

Rainy Days

No matter how wet the spring day, a bit of bright rain gear will put the sun in your smile.

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1. DRIZZLE DAZZLE Travel light with Bric's Ultralight Rainbow Umbrella. Weighing only 5 oz., the waterproof nylon folds to 3.5 x 2.75 inches, and the wooden handle adds elegant detail. \$60 at Bric's; 212/688-4490.

2. SINGING IN THE RAIN Puttering in the garden or building sand castles at the shore, you'll always have music with this iPod-compatible Tivoli Audio SongBook clock-radio. The rubberized coating of this weather-resistant, portable radio is available in a variety of colors. \$160; tivoliaudio.com.



HAPPY FEET are dry feet, and nothing does it better in rain or mud than cotton-lined rubber boots in cheery prints. From left: Kamik's Daisy and Squiggle rubber boots, \$60 each; zappos.com. For more options visit kamic.com. Cherry print, \$60; westernchief.com.