Emotion, Doubt & Uncertainty — Essentials

Emoción, duda e incertidumbre

Understand it · Entiéndelo

I react, doubt, or am sure · Reacciono o dudo, o estoy seguro

The mood follows your stance toward the fact. Reacting to it (me alegra que) or doubting it (dudo que, no creo que) takes the subjunctive. Being sure of it (sé que, creo que) takes the indicative.

English	Spanish
I am glad you are here.	Me alegra que estés aquí. estés: Verb — action or state
I doubt Ana will come.	Dudo que Ana venga. venga: Verb — action or state
I do not think it will rain.	No creo que llueva. llueva: Verb — action or state

Notes

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Use it · Úsalo

Build it step by step · Constrúyelo paso a paso

English	Spanish
I think Ana is coming.	Creo que Ana viene. viene: Verb — action or state
I do not think Ana is coming.	No creo que Ana venga. venga: Verb — action or state

Try it · Inténtalo

Compare “Creo que Ana…” with “No creo que Ana…” using venir.

Self-check · Comprueba tu respuesta

Creo que Ana viene. No creo que Ana venga.

Common mistake · Error común

Do not label subjunctive as always unreal. Me alegra que estés aquí can describe a real fact.

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