

Listen to the weather forecast and do the exercises to practise and improve your listening skills.

### Preparation

Do this exercise before you listen. Draw a line to match the pictures with the words below.



rainy

windy

thunderstorm

sunny

dry

cloudy

### 1. Check your understanding: matching

Do this exercise while you listen. Match the two halves of the sentence and write a – d next to the number 1 – 4.

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| 1..... The weather in the north is mostly | a. rainy.            |
| 2..... The weather in the east is mostly  | b. cloudy and sunny. |
| 3..... The weather in the west is mostly  | c. dry and cloudy.   |
| 4..... The weather in the south is mostly | d. windy.            |



**2. Check your understanding: gap fill**

Do this exercise while you listen. Write the word to fill the gap.

1. Welcome to the weather forecast. Now, let's see what the weather is \_\_\_\_\_ today.
2. In the north of the country it's very windy and cold. There is a \_\_\_\_\_ of some rain, too.
3. The temperature is around 10 \_\_\_\_\_ centigrade.
4. In the east it's rainy all day, I'm afraid. There may be a thunderstorm in the afternoon. The \_\_\_\_\_ is a bit higher, at around 13 degrees.
5. In the west and middle of the country the weather is dry \_\_\_\_\_ cloudy.
6. The south of the country has the \_\_\_\_\_ weather today. It's cloudy most of the time but sunny this afternoon.

**What is the weather usually like in your city or town?**

*It's usually ... (hot/ cold/ windy etc.)*

*It usually ... (rains/ snows etc.)*

**Vocabulary Box** Write any new words you have learnt in this lesson.