



In-text Grammar

We use the question word **'why'** to ask for reasons and the connective **'because'** to tell the reasons.

e.g. Diana : **Why** are you laughing?

Russell : **Because** the joke is funny!

Nick and Sally are talking at school.

Sally : Hi, Nick. Why are you so happy?

Nick : Because a typhoon is coming.

We don't need to go to school tomorrow, so I can wake up late and watch TV all day!

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Sally : Oh...

Nick : Why do you frown and look unhappy?

Sally : Because I don't like typhoons. They are dangerous. They can bring strong winds and blow away people's houses!

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Nick : Really? That's scary!
Sally : Also, farmers lose a lot of money because the heavy rain causes flooding in the New Territories and kills the crops.

Nick : When do typhoons usually come to Hong Kong?

Sally : They usually come in summer.

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Nick : Oh no! I love eating mangoes in summer! I hope they don't kill the mango trees!



Choose the best answers by blackening the circles.

1. Nick does **NOT** like _____.

A. having a holiday

B. going to school

C. eating mangoes

D. watching TV

2. Read line 10. How does Nick look when he speaks?



A.



B.



C.



D.

skill 3. Typhoons come to Hong Kong in _____.

A. January

B. March

C. July

D. November

Q3

In which season do typhoons come?

Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

4. What do farmers lose when there is a typhoon?

They _____ when there is a typhoon.

5. Does Nick like typhoons in the end? Why?

_____, _____.

_____.

Fill in each blank with ONE word from the conversation.

In Hong Kong, the weather is sometimes bad in ⑥ _____.

There are typhoons and the heavy rain often ⑦ _____

landslides and flooding.

Q7

The word means 'to make something happen'.