



Key Vocabulary

Word	Meaning
Seasons	In the UK, there are four seasons each year. They are spring, summer, autumn and winter.
Spring	When the cold, winter temperatures start to get warmer.
Summer	The warmest season on the year.
Autumn	When the hot, summer temperatures start to get colder.
Winter	The coldest season of the year.
Weather	The conditions and temperature outside.
Temperature	How warm or cool something or a place is.
Hibernate	To think about what is the same and what is different

Features of each season

Autumn:

Temperatures drop, skies can be overcast. Some animals collect food for winter. Leaves change colour and fall from deciduous trees. Harvest time is in this season.

September, October and November



Winter:

The coldest time of the year. We sometimes see snow, frost, sleet and hail. Water freezes to ice. Some animals like hedgehogs and tortoises **hibernate**.

December, January and February



Spring:

In this season, **temperatures** rise and the earth starts to warm up. Flowers begin to grow. This season is associated with birth and growth. Baby animals like lambs and chicks are born.

March, April and May



Summer:

The hottest time of the year. There is usually sunshine, generally dry weather but there maybe thunderstorms too.

June, July and August



What to wear in each season?

Clothing to wear during each **season**.

summer



spring



winter



autumn



Weather

The **weather** patterns are different in each **season**.

The weather includes the temperature outside, how windy it is and rainfall (how much it rains).

- A weather forecast is a statement saying what the **weather** will be like today, the next day or for the next few days.
- Weather forecasts use different symbols which are helpful. Weather symbols are put on a map to show what the weather will be like at different places.



Sunny



Cloudy



Rainy



Snowy



Thundery

Extending Your Learning

1. Look at some photos you have taken outdoors, can you tell which season it was taken in?
2. Make a scrapbook using drawings and pictures grouped into different seasons.
3. What do you like to do in summer? Can you do those things in the winter?