

Unit **4**

The weather and us

1 Circle the letters to make weather words.

1 sunny

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

6 _____

7 _____

8 _____

9 _____

10 _____

2 Listen and check your answers above. 26

3 Listen and follow along. 27



Cool Language

What's the weather like in **summer** / **autumn** / **winter** / **spring**?
 It's (sunny) and (warm).

4 Use the information to role-play different situations.

Buenos Aires

summer

cloudy and stormy almost every day.

Aberdeen

spring

windy and cold but sometimes sunny.

San Francisco

winter

warm days but foggy in the evening.

Bangkok

autumn

hot and rainy in the afternoon.

What's the weather like in...?



It's... and...



5 Listen and sing along. 28

Arggggh, the Weather

I'm bored, I'm bored.
I can't do anything.
It's rainy. It's wet.
I can't play outside.
I'm bored.



I'm hot, I'm hot.
I don't want to do anything.
It's sunny. It's hot.
I want to swim.
I'm hot.



I'm cold, I'm cold.
I can't move anything.
It's snowy. It's cold.
Where is my scarf?
I'm cold.



I'm sad, I'm sad.
Where's the sun?
It's cloudy. It's grey.
Is it going to rain?
I'm sad.



6 Discuss with a friend.

I feel happy when it's sunny because...

I like (don't like) rainy days because...

I love hot weather because...



Workbook page 97

1 Listen and repeat the months of the year. 



2 Write the ordinal numbers in words.

- 1st: **first**
- 2nd: **second**
- 3rd: **third**
- 4th: **fourth**
- 5th: **fifth**
- 6th: _____
- 7th: _____
- 8th: _____
- 9th: _____
- 10th: _____

Cool Language

When's your birthday?
It's **in May**.
It's **on 10th May**.

3 Ask some friends about these dates.

(Your friend's) birthday

Independence Day
in your country

Christmas Day

New Year's Eve

Teacher's Day in
your country



4 Listen to Jill and complete the dates.  30



Birthdays	Dates
Mum's	It's on ¹ _____
Dad's	It's on ² _____
Jill's	It's on ³ _____

5 Read and then write the country names.

New Year Celebrations around the World

All over the world, people celebrate the New Year. The holiday represents saying good-bye to the old year and welcoming a new one. People do not always celebrate the New Year on the same day. In Mexico, the USA and Europe,

people celebrate it on the first day of January. In China and other parts of Asia, the day depends on the lunar calendar, and people normally celebrate the New Year in late January or February. New Year traditions are also different around the world. In Brazil, people eat lentils on New Year's Day. They believe lentils

bring prosperity. In China, people organise dragon parades and they visit family and friends. In Canada, people of all ages wear their swim clothes and jump into ice-cold water. They call it the Polar Bear Swim. Every country and every family has different celebrations. When and how do you celebrate the New Year?



6 Write *right*, *wrong* or *doesn't say*.

1. People all over the world celebrate the New Year.
2. Everybody celebrates New Year's Day on 1st January.
3. People in Brazil eat lentil soup on many important holidays.
4. Canadians swim with polar bears on New Year's Day.

1 Complete these actions with a vowel.



1. g _ _ t u _ _



2. h _ _ v _ _ breakfast



3. g _ _ to school



4. s t _ _ d y alone

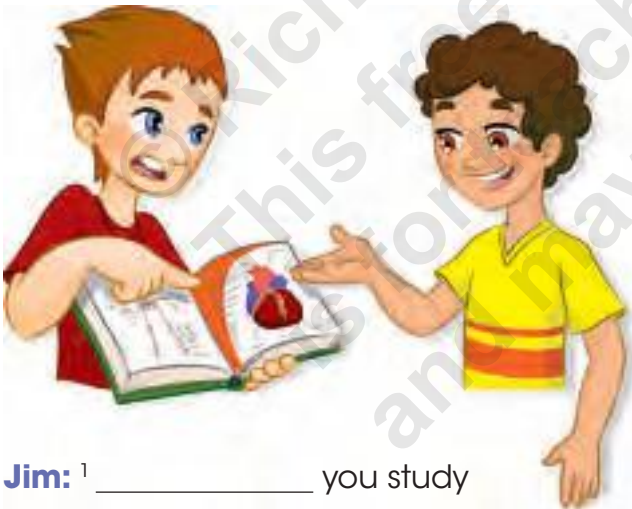


5. t _ _ k _ _ a bus



6. d _ _ sports

2 Listen and fill in the blanks.



Jim: ¹ _____ you study Science alone, Joe?

Joe: No, I ² _____. Why?

Jim: Because I'm not ³ _____ at it. Can you help me ⁴ _____, please?

Joe: Yes, of course. When ⁵ _____ we start then?



Jim: ⁶ _____, please! HA HA HA

Joe: OK, no problem!

Jim: Thanks, Joe!

Cool Grammar

Do you study Science alone?

Yes, I **do**. / No, I **don't**.

