



EPISODE 8 – THE FAIRWEATHER FRIEND

Before the episode

A. Match the words below with their Swedish translation. Draw a line between them.

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|------------------|---------------------|
| humidity | tornado |
| thunderstorm | naturkatastrof |
| a formal | fuktighet |
| natural disaster | hemlighetsfull |
| addiction | översvämning |
| flashlights | ficklampor |
| tornado | en high school-dans |
| flooding | beroende |
| soaked | åskväder |
| secretive | blöt, indränkt |

B. Practise the words with a friend

C. Look at the words and try to guess what you think this episode will be about?

D. Share your predictions with your classmates.



After watching

A. What was the episode about? Write a short summary! (5-10 sentences)

In the beginning of the episode _____

After that _____

In the end _____



B. Holly lives in an area of the USA where tornados are common. Read the text about tornados out loud with your friend. Take turns and read every other sentence.

Tornados

There is an average of 1200 tornados every year in the USA. They are more common in states like texas and Kansas but can appear all over the contry.

A tornado, sometimes also caled a “twister”, is a rotating column of air with a lot of power. It starts in a cloud and works itself down to the ground. Its strong enough to tear trees from the ground, lift roofs off of houses and move cars. The time and distance of a tornådo can vary. Most of them last a few minute and travel around five to ten kilometres.

The deadliest tornado was in Bangladesh in 1989 and it killed 1300 peple and in 2021, 104 people died because of a tornado. Tornado safty is important and can be the difference between life and death. Here are some tornado safety tips:

- Lisen to the weather reports on the radio/TV/your mobile phone
- Look for the signs (dark and low clods, green sky, heavy hail)
- Create an emergency kit
- Find safe shelter (basement)

(Wikipedia, National Geographic Kids)


C. In the text there are ten words that don't have the correct spelling. Can you find them? Put a circle around them in the text and then write them correctly on the lines below:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____



D. One of the safety tips is to create an emergency kit. What would you put in your emergency kit? Draw your items in the square and then fill in the table with your items and the reasons for choosing them.

My emergency kit



Items in my emergency kit	Reason
<p><i>For example:</i></p> <p><i>Flashlight</i></p>	<p><i>If there is no electricity</i></p>



E. Share your emergency kit with your friend. Did you choose the same or different items? Look at both emergency kits, decide what the three most important things are and write down the items on the empty lines.



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After watching

C.

T exas	minutes
country	p eople
called	safety
It's	Listen
Tornado	clouds