



**Sun,  
Storm,  
Sun Again**



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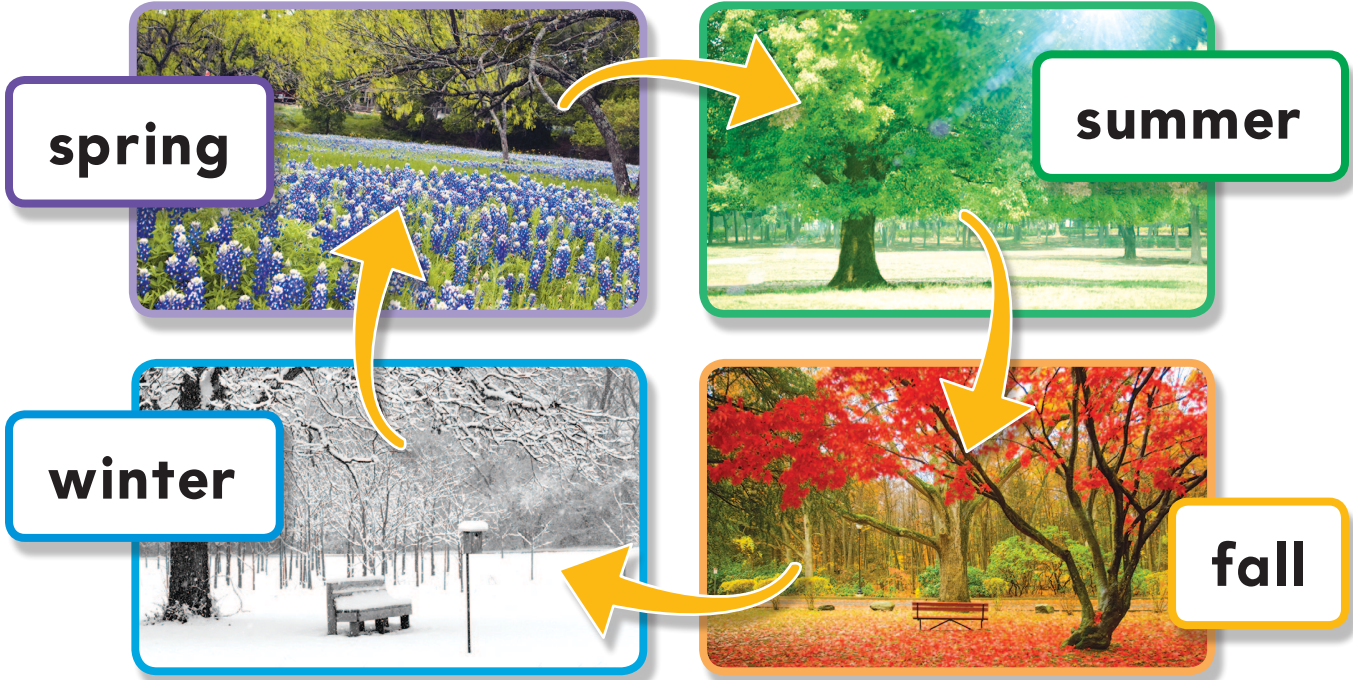
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The seasons follow the same pattern each year.



A young boy with dark hair, wearing a white sweater over a blue collared shirt and tan pants, stands in a field of fallen autumn leaves. He is holding a red rake with a white handle. The background shows a wooden fence and trees with yellow and orange leaves. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting a sunny day.

**Fall comes after summer.**

**Fall may be cooler than summer.**

The weather often changes with the seasons.





**warm, sunny morning**

Weather can change even in the same day.

**hot, sunny at noon**



**thermometer**

Thermometers measure temperature.  
The air can be hot at noon.



**storm clouds**

**rainy afternoon**

**windy**

A thunderstorm is coming.

A windsock shows it is windy.

**windsock**

**warm, clear night**



The thunderstorm ends.  
The sky is clear again.



# Responding

## Observe and Describe the Weather

Observe and record the weather for one week. Then write a poem to describe how the weather changed from day to day and, if possible, within one day.

## Write About the Seasons

Fold a piece of paper in half widthwise. Then fold it in half again lengthwise. You now have a four-page book. Label each page with the name of a season. Write the seasons in the correct pattern. Then write a sentence and draw a picture to show the weather for each season.

## Vocabulary

fall	temperature
rainy	thermometer
seasons	weather
spring	windsock
summer	windy
sunny	winter



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