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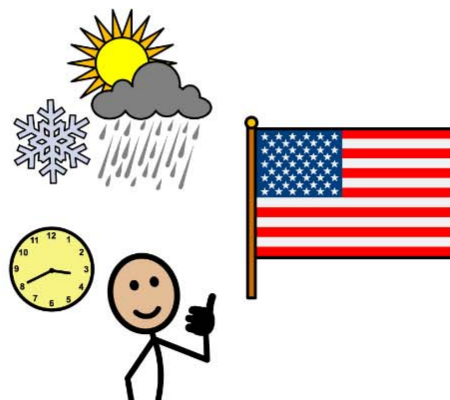


## WEATHER-READY NATION



**September is National Preparedness Month. Being prepared for any weather is important!**

**A program helps people prepare for weather. This program is Weather-Ready Nation.**

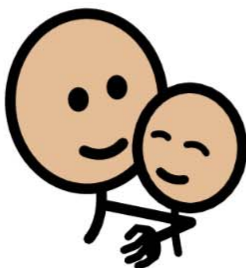
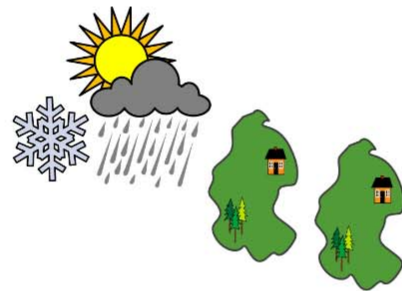


**This content was created in collaboration with the National Weather Service.**



**Weather-Ready Nation has a website. The website has information about weather.**

**People visit the website. They learn about weather in their areas.**



**People learn how to be safe in dangerous weather.**

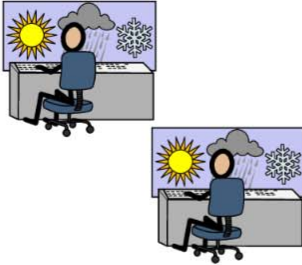


**The National Weather Service  
leads Weather-Ready Nation.**

**The National Weather Service  
is a government group.**



**Many meteorologists work for  
the National Weather Service.  
Meteorologists are scientists.  
They study weather.**

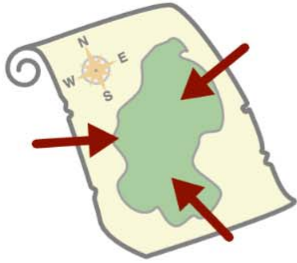


**Some meteorologists work at weather offices. These weather offices are across the U.S.**

**Meteorologists work with communities near the offices. They teach people how to be safe.**

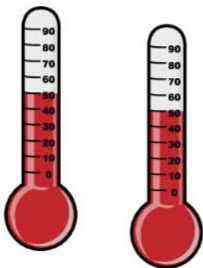


**The meteorologists look for dangerous weather.**



**Dangerous weather can be anywhere !**

**Dangerous weather includes  
floods, lightning, fog and wind.**



**Temperatures can be dangerous too.  
Very hot or very cold temperatures  
can hurt people.**



**People should know when dangerous weather is coming.**

**Weather reports can help.  
Weather reports tell people  
about weather in their areas.**

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81 65	68 59	72 58	75 50





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**People get weather reports  
from websites, apps, TV  
and radio.**





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**A weather report may include a watch or a warning.**

**A watch means people have time to prepare. Dangerous weather may be coming.**

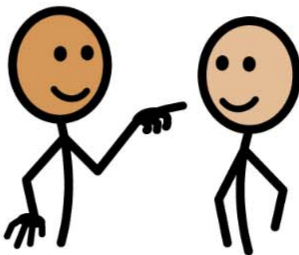


**A warning means go quickly to a safe place. Dangerous weather is coming!**



**Any place can have dangerous weather. Being prepared can help people be safe.**

**This week's News-2-You<sup>®</sup> Extension Activity can help.\*  
It is about preparing for dangerous weather.**



**How will you prepare for dangerous weather ?**

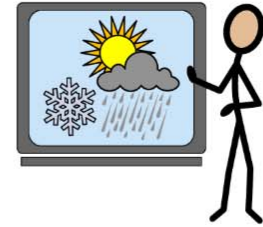




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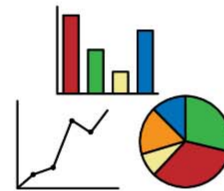


## METEOROLOGIST



A meteorologist is a scientist who studies weather.

Meteorologists collect data, do research, do weather reports and more.



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Some meteorologists are on TV. They do weather reports on news channels.





WHERE



## WEATHER OFFICES



The National Weather Service has weather offices. It has more than 100 weather offices in the U.S.

People follow the weather offices on social media. The weather offices share information about weather.



The National Weather Service headquarters is in Maryland.





