

# Splendid Skies

- 1) Weather forecasts use symbols on maps to tell people what the weather will be like where they live. Design weather symbols for the different types of weather listed: cloud, fog, hail, rain, snow, sun and cloud, sun and rain, thunder and lightning, and wind.
- 2) Learn about the current season by going for a walk in your locality. Talk about the weather and spot and photograph seasonal features, such as buds, summer flowers, or nuts and seeds. Afterwards, draw a map of your walk, including pictures to show what you saw and where you saw them. Write a few sentences to recount your walk.
- 3) Look at an information book or age-appropriate videos and websites online with an adult to learn more about the weather and seasons. Write one or more fascinating facts to show something that you have learned after reading and listening. Draw a picture to match your fascinating facts.
- 4) Fold a piece of paper into four quarters - one quarter for each of the seasons. Use what you know about the seasons to draw a picture in each section. Include the weather and what the trees and other plants look like. You might also like to include animals in your pictures. Give each section a title and write a short description.
- 5) Create a piece of artwork or craft on the theme of weather or the seasons. Ideas include a painting or collage, or you might like to make a kite or wind chimes.

