

Seasons come, seasons go

Year 1 Term 2

Geography and Science focus

The Four Seasons

autumn

September
October
November

winter

December
January
February

spring

March
April
May

summer

June
July
August



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Summer



Spring



Autumn



Winter



Seasons	There are four seasons each year, autumn, winter, spring and summer.
Autumn	In autumn the weather begins to get colder. The leaves start to fall from the trees. The amount of daylight becomes less. The daytime is shorter and the night times are longer.
Winter	In winter the weather is much colder than in other seasons. Sometimes it even gets cold enough to freeze leaving frost and ice on the ground. It sometimes snows in winter and many of the trees have bare branches. The daytime is the shortest in the year and the night times are the longest.
Spring	In the spring, the weather starts to get warmer and the leaves begin to grow back on to the trees and blossom can be seen on some trees too. Plants begin to grow and baby animals are born, like lambs. The daytimes start to get longer.
Summer	In the summer, the weather gets hotter. The daytime is long and the night times are shorter. Summer has the longest days. The trees are full of leaves and there are lots of flowers, bees, butterflies and other minibeasts around.
Daylight	Daylight is when it is light outside, the amount of daylight changes with each season.

Weather	The weather includes the temperature and wind direction and strength as well as rain, cloud, snow and sun.
Rainfall	The amount of rain that falls
Temperature	How hot or cold it is
Thermometer	Equipment used to measure the temperature
Weather forecast	What the weather will be like in the next few days
Data	When we collect information that tells us something
Predict	Use information to help us make a sensible guess or estimate
Climate	A pattern in the weather over some years
Precipitation	The water that falls from clouds, this can be rain, snow or hail stones
Equator	An imaginary line which separates Northern and Southern Hemispheres

