

Primary Worksheets: Seasons



The weather changes throughout the year. These changes are called seasons. There are four seasons in a year that brings important changes for plants and animals who live in different parts of the world.

The Earth spins in a tilted position when it orbits around the sun. The tilt is what causes our seasons to change as different parts of the Earth are closer or further away from the Sun's light.



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Winter begins on the shortest day of the year. During Winter, plants and trees stop growing because of the cold. In some places, it can snow. Animals start to find places to hide and sleep, a process called hibernation.

Spring starts when the night and day are the same length. Trees and plants start to grow as the weather gets warmer. Animals come out of hibernation and start to have babies.

Summer begins on the longest day of the year. Summer is the warmest time of the year. Fruit start to grow on trees and plants and young animals become bigger and stronger.



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Autumn, like Spring, starts when night and day are at the same length. The temperature drops causing leaves to change colour and fall from trees. Animals start collecting food before Winter starts.



The longest day is on June 21st while the longest night is on December 21st.

Seasons are not the same for the North and South. When it is Summer in the North, it is Winter in the South. When it Winter in the North, it is Summer in the South!

What is your favourite season?



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Answer the questions.

How do we have seasons?

What are the four seasons in order?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____



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Answer the questions.

What happens in Winter?

What happens in Spring?

What happens in Summer?



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Answer the questions.

What happens in Autumn?

Are the seasons the same for North and South?

What are the longest and shortest days?

