

El tiempo que hace: 30 palabras, y weather no es time

Ficha 3 de 4 · Ficha 3 · it's raining para lo de ahora · drizzle, a shower, a heatwave y thunder and lightning · the weather forecast · nombre o adjetivo: rain/rainy, wind/windy, fog/foggy · lo que hay que corregir escribiendo: Is raining, I have cold y the time was terrible · season frente a station · it snows every winter

LA REGLA

Una sola palabra, tiempo, te sirve para el reloj y para el cielo. El inglés usa dos: weather es lo que hace ahí fuera y time es la hora. Y del cielo se habla siempre con it: it's raining ahora mismo, it rains todos los inviernos.

¡Ojo! — el fallo típico. «Hoy hace mal tiempo» no es the time is bad, es the weather is bad. Cuidado también con estación, que en inglés son dos palabras: season es la del año y station la del tren. Y del frío no se dice I have cold ni it makes cold: es I'm cold, it's cold.

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Don't go out now — really hard.

☐ it rains ☐ is raining ☐ it's raining ☐ it rain

2 **Une cada situación con la palabra inglesa que le pega.**

a heatwave · a shower · drizzle · thunder and lightning

small drops falling softly for hours	
short rain that starts and stops again	
many very hot days one after another	
a bright flash and a loud noise together	

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The weather says it will be dry and sunny at the weekend.

4 **¿Nombre o adjetivo? Reparte.**

fog · foggy · rain · rainy · wind · windy

noun	adjective
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5 **Falta el sujeto. Escribe la frase bien.**

Is raining. Take your umbrella.

6 **El verbo está mal. Escribe la frase bien.**

I have cold. Can you close the window?

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7 **Una palabra está mal elegida. Escribe la frase bien.**

Yesterday the time was terrible: rain all day.

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Our train leaves from the at ten past nine.

☐ season ☐ stage ☐ station ☐ state

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Autumn is my favourite: not too hot and not too cold.

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In the mountains it every winter, but today the sky is clear.

☐ is snowing ☐ snow ☐ snowing ☐ snows

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- 1 Don't go out now — it's raining really hard.
- 2 small drops falling softly for hours → drizzle · short rain that starts and stops again → a shower · many very hot days one after another → a heatwave · a bright flash and a loud noise together → thunder and lightning
- 3 The weather forecast says it will be dry and sunny at the weekend.
- 4 noun: rain, wind, fog · adjective: rainy, windy, foggy
- 5 Is raining. Take your umbrella. → It's raining. Take your umbrella.
- 6 I have cold. Can you close the window? → I'm cold. Can you close the window?
- 7 Yesterday the time was terrible: rain all day. → Yesterday the weather was terrible: rain all day.
- 8 Our train leaves from the station at ten past nine.
- 9 Autumn is my favourite season: not too hot and not too cold.
- 10 In the mountains it snows every winter, but today the sky is clear.