

1. *Woman 1* So where do we want to go on our _____ ?
Woman 2 How about Istanbul?
Woman 1 Hmm . . . what's the weather like there in December? Is it _____ ?
Woman 2 Let's see what this website says. It's not really warm, no. It's _____
Woman 1 How cold? What does it say?
Woman 2 It can _____ to about five degrees in the winter.
Woman 1 Oh, that's _____ cold. Maybe we can go there another time.
2. *Man 1* So, how do you like Antigua?
Man 2 Oh I love it here.
Man 1 Do you like the weather?
Man 2 I do. It's not rainy, and it's _____ and warm.
Man 1 Well, it is the dry season. Our dry season starts around _____ and ends in _____.
Man 2 And then the rains come?
Man 1 That's right. It _____ a lot in the summer, especially July.
Man 2 Well, I'm glad I'm here now. I _____ the rain.
3. *Woman 1* Are you excited about your year in Beijing?
Woman 2 Yes! I can't believe it. One year in China, studying Mandarin.
Woman 1 You're so lucky. What's the weather like in Beijing? Is it nice?
Woman 2 You know, I'm not sure. Let's check online.
Woman 1 OK. Wow, it's cold in the winter – _____ cold!
Woman 2 But it doesn't rain in the winter.
Woman 1 No, but what about snow?
Woman 2 Oh, of course. I go there in March. What's the weather like then?
Woman 1 Let's see. It says spring is _____ and _____
Woman 2 That's OK.
Woman 1 I can't wait to visit you!

Listening Think about the weather!

A  Listen to people talk about the weather in three cities. Which city is one of the people planning to visit? Circle the city.

1. Istanbul, Turkey It's _____ cold in the winter.
2. Antigua, Guatemala The _____ season is from November to April.
3. Beijing, China It's _____ and _____ in the spring.

B  Listen again. Complete the sentences with the correct words.