

The Seasons



There are 4 Seasons. The Seasons are Spring, Summer, Autumn, and Winter.
The Seasons occur in a cycle.



AUTUMN

September, October and November



WINTER

December, January and February



SPRING

March, April and May



SUMMER

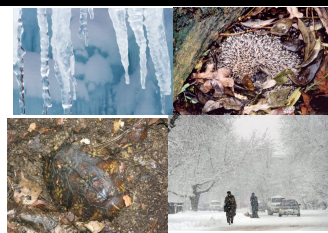
June, July and August

AUTUMN FEATURES



Harvest time is in this season.
Temperatures drop. Skies can be **overcast**.
Birds **migrate** to warmer climates.
Leaves change colour and fall from **deciduous** trees.

WINTER FEATURES



The coldest time of year. We sometimes see snow, **frost** in the morning, **sleet**, **blizzards**, and **hail**.
Water freezes to ice. Many plants stop growing.
Some animals including **hedgehogs** and **tortoises** **hibernate**.

SPRING FEATURES



In this season temperatures rise and the earth starts to warm up. Flowers begin to grow. This season is associated with rebirth and growth, some baby animals are born (e.g. lambs, chicks)

SUMMER FEATURES



The hottest time of the year. There is usually sunshine, generally dry weather but there may be thunderstorms too!
Flowers and trees are in **bloom**.

Summer solstice



The longest day of the year.
In the UK it falls on June 21st.

Winter solstice



The shortest day of the year.
In the UK it falls on December 21st.

Spring and Autumn Equinox



There is an equal amount of daylight and night.