

IELTS Vocabulary : band 7-9 phrases

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아이엘츠 스피킹 파트1

Examiner: What's the weather like in your country?

Katie: It's quite **changeable** really ... we have periods of time with **clear blue skies** then all of a sudden we'll have **torrential rain**.

Examiner: Which months have the best weather in your country?

Ernst: Well ... I suppose it's a matter of personal taste really ... I like it around the end of October and November ... I'm not fond of the **heatwaves** we often get during the summer ... it's not **freezing cold** during these months and we still get lots of **sunny spells**.

Examiner: Does it bother you much when it rains?

Junko: It depends ... if I **get caught in the rain** and I **get drenched** I don't like it ... but I'm a gardener so **a drop of rain** is good for my plants.

아이엘츠 스피킹 파트2

Describe a time when you experienced extreme weather conditions. You should say

- when this was
- where you were
- what the weather was like

and say how you felt about the experience.

I was studying English in a language school a few years ago ... we were in Cornwall in the UK ... we'd been enjoying lovely sunny days ... **not a cloud in the sky** ... when all of a sudden there was **a change in the weather** ... we were in town walking around the shops when it started **to pour down** ... I'd never seen such **heavy rain** before ... within about 10 minutes the roads were full of water ... I think they call it a **flash flood** ... it was like being in the middle of a **tropical storm** ... the water was almost up to my knees ... the **weather forecast** hadn't predicted it so everyone was taken by surprise ... I'm not sure you could call it 'extreme' weather as a few hours later it started **to clear up** ... **the sun came out** and slowly the water level went down ... but a lot of people's houses were flooded so it would have been extreme for them ... I found it all quite exciting ... in my country we generally have a very **mild climate** and don't often get floods like this so it was quite an experience for me.

아이엘츠 스피킹 파트3

Examiner: Do you think the weather affects how people feel?

Tierre: Absolutely ... yes ... I don't mind the occasional **cold spell** but I think the winter months can make you feel down. I hate having to leave the house in the winter ... there's often a **thick fog** every morning and we sometimes get **bitterly cold** winds ... the winter certainly makes me feel a little depressed ... though having said that ... it's always nice to see the town covered in a **blanket of snow**.

Examiner: Do you think the weather is changing due to global warming?

Ceri: I don't know if it's due to global warming or not but the weather in my country is certainly changing ... we've been getting quite **mild winters** lately ... the temperatures are sometimes **below freezing** but only occasionally ... and then during the summer it can get **boiling hot** with a lot of older people even suffering from **heatstroke**.

Examiner: In which ways are weather forecasts useful?

Sinita: Well ... if you're planning a trip or going on holiday it's important to know whether you'll need to **dress up warm** or take an umbrella ... farmers need to know what the **long-range forecast** is so they can plan their work ... I suppose people who organise outside events need to know as well in case things get **rained off**.

Definitions

- **to be below freezing:**
below zero degrees Celsius
영하로 떨어지다
- **bitterly cold:**
very cold and unpleasant
엄청 추운
- **a blanket of snow:**
a complete covering of snow
눈세상 (눈으로 완전히 덮힌)
- **boiling hot:**
very hot (informal)
끓는 듯하게 더운
- **changeable:**
weather that often changes
바뀔 수 있는
- **a change in the weather:**
when weather conditions change
날씨의 변화
- **clear blue skies:**
a sky without clouds
청명한 하늘
- **to clear up:**
when clouds or rain disappear
날씨가 개이다.
- **to come out (the sun):**
when the sun appears out of a cloudy sky
해가 나다.
- **a cold spell:**
a short period of cold weather

짧은 추위

- **to dress up warm:**
to wear warm clothes to protect yourself against wintry conditions
따뜻하게 입다.
- **a drop of rain:**
a little bit of rain
이슬비
- **a flash flood:**
a sudden and severe flood
급작스러운 홍수
- **freezing cold:**
very cold (informal)
얼어죽게 추운
- **to get caught in the rain:**
to be outside when it rains unexpectedly
갑자기 비가 쏟아짐
- **to get drenched:**
to get very wet
쫄딱 젖다.
- **heatstroke:**
a serious condition caused by being too long in hot weather
열사병
- **a heatwave:**
a period of very hot weather
폭염
- **heavy rain:**
intense rainfall
폭우
- **long-range forecast:**
the weather forecast for several days or weeks ahead

장기 예측(날씨)

- ***mild climate:***
a climate without extreme weather conditions
온화한 기후
- ***mild winter:***
a winter that isn't particularly cold
온화한 겨울
- ***not a cloud in the sky:***
see 'clear blue skies' above
청명한 하늘
- ***to pour down:***
to rain heavily
쏟아붓다.
- ***to be rained off:***
to be cancelled or postponed due to poor weather
취소되다. (날씨때문에)
- ***sunny spells:***
short periods of sunny weather
더위
- ***thick fog:***
a dense fog that makes visibility very poor
두터운 안개
- ***torrential rain:***
see 'heavy rain' above
폭우
- ***tropical storm:***
a storm typical of ones that you find in tropical climates
열대성 폭풍
- ***weather forecast:***
a TV/radio programme or section in a newspaper/magazine which predicts weather

conditions

일기 예보