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Meteorologists help to prepare us for the coming day, week, or month.



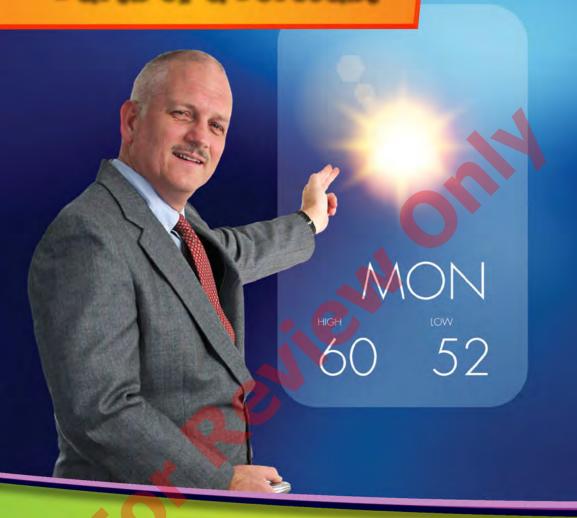
They tell us what they think the weather will be like. This is called a forecast.



A forecast is a number of guesses based on facts.



Parts of a Forecast



Forecasts **predict** high and low **temperatures**.





COLD SPELL

A weekly or monthly forecast can show **heat waves** and **cold spells**.