



Phrases to know

What do you say when you are talking about the weather?

What is the weather like today? = Hoe is het weer vandaag?

Today it is sunny and warm. = Vandaag is het zonnig en warm.

What will the weather be like tomorrow? = Hoe wordt het weer morgen?

Tomorrow it will be raining. = Morgen gaat het regenen.

This is what people say when they talk about their holiday.

How's your holiday? It is ... (wonderful, horrible, not too bad, nice).

What do you say when you are talking about where you live?

What kind of house do you have? = Wat voor soort huis hebben jullie?

It is a terraced house. = Het is een rijtjeshuis.

What is there to do in your area? = Wat kun je doen in de omgeving?

You can go hiking in the forests. = Je kunt wandelen in de bossen.

Never, always, sometimes, often

It **never** gets dark in summer. = Het wordt nooit donker in de zomer.

Bram **often** stays up late in summer. = Bram blijft vaak tot laat op in de zomer.

Cars **sometimes** ignore the traffic rules. = Auto's negeren soms de verkeersregels.

People **always** collect the rainwater. = Mensen verzamelen altijd het regenwater.

Use of positive and negative

Positive	Negative
I have the perfect solution.	I don't have the perfect solution.
You have to shop for sunglasses.	You don't have to shop for sunglasses.
Julia cheats when playing board games.	Julia doesn't cheat when playing board games.
We want to go somewhere hot and sunny.	We don't want to go somewhere hot and sunny.
They like walking in the forest.	They don't like walking in the forest.

Words to know

Arctic Circle	poolcirkel
beach	strand
bush	bosje
city	grote stad
climate	klimaat
cloud	wolk
cottage	huisje op platteland
countryside	platteland
cycle track	fietspad
detached house	vrijstaand huis



farm	boerderij
foreign	buitenlands
forest	bos
hike	wandeling
island	eiland



lake	meer
lightning	bliksem
moderate	gematigd
mountains	bergen
neighbour	buurman/vrouw
neighbourhood	buurt

newspaper	krant
path	pad
pavement	stoep



picnic	picknick
raining cats and dogs	het regent pijpenstelen
river	rivier
semi-detached house	half vrijstaand huis



terraced house	rijtjeshuis
thunder	donder
to collect water	water verzamelen
to decide	beslissen
to drain away	weg laten lopen (van water)
to melt	smelten
town	middelgrote stad
traffic jam	verkeersop- stopping
traffic rules	verkeersregels
village	dorp
weather forecast	weersverwachting
zebra crossing	zebrapad