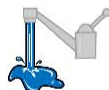
## READY-FOR-THE-DAY CEREAL



individual pkt  
instant hot cereal



$\frac{2}{3}$  C water



jam in  
squeeze bottle



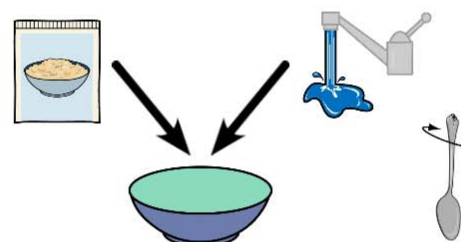
small  
microwave-safe bowl



spoon



1. Put cereal and water into bowl. Stir.



2. Microwave on high 1 minute. Stir.



3. Swirl jam onto cereal.



4. Eat.




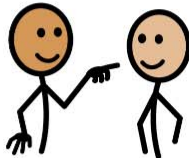

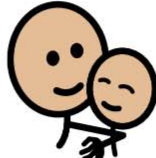


● Knock, Knock.  

Who's there ? 

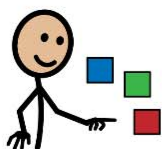
● Work. 

Work who ?  

● Work – an you be safe ?  
 - an    ?

Where can





Choose the pictures NOT about WEATHER-READY NATION.

