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| **W** | Wishes, Desires, Imperatives | Quiero que él…, Deseo que ella…, Necesito que usted…, Espero que tú…, Insisto que… |
| **E** | Emotion | Me alegro de que…, me enoja que…, Temo que… |
| **I** | Impersonal Observations | Es bueno que…, Es importante que…, Es posible que… |
| **R** | Recommendations | Recomiendo que…, Sugiero que… |
| **D** | Doubt, Denial, Disbelief | Dudo que…, No creo que…, ¿Crees que…?, Niego que… |
| **O** | Ojalá | Ojalá que |

**When do we use the subjunctive?**

Use the ***WEIRDO***acronym to help you know when to use the subjunctive tense.

The **3 Part Formula** for using the Subjunctive. You **MUST** have all three pieces.

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| **Subject #1 (indicative verb)**  (Select one of the WEIRDO categories) | **Que**  This is the conjunction necessary to introduce the subjunctive clause | **Subject #2 + verb in the subjunctive**  (the person or thing in our WEIRDO world) |