

## Section 10 天气情况 Weather

### Useful Words

### 第 1 步 熟悉词汇

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| <b>1</b> climate ['klaɪmət] 气候       | <b>2</b> cloudy ['klaʊdi] 多云的          |
| <b>3</b> damp [dæmp] 潮湿              | <b>4</b> fog [fɒg] 雾                   |
| <b>5</b> shower ['ʃaʊə(r)] 阵雨        | <b>6</b> frost [frɒst] 霜               |
| <b>7</b> mild [maɪld] 暖和的            | <b>8</b> freeze [friːz] 结冰             |
| <b>9</b> rainfall ['reɪnfɔːl] 降雨量    | <b>10</b> snowy ['snəʊi] 下雪的           |
| <b>11</b> gale [geɪl] 强风             | <b>12</b> sunshine ['sʌnʃaɪn] 阳光       |
| <b>13</b> breeze [briːz] 微风          | <b>14</b> hurricane ['hʌrɪkən] 飓风      |
| <b>15</b> drizzle ['drɪzl] 毛毛雨       | <b>16</b> rainbow ['reɪnbəʊ] 彩虹        |
| <b>17</b> snowstorm ['snəʊstɔːm] 暴风雪 | <b>18</b> atmosphere ['ætməsfɪə(r)] 大气 |

### Useful Sentences

### 第 2 步 牢记句型

#### 现学现用万能句

- ☺ What is the weather like today? 今天天气怎么样?
- ☺ Do you think it will rain/snow? 你认为会下雨 / 雪吗?
- ☺ The weather forecast says it will rain tomorrow. 天气预报说明天有雨。
- ☺ The weather is getting ... 天气渐渐……起来了。
- ☺ It looks like ... is going to be about 23.9℃ and sunny tomorrow.  
看起来……明天天气晴朗, 气温大约 23.9℃。

- 1** What is the weather like today? 今天天气怎么样?
- What's the forecast for tomorrow? 明天的天气怎么样?

◇ forecast ['fɔ:kə:st, 'fɔ:rkæst] *n.* 预测, 预报

**2** Do you think it will rain/snow? 你认为会下雨 / 雪吗?

- Is it going to rain today? 今天会下雨吗?

**3** There's a lot of rain today. 今天下了很大的雨。

- It's been cloudy all morning and now it's raining cats and dogs.

整个上午天气阴沉沉的, 现在又下起了倾盆大雨。

◇ rain cats and dogs 下倾盆大雨

**4** The weather forecast says it will rain tomorrow.

天气预报说明天有雨。

- The weather forecast said the storm would clear up tonight.

天气预报说暴风雨今天晚上就会停的。

- The weatherman said it's supposed to stop storming tonight.

天气预报员说暴风雨今晚上应该会停了。

**5** It's really cold out. 外面真冷。

- It's chilly today. 今天冷嗖嗖的。

- It's freezing outside. 外面特别冷。

◇ chilly ['tʃɪli] *adj.* 寒冷的

**6** The weather is changeable. 这天气真是多变。

- It's supposed to be overcast tonight. 今晚应该是阴天。

◇ changeable ['tʃeɪndʒəbl] *adj.* 易变的, 多变的

◇ overcast [ˌəʊvə'ka:st] *adj.* 阴的, 多云的

**7** What's the temperature today? 今天气温是几度?

- It's about 6 degrees centigrade today. 今天大约 6 度左右。

◇ temperature ['temprətʃə(r)] *n.* 温度, 气温

◇ centigrade ['sentɪgreɪd] *adj.* 摄氏温度计的

**8** It's muggy and hot. 天气又闷又热。

- I'm sensitive to heat. 我怕热。

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◇ muggy ['mʌgi] *adj.* (天气) 闷热而潮湿的

◇ be sensitive to 易受影响的, 敏感的

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**9** The weather is getting warm. 天气渐渐暖和起来了。

• I wish the sun would come out! 我希望太阳出来!

• Snowy weather is dreadful. 下雪的天气真是糟透了。

◇ dreadful ['dredfl] *adj.* 糟透了的, 讨厌的, 烦人的

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**10** This lightning and thunder is crazy. 这闪电和雷声很疯狂。

• The winds are very strong. 风好大啊。

◇ lightning ['laɪtnɪŋ] *n.* 闪电      thunder ['θʌndə(r)] *n.* 雷, 雷声

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### Useful Conversations

### 第3步 模仿对话



#### 1. 天气真好 Nice Day

Gabe: Nice day, isn't it?

