

WEATHER WALTZ

When you're living off the land, the balance between rain and sunshine is very important!

Lots of indigenous cultures like native americans and the aboriginal people of Australia have ceremonies to communicate with the weather. Every culture has a different approach. Let's try and make your own weather dance!

First of all, what do you want the weather to do? Do you need more rain to water the dry soil, or do you need sunshine so the plants around the island will grow bigger faster?

Try copying what you want the weather to do - tapping on the ground like raindrops, or shooting your arms out like rays of sunshine.

Do you need to move fast or slow for the weather to listen? It's up to you!

Once you're happy with your dance, try adding a chant! It can be as simple or poetic as you like.

Show us your weather dances on our shared gallery! Hopefully the sky won't get confused!