wind there is really strong!

5 In Arizona, it's always dry and sunny! It's the ..... place the USA.

driest  
~~coldest~~  
sunniest  
wettest  
windiest  
hottest

**D** Choose words to complete the weather sentences.

**It is**  
**It was**

windy  
cloudy  
sunny  
hot  
cold

**today.**  
**yesterday.**

**It**  
**It**

is raining  
is snowing  
rained  
snowed

**today.**  
**yesterday.**

**E** Choose the correct words and write them on the lines.



**Animals in cold parts of the world**

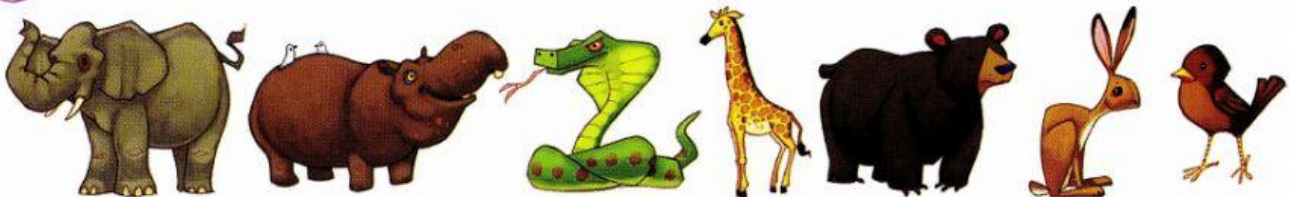
We don't see many animals in the coldest parts of the world, but polar bears, which are white, live in really cold places.

Example

- 1 Brown bears ..... when the weather is very cold.
- 2 ..... don't wake up or eat any food.
- 3 When the weather starts getting cold, some birds fly ..... hotter countries, but penguins are very happy in the snow!
- 4 Snowshoe rabbits are really clever!  
..... the weather's very cold and
- 5 there's snow on the ground, ..... animal's fur changes from brown to white!

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|---|-------|----------|--------|
|   | lived | live     | living |
| 1 | sleep | sleeping | sleeps |
| 2 | It    | They     | We     |
| 3 | by    | to       | at     |
| 4 | When  | Why      | Which  |
| 5 | those | all      | this   |

**F** Which are the tallest, strongest and cleverest animals?



**G** Let's write funny sentences!