

Climate or weather?

Grade 3 Science Worksheet



Weather tells you what is going on one place at one time.
Climate tells you the pattern of weather in a place over a long time.

For each statement, write weather or climate.

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It is usually rainy here in springtime. _____

John's town got two inches of rain last week. _____

Utah gets plenty of snow in the winter. _____

The wind is blowing from the east at 15 miles per hour. _____

Today, the temperature will be higher in New York than in Los Angeles. _____

The Arctic has long, cold winters and short, cool summers. _____

Summers are warm enough here to wear shorts and sandals every day. _____



What is the weather like where you are right now?

What is the climate like where you live?

Answers

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