

Lyrics

Roll out those lazy, hazy, crazy days of summer

Those days of soda and pretzels and beer

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Dust off the sun and moon and sing a song of cheer

Just fill your basket full of sandwiches and weenies

Then lock the house up, now you're set

And on the beach you'll see the girls in their bikinis

As cute as ever but they never get 'em wet

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You'll wish that summer could always be here

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Dust off the sun and moon and sing a song of cheer

Don't have to tell a girl and fella about a drive-in

Are some romantic movie scene

Right from the moment that those lovers start arrivin'

You'll see more kissin' in the car than on the screen

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Those Lazy, Hazy, Crazy Days of Summer – ESL Activities

This lesson uses the song 'Those Lazy, Hazy, Crazy Days of Summer' to explore vocabulary, adjectives, grammar, and speaking activities in a fun, seasonal context.

Part 1: Vocabulary Activity – Summer Words & Phrases

Instructions: Match each word or phrase from the song with its correct definition. Then discuss: "Do you do this in the summer?"

Song Word or Phrase	Meaning
Lazy	Not working, relaxed, doing nothing
Hazy	Foggy or unclear (hot summer air)
Crazy	Wild, exciting, or silly
Soda	Fizzy, sweet drink
Pretzels	Salty baked snack, usually twisted
Dust off	Take something out after not using it for a while
Basket	A container for carrying food
Weenies	Hot dogs (informal word)
Bikinis	Small swimsuits for women
Drive-in	Outdoor movie theater where people sit in cars
Cheer	Happiness and excitement

Follow-Up Questions:

- Which of these things do you enjoy in the summer?
- Are any of these popular in your country?

Part 2: Grammar Activity – Adjectives & Repetition

Instructions: Look at the phrase: "Those lazy, hazy, crazy days of summer." These three adjectives all describe the same noun (days).

They follow a rhythm and use commas to list words.

Fill in the blank with your own summer adjectives:

Those ____, ____, ____ days of summer.

- Example Answers:

Those hot, sunny, busy days of summer.

Those peaceful, beautiful, relaxing days of summer.

BONUS PRACTICE: Rewrite these lines with your own words:

- "Just fill your basket full of __ and __."
- "On the beach, you'll see the __ in their __."
- "You'll wish that __ could always be here."

Part 3: Speaking Activity – Summer Memories & Plans

A. Discussion Prompts (Pairs or Small Groups):

- What do you usually do in summer?
- What food and drinks do you enjoy in hot weather?
- Do you have any fun summer memories from when you were younger?
- Do people in your country go to the beach, movies, or drive-ins?
- Do you think summer is lazy, hazy, or crazy? Why?

B. Role Play – Planning a Summer Picnic

Student A and B will plan a summer picnic. Use the following prompts:

- Where will you go?
- What will you bring? (food, drinks, games)
- Who will come?
- What will you do?
- How will you get there?