temperature



commercial



weather report

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website



watch



dangerous



fly



weather



prepare



dinner



wind



meteorologist



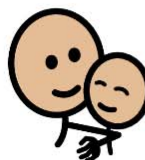
lightning



community



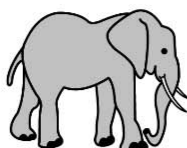
safe



money



elephant



weather office

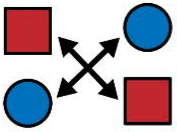


flood



warning



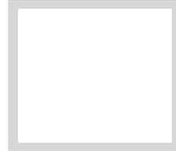


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weather →



warning →



lightning →



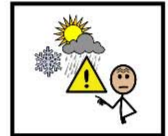
dangerous →



temperature →



prepare →



community →



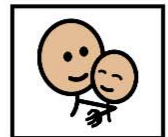
safe →



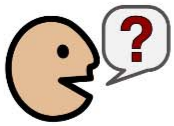
flood →



meteorologist →







**1. WHAT is this paper about ?**

Food Truck  
Festivals

Weather-Ready  
Nation

Four-Day  
School Week

**2. WHO studies weather ?**

bricklayer

cartoonist

meteorologist

**3. WHERE do some  
meteorologists work ?**

barber shops

dentist offices

weather offices

**4. WHAT group leads  
Weather-Ready Nation ?**

National  
Weather Service

NASA

National Park  
Service

**5. WHAT means people have  
time to prepare ?**

welcome

watch

warning

**6. WHAT do people not use  
to see or hear  
weather reports ?**

toaster

radio

TV

**7. WHAT means to get ready ?**

come

safe

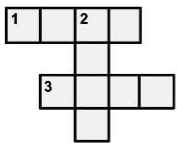
prepare

**8. WHAT kind of storms usually  
include rain and  
lightning ?**

thunderstorms

dust storms

blizzards



# puzzle page



## ACROSS

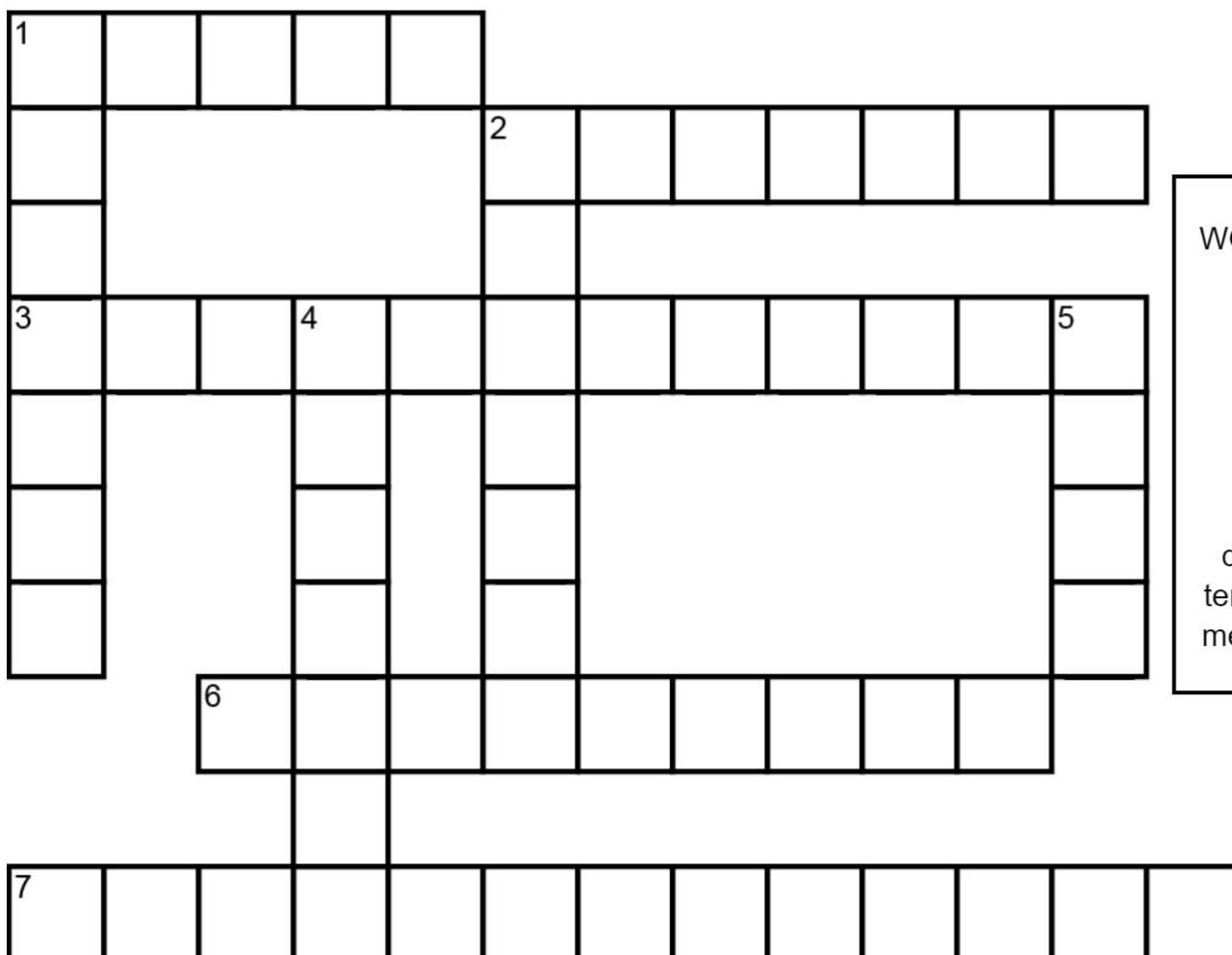


## DOWN



- 1 A \_\_\_\_\_ means people have time to prepare.
- 2 Weather-Ready Nation has a \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Very hot or very cold \_\_\_\_\_ can hurt people.
- 6 Any place can have \_\_\_\_\_ weather.
- 7 A \_\_\_\_\_ is a scientist who studies weather.

- 1 Being prepared for any \_\_\_\_\_ is important!
- 2 A \_\_\_\_\_ means go quickly to a safe place.
- 4 How will you \_\_\_\_\_ for dangerous weather?
- 5 Being prepared can help people be \_\_\_\_\_.



### WORD BANK

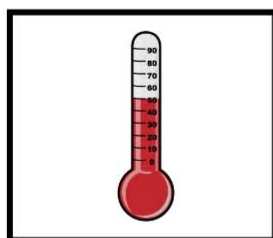
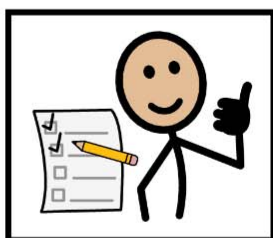
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dangerous  
temperatures  
meteorologist






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# sudoku page



Fill in the grid using the pictures below so that every row, every column and every large box contains the following four items:





**1. WHAT is your favorite kind of weather ? Why ?**

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**2. WOULD you like to be a meteorologist ? Why ?**

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**3. WHAT do you do to prepare for dangerous weather ?**

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**4. HOW do you stay safe in very hot temperatures ?**

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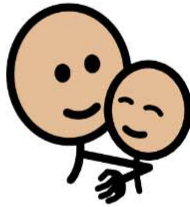
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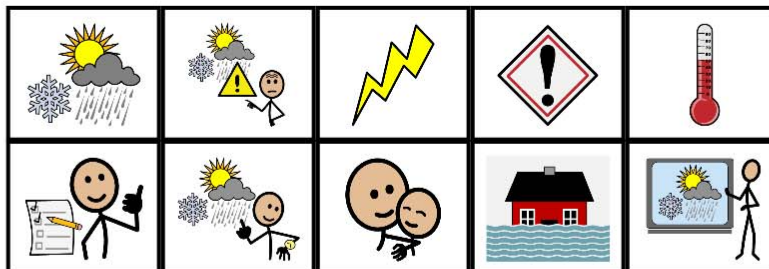




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Cut out the items below to use as errorless choices for the review page.

Weather-Ready Nation	meteorologist	weather offices	National Weather Service
watch	toaster	prepare	thunderstorms

Cut out the items below and paste answers into the Sudoku page.