Cassie: Yes, it's incredible. We haven't had sunshine like this in months!

Gabe: It's a nice surprise to have this time of year too. I'm used to it raining all through the spring.

Cassie: Definitely. I'm going to go eat outside for my lunch break today. Would you like to join me?

Gabe: Sure, let me just grab my sunglasses!

加布: 天气真好, 不是吗?

凯西: 是啊, 好得出奇。我们已经几个月都没见到这样的阳光啦!

加布: 一年中的这个时候还能有这样的天气, 也真够惊喜的。我已经习惯了整个春天都下雨了。

凯西: 没错。我今天要出去吃午餐。你想和我一起去吗?

加布: 当然, 让我把太阳镜带上!

◇ incredible [ɪn'kredəbl] *adj.* 不可思议的, 惊人的

◇ grab [græb] *v.* 取, 拿



## 2. 周末天气 The Weather of the Weekend

Ron: Stephanie, can you look up the weather report?

Stephanie: Sure. Let's see. Today it's 31.1 °C and sunny. There shouldn't be a cloud in the sky!

Ron: Oh, no, sorry. I meant the weather report for the coast. I'm planning to go camping this weekend and want to know what to expect.

Stephanie: Oh, okay. Um... It looks like the coast is going to be about 23.9 °C and sunny tomorrow, but will be rainy all day Saturday and Sunday.

Ron: Oh really? That's disappointing. Maybe I will go another time. Is the weather going to be nice here this weekend?

Stephanie: Yes, it should be sunny and warm all weekend.

Ron: I'll stay here then. Would you like to have a picnic on Sunday?

Stephanie: Sure! Let's invite the Millers to come too.

罗恩: 斯蒂芬妮, 你能查一下天气预报吗?

斯蒂芬妮: 当然可以。让我看看。今天的气温是 31.1°C, 晴天。天空应当会万里无云!

罗恩: 哦, 不, 不好意思。我的意思是沿海地区的天气。我计划这周末去野营, 想知道要做些什么准备。

斯蒂芬妮: 哦, 好的。呃……看起来沿海地区明天天气晴朗, 气温大约 23.9°C, 但整个周六周日都会有雨。

罗恩: 哦, 真的吗? 那太令人失望了。也许我该换个时间去。这周末这里的天气会好吗?

斯蒂芬妮: 嗯, 整个周末都应当会晴朗暖和。

罗恩: 那我还是呆在这里吧。你周日想去野餐吗?

斯蒂芬妮：好啊！咱们也叫上米勒夫妇一块儿去吧。

◇ coast [kəʊst] *n.* 海岸，海滨      go camping 去野营，去露营

◇ disappointing [,disə'pɔɪntɪŋ] *adj.* 令人失望的

### Useful Paragraph

### 第4步 诵读短篇



For attractive lips, speak words of kindness. For lovely eyes, seek out the good in people. For a slim figure, share your food with the hungry. For beautiful hair, let a child run his or her fingers through it once a day. For poise, walk with the knowledge that you never walk alone.

若要优美的嘴唇，要说友善的话；若要可爱的眼睛，要看到别人的好处；若要苗条的身材，把你的食物分给饥饿的人；若要美丽的秀发，就让孩子的手指每天穿过它；若要优雅的姿态，要记住行人不只你一个。

◇ figure ['fɪɡə(r)] *n.* 身材，体态      poise [pɔɪz] *n.* 姿势

### Cultural Background

### 第5步 了解文化

在美国，不同地区的气候差别很大。美国北部，尤其是加拿大边境附近的冬天是很冷的，而且降雪很多，可以埋掉一辆汽车。因此，在冬天的时候，北部的人通常跑到南部避寒，佛罗里达和加利福尼亚都是不错的选择。北方大雪纷飞的时候，南方依旧是阳光明媚，有点像中国的黑龙江与海南岛的区别。

不过到了夏季，南方的人也会去北方避暑，因为像佛罗里达和加利福尼亚的夏天又闷又热。

朋友们聊天，天气和气候是个不错的话题，一般比较安全，不涉及他人隐私，大家也乐于接受。例如，陌生人之间可以随时聊聊天气，是个打破沉默的好话题，见到朋友可以先说声“A nice day!”。