

Il tempo che fa: 30 parole, e weather non è time

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LA REGLA

Una sola parola, tempo, ti serve per l'orologio e per il cielo. L'inglese ne usa due: weather è quello che fa là fuori e time è l'ora. E del cielo si parla sempre con it: it's raining proprio adesso, it rains ogni inverno.

¡Ojo! — el fallo típico. «Oggi fa brutto tempo» non è the time is bad, è the weather is bad. Attento a caldo, che assomiglia a cold ma vuol dire il contrario: caldo è hot e cold è freddo. E del freddo non si dice I have cold: si dice I'm cold.

1 La collocazione è sbagliata. Riscrivi la frase corretta.

There is a very strong rain in the north today.

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Put on your gloves and your hat: it's absolutely

..... out there.

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It was a winter: hardly any snow and never below zero.

☐ mild ☐ sweet ☐ light ☐ quiet

4 Con quale delle due forme va ogni espressione? Distribuisci.

at the moment · every winter · in November · listen to the roof! · look outside! · right now · twice a week · usually in spring

it rains	it's raining
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5 Il verbo del tempo è formato male. Riscrivi la frase corretta.

It's rain a lot today, so we can't go to the beach.

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6 La domanda mescola le due parole. Riscrivila bene.

What time is it like in London in July?

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Which sentence is natural?

- ☐ It's raining a lot every November, so take an umbrella.
☐ It rains right now, so take an umbrella.
☐ It's rain right now, so take an umbrella.
☐ It rains a lot in November, so take an umbrella.

8 Ci sono DUE calchi dalla tua lingua. Riscrivi la frase corretta.

Today it makes a lot of cold and there is much wind.

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9 Una parola è scritta male e vuol dire un'altra cosa. Riscrivi la frase corretta.

Lighting hit a tree during the storm.

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Which sentence is natural?

- ☐ There was a heavy wind and strong rain all night.
☐ There was a strong wind and heavy rain all night.
☐ There was a big wind and a big rain all night.
☐ There was a hard wind and a hard rain all night.

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Recorta o dobla esta página antes de dar la ficha.

- 1 There is a very strong rain in the north today. → There is very heavy rain in the north today.
- 2 Put on your gloves and your hat: it's absolutely freezing out there.
- 3 It was a mild winter: hardly any snow and never below zero.
- 4 it rains: every winter, twice a week, in November, usually in spring · it's raining: right now, look outside!, at the moment, listen to the roof!
- 5 It's rain a lot today, so we can't go to the beach. → It's raining a lot today, so we can't go to the beach.
- 6 What time is it like in London in July? → What's the weather like in London in July?
- 7 Which sentence is natural? → It rains a lot in November, so take an umbrella.
- 8 Today it makes a lot of cold and there is much wind. → Today it's very cold and very windy.
- 9 Lighting hit a tree during the storm. → Lightning hit a tree during the storm.
- 10 Which sentence is natural? → There was a strong wind and heavy rain all night.