

Weather Idioms

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Just as we used the verb “tener” with certain Spanish idioms, we will also use the verb “**hacer**” for idiomatic expressions related to weather. Below you will find “hacer” idioms to use with weather.

Hace...

It's...

(mucho) calor

(very) hot

(mucho) fresco

(very) cool

(mucho) frío

(very) cold

(mucho) sol

(very) sunny

Hace...

It's...

(mucho) viento

(very) windy

(muy) buen tiempo

(very) nice outside

(muy) mal tiempo

(very) bad outside

¿Qué tiempo hace? → What's the weather like?

You may also use “**hay**” when talking about the wind or sun. (Literally, there is (a lot) of wind/ there is (a lot) of sun.)

Hay...

It's...

(mucho) sol

(very) sunny

(mucho) viento

(very) windy

Llover (o→ue) = To rain

Nevar (e→ie) = To snow

Llueve mucho en la selva.
este

Nieva demasiado en

pueblo.

It rains a lot in the jungle.
town.

It snows too much in this

*Notice that we conjugate these verbs only in the third-person singular form. Also notice that the subject “it” is assumed and doesn’t have a translation to Spanish.

To say “it’s cloudy,” we will use the expression
“está nublado.”