

Getting to know my group for the week

Beaufort scale

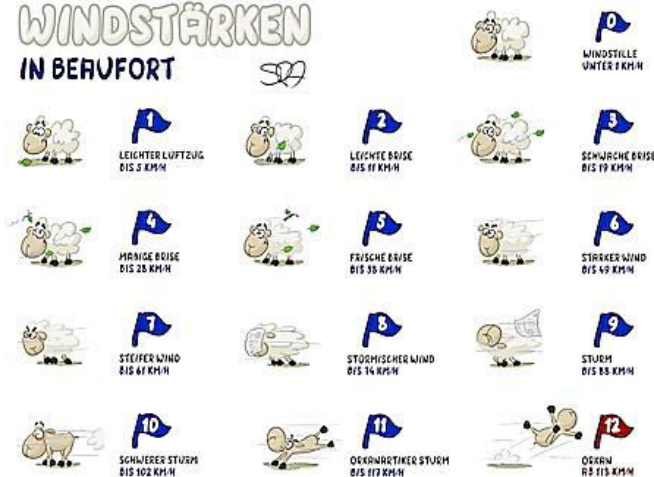
The Beaufort scale is a scale for measuring wind speeds. It is based on observation rather than accurate measurement. It is the most widely used system to measure wind speed today. There are twelve levels, plus 0 for "no wind". From 1946 to 1970, there were also beaufort levels 13 to 17. All of them were labelled as *Hurricane*. Because they were only used in special cases, they are no longer in use internationally. China, and Taiwan still use them, because they often have typhoons. (From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia)

Sir Francis Beaufort

*27 May 1774
 † 17 December 1857
 was an Irish hydrographer.



WINDSTÄRKEN IN BEAUFORT



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	km/h	mph	
0	<1	<1	Calm
1	1-5	1-3	Light air
2	6-11	3-7	Light breeze
3	12-19	8-12	Gentle breeze
4	20-28	13-17	Moderate breeze
5	29-38	18-24	Fresh breeze
6	39-49	25-30	Strong breeze
7	50-61	31-38	Moderate gale
8	62-74	39-46	Fresh gale
9	75-88	47-54	Strong gale
10	89-102	55-63	Whole gale/storm
11	103-117	64-72	violent storm
≥12	≥118	≥73	hurricane

Finding your group

1. Search the whole big group for the other fitting items (picture, speed, description...).

We have eight groups in the project because after Beaufort 9 a few wind power-stations will shut down.



2. You will work in this group the whole week

Draw a small picture of the beaufort-scale as group-symbol (something creative, but no sheeps).

My team members are:
