5C A city for all seasons

I'm leaving because the weather is too good. I hate London when it's not raining.
Groucho Marx, American actor

G present simple or present continuous? V the weather and seasons P places in London

1 VOCABULARY the weather and seasons

a Put the letters in the right order to make seasons.



1 pgrsin
spring



2 irntew



3 umrmes



4 untuam

b Complete the words. What's the weather like?

THE WEATHER AROUND THE WORLD

1 **Beijing**
It's f o g g y.

5 **Istanbul**
It's s _ _ _ _.

2 **Buenos Aires**
It's w _ _ _ _.

6 **London**
It's r _ _ _ _ _ _.

3 **Cairo**
It's h _ _.

7 **Moscow**
It's c _ _ _.

4 **Edinburgh**
It's sn _ _ _ _ _.

8 **Zurich**
It's cl _ _ _ _.

c Complete the sentences with the phrases in **b**.

1 The sky is grey today. *It's cloudy.*
2 Can you open the window, please? _____.
3 Take an umbrella. _____.
4 Look! Everything's white. _____.
5 The trees are moving. _____.
6 Slow down and turn on the lights. _____.
7 Let's go to the beach. _____.
8 Close the window. _____.

2 GRAMMAR present simple or present continuous?

a Circle the correct form.

1 A What time does the museum close?
B *It closes / It's closing* at 6 p.m., I think.

2 A What are you doing here?
B I'm on holiday. *I sightsee / I'm sightseeing.*

3 A Can you talk?
B No. *I have dinner / I'm having dinner.*

4 A Where *do they usually go / are they usually going* on holiday?
B To Ibiza.

5 A How often does your wife go abroad?
B *She travels / She's travelling* to Asia four times a year.

6 A *Does it rain / Is it raining* where you are?
B Yes, it's really wet here.

7 A What *does your girlfriend do / is your girlfriend doing?*
B She's a travel guide.

8 A *Do you work / Are you working* this week?
B No. I'm on holiday.

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