Weather Vocabulary

Word Part of speech	Meaning	Example Sentence
air conditioner / **air-conditioning** noun	an apparatus or system for controlling the temperature and humidity of the air in a building or vehicle	The **air conditioner** keeps the office cool and comfortable even when it's very hot outside.
anemometer noun	a device for measuring the speed of wind or other gases	The school uses an **anemometer** to track the wind speed for its weather station.
barbecue / **barbecuing** verb / noun	to cook food on a grill over hot coals or an open fire; the act of doing this	We plan to **barbecue** / **barbecuing** chicken this weekend.
blizzard noun	a severe winter storm with strong winds and heavy snow	The blizzard caused **blizzard** conditions, with zero visibility and deep snow.
building / **build** adjectival noun / verb	commonly used for describing a tall, multi-story place	It was a **building** / **build**, so we could see the city from the top.
bu / **bu** noun	bright wind	Don't bother with the hat. There's always a **bu** on the moors.
Celsius noun	a temperature scale in which 0° is the freezing point and 100° is the boiling point of water	In the Netherlands, the average temperature in June is 20° degrees **Celsius**.
cloudy adjective	overcast	It's a bit **cloudy** today, so I think we should wait a bit longer.
clear adjective	when the sky is filled with sunshine, without any clouds blocking the view	Once it **clear**, might go out and have a look at the stars.
cloud / **cloudy** noun / adjective	water in the sky that appears as a white or grey mass	It was so **cloudy** in the morning, but the sun came out by afternoon.
cold / **cold** / **cold** adjective / adjectival noun / noun	a temperature that is lower than average; a feeling of being cold	Everyone is asking for a **cold** / **cold**, so we put off our outdoor trip.
cool adjective	temperature somewhat below warm and mild	The days were drizzly and **cool**, but the nights were **cool** and comfortable for sleeping.
degree noun	a unit of measure for temperature	I don't know the best unit for it, but it's pretty **degree**. Celsius outside.
drizzling continuous verb	raining slightly	I think it's time to go. It's a little **drizzling** now.
drizzle noun	a light form of rain, or a mist of it	Forecast: Everyday is sunny, tomorrow morning is **drizzle**.
Fahrenheit noun	a temperature scale in which 32° degrees is the freezing point and 212° is the boiling point	It was 100° degrees **Fahrenheit** where we got to. Our thermometer