Around the World

CHAPTER 1: The Weather

VOCABULARY

1 Put the words in the correct part of the table.

cold	freezing	9	hot	humid		
	snowy	sunny	warm			

Summer	Winter

2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

foggy	humid	shines	snowy	storm
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- When there is a lot of water in the air it is
- When the air temperature is freezing, the weather is usually
- 3 I can't see anything on the road today because
- 4 My favorite weather is in summer because the sky is blue and the sun
- the weather is very bad and there is a lot of rain and wind.

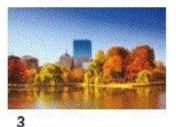
READING

3 Read the article about four North American cities. Write the names under the photos.





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The United States is a huge country with a lot of different weather. When you travel south and west, it gets warmer. The northern and eastern parts of the country are generally colder. There are mountains where it is cold and deserts where it is very hot. The Atlantic Ocean is on the east coast and it is usually colder there. The Pacific Ocean is on the west coast and it is usually hotter there.

New York

New York is on the east coast and the weather can be quite extreme. In spring, it is warm and sunny and in fall, it can be rainy and windy. It often has very hot, humid summers with high temperatures of more than 28°C. There are freezing temperatures of about -5°C in January and February. There is an average of 60 cm of snow every year.

Austin, Texas

Austin is in the south of the USA, it is on the Colorado river. It has a desert climate and it is usually warm and dry. The winters are short – grey and cloudy with a little rain. But the summers are very long and it is always very hot and sunny with blue skies.

Seattle, Washington

Seattle is a coastal city in the north-west corner of the United States and the climate is mild. From November to January it is very wet, with 950 mm of rain per year. In the summer, there is a lot of sunshine, but the temperatures at night are often cool. The air is sometimes cloudy or foggy early in the day.

Boston, Massachusetts

Boston is one of the oldest cities in the United States, It is on the coast in the north-east of the country and it has four very different seasons. In the summer, there are storms, but also sunny days. In the winter, there is snow, but also freezing wind, It is famous for its beautiful fall when the leaves turn brown, orange, yellow and red. In winter, there is an average of 122 cm of snow. And in spring there is an average of 100 mm of rain.

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	8	has colorful trees in October.			999			N.
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		car than the Audi A6?			b 30 degrees	d	44 degree	es
	4	Oxford is a (pretty) city than Brighton.		2		ow can you describe the w warm and dry c		
	5	This computer has more memory and is			b short and cool		long and l	
		(fast) than yours.		3	What are the beacl	: as E	X4323.75	1017110
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	7	The weather in the mountains is(cold) than in the city.			a long and dirtyb white and sand		clean and	46843 KTOK
	8	People in Costa Rica are(happy)		4	Where do people g	o skiing ii	n Italy?	
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0		rm of the adjectives in the box.		5	What is the weather	r like in Ir	eland?	
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		are usually						
	2	2 This Italian restaurant has waiters than the burger house near the station.			c snowy mountaid great sunsets	ns		
	3 Today English is than French because billions of people speak it around the world.			Character				
	4	Our house is to the sea than		1	In Jordan, there are			
	Ben's house. It's only a five-minute walk.				and sandstorms in	200		T/F
	5	Athens is than Istanbul. Its		2	Jordan is close to	a desert.		T/F
		population is only around 3 million.		3	Winters in Italy are	not rainy.	i	T/F
	6	California has summers than Arizona because it almost never rains there		4	Summers are hotte than in the north of		outh	T/F
		in the summer.		5	Ireland has long da	ys in the	winter.	T/F

6 Ireland often has freezing temperatures in winter.

7 Are clothes in Italy?

in Switzerland than

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