



Key Vocabulary

weather, sunny, rainy, raining, shower, windy, snowy, cloudy, hot, warm, cold, storm, thunder, lightning, hail, sleet, snow, icy, frost, puddles, rainbow seasons, winter, summer, spring, autumn, sun, sunrise, sunset, day length



**Spring**  
March  
April  
May

**Summer**  
June  
July  
August

**Autumn**  
September  
October  
November

**Winter**  
December  
January  
February

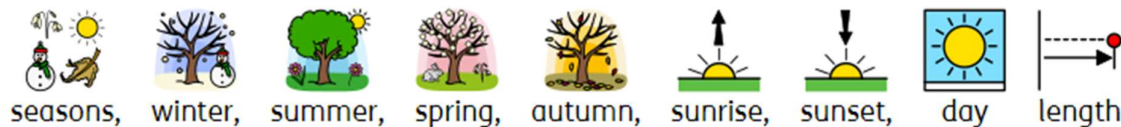
<b>Autumn</b>	People start wearing more layers of clothing during <b>autumn</b> as temperatures start to drop. It gets <b>colder</b> . Some trees, evergreen trees, keep their leaves all year while the leaves on deciduous trees change colour and drop.
<b>Winter</b>	Winter is normally the <b>coldest</b> time of the year. Water freezes to ice. Many plants stop growing. There are less minibests to be found. People wear warmer clothes during the <b>winter</b> , such as thick coats, gloves, hats and scarves. The <b>day length</b> is shortest in <b>winter</b> and night times are long.
<b>Day length</b>	<b>Day length</b> is how many hours of light there are in a day. Day length is longest in the <b>summer</b> and shortest in the <b>winter</b> .

Daylight hours each month:

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Hours of Daylight	13	11	9	8	8	10	12	14	15	16	16	14



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**Spring** In **spring**, flowers begin to grow. The leaves begin to grow on the trees and some trees may blossom (have flowers). Temperatures start to get **warmer**. People start changing what they are wearing. They might not wear thick coats, gloves, scarves or hat as often or if at all. **Day length** starts to get longer. You may see baby animals such as lambs.

**Summer** **Summer** is the **hottest** time of the year. There is often lots of **sunshine** and generally dry weather but there may be **thunderstorms**. The trees are full of leaves and there are lots of flowers, bees, butterflies and other insects. **Day length** is the longest in summer.

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