

First Class Requirement 5c1 "Describe at least 3 natural indicators of impending hazardous weather."

Name

Note: The answers to this quiz can be found in the Scout handbook. Look for the "Other Weather Signs" section as shown in the snapshot below. Depending on edition, you may find it on page 217. This requirement is about the "Stormy-Weather Signs."

OTHER WEATHER SIGNS
Through the ages, people have used sayings as a way of sharing weather lore. The weather sayings below are very old, but you might be surprised how often they accurately foretell the weather to come.
Fair-Weather Signs
Expect pleasant weather when you see some of these signs:
Stormy-Weather Signs
The following signs suggest bad weather is on the way:

1. "Red sky at morning, sailor take warning." Why is this a good indicator of bad weather? What's the science?

2. "Swallows flying near the ground means a storm will come around." Why is this a good indicator of bad weather? What's the science?

- 3. "If smoke hangs low, watch out for a blow." Why is this a good indicator of bad weather? What's the science?
- 4. "When grass is dry at morning light, look for rain before the night." Why is this a good indicator of bad weather? What's the science?