3 Act out the dialogue above in pairs.

4 Listen and complete the interview questions. 32

1. **Interviewer:** Do you _____ sports?

Leo: Yes, I do.

2. **Interviewer:** What sport _____ _____ play?

Leo: I play football for my school team.

3. **Interviewer:** _____ _____ _____ up early to go to football practice?

Leo: Yes, at 7 am.

4. **Interviewer:** What time _____ _____ _____ breakfast?

Leo: At 7:15 am.

5. **Interviewer:** _____ _____ _____ a bus to go to football practice?

Leo: No, I don't. I go on foot.

6. **Interviewer:** And _____ _____ _____ alone?

Leo: No, I don't.



5 Listen again. Complete with the words below. 33

always

usually

sometimes

never

- I _____ get up at 7 am.
- I _____ have breakfast at 7:15 am.
- I _____ take a bus. I go to football practice on foot.
- I _____ meet my friends to study together. It's good fun!

Cool Grammar

I **always** get up early.

You **usually** take a bus.

We **sometimes** study together.

They **never** go to school by bus.

6 Role-play with a friend.

always - watch TV
usually - study in the library
sometimes - eat junk food
never - play tennis



always - eat healthy food
usually - go to school on foot
sometimes - play football
never - drink soft drinks



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1 Listen and match the faces with the calendars.  34



– Excuse me. How often do you eat pizza?
– Not very often. I have it once a month.



– Do you like pizza?
– Yes, I do.
– How often do you eat it?
– Twice a week.



– How often do you eat pizza?
– Pizza? I love pizza. I eat pizza three times a day!



2 Act out the three interviews above with a friend.

3 Listen and answer the questions.  35

1. _____

3. _____

2. _____

4. _____

4 Write three more questions and interview a friend.

Cool Language

How often do you go to the cinema?

I go to the cinema **once** / **twice** / **three times** a month.

5 Write true and false sentences about Vicky and Alan.

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1. get up early							
2. have a shower (morning)							
3. go swimming							
4. do homework (afternoon)							
5. read a book (evening)							
6. go to bed late							

1. They get up early every day.

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

6 In pairs, check the sentences above and correct the false ones.

7 Answer about yourself.

1. When do you watch TV?

2. How often do you get up early?

3. When do you study for school?

4. How often do you do sports?

Cool Mini Project

Make a *Weekly Calendar*. Mark your weekly routine on it and write a short report.





1 Listen and complete. Then sing along.  36

EXERCISE YOUR BRAIN


Twice a week I go to the ¹ _____
 Once a week I like to swim.
 I always eat a ² _____ lunch,
 I eat ³ _____ by the bunch!
 It is great to be ⁴ _____ and fit – it's true,
 But it's important to ⁵ _____ your brain too!
 Even though it is sometimes a strain,
⁶ _____ exercise your brain.
 Use a ⁷ _____. Do a jigsaw. Read a book.
 Learn a new language. Learn how to ⁸ _____
 Even though it is sometimes a strain,
 Always exercise your brain.
 Do a Maths ⁹ _____ and read, read, read.
 Exercise your brain, and you'll succeed!



2 Complete these sentences about your daily or weekly routine.


- I _____ ride my bike in the park.
- I _____ do sports after school.
- I _____ eat healthy food.
- I _____ get up early on Sundays.
- I always _____
- I usually _____
- I sometimes _____
- I never _____

3 Write three items of clothing for each weather condition.

 **Sunny**


1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____

Rainy 

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____

Snowy 

1. _____ 2. _____


3. _____


4 Read the text and underline all the weather words you can spot.


Does the Weather Affect Us?

The **weather** is very important in our lives.

Think about the following situations:

 You want to go camping at the weekend. But on Friday night the weather forecast says it's going to rain on Saturday and Sunday. You're angry because you have to change your plans.

 You wake up and the day is hot and sunny. Your family wants to go to the zoo. Suddenly, it gets cloudy and it starts to rain. You feel disappointed because you have to stay at home.

 You're having a picnic with friends. Suddenly, it gets very windy. All the plates and cups go flying away. Everybody starts running around picking up all the things. But you are happy – you can fly your kite now.

The weather affects our emotions. Some people can feel sad when it's cloudy, cold or rainy for a long time. Lots of people feel happy and positive when it's sunny. Bad weather can change your plans, but that is not really a big problem. You can always make the best of a bad situation and adapt your plans. Can you think of examples of how the weather affects your mood?

5 Re-read the text above and write A, B or C.

- It's difficult to go camping _____.
A. when it rains. B. when you're angry. C. on Fridays.
- On a windy day, _____.
A. everybody runs. B. you can't go out. C. you can fly kites.
- The weather can affect _____.
A. your mood. B. your clothes. C. your hobbies.
- A long period of cold weather can make people feel _____.
A. excited. B. sick. C. sad.
- People feel happy when _____.
A. it's sunny. B. they change plans. C. it's cloudy and rainy.

BE A COOL READER!
You can stop and re-read a paragraph to understand it better.



Super! You've finished Unit 4!