

Year 1: Seasonal change

Key Learning

In the UK we have 4 different seasons.

Spring	Summer	Autumn	Winter
			
March April May	June July August	September October November	December January February

The seasons can happen at different times of the year in different places.



Seasons change throughout the year because of the way the Earth travels around the Sun.



Spring

In Spring, the weather starts to get warmer. The leaves begin to grow on the trees and some may blossom (flower). New plants begin to grow and you may see baby animals like lambs.



Summer

In Summer, the weather gets hotter. The daytime is long and the night is short. The trees are full of leaves and there are lots of flowers, bees, butterflies and insects.



Autumn

In Autumn, the weather starts to get colder. The leaves turn brown and start to fall from the trees. The amount of daylight becomes less.



Winter

In winter, the weather is much colder. Sometimes it is cold enough to freeze which means there is ice on the ground. It can even snow. Many trees have bare branches as all their leaves have fallen off.



Sticky Vocabulary

season	There are four seasons at different times of the year.
sunny	When the sun can be seen in the sky.
sunrise	When the sun comes up in the morning.
sunset	When the sun does down in the evening.
day	A full 24 hours such as Monday or Saturday.
length	How long something lasts.