

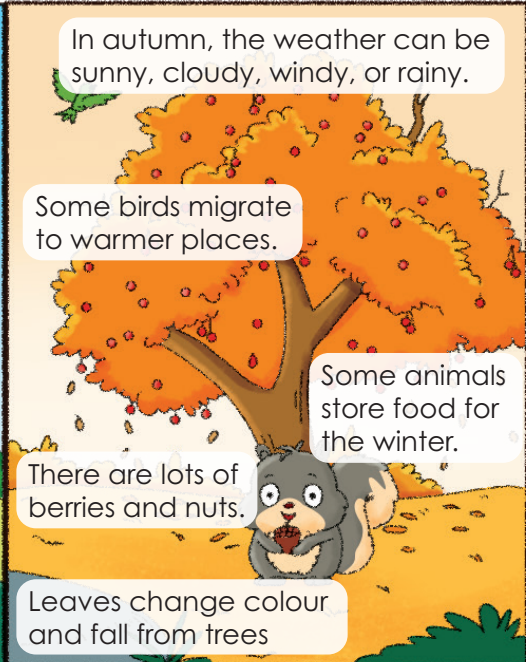
There are four seasons in the year...

Spring

Summer

Autumn

Winter



In autumn, the weather can be sunny, cloudy, windy, or rainy.

In winter the weather is cold and sometimes it snows.

Some birds migrate to warmer places.

Many trees are bare

Some animals store food for the winter.

There are lots of berries and nuts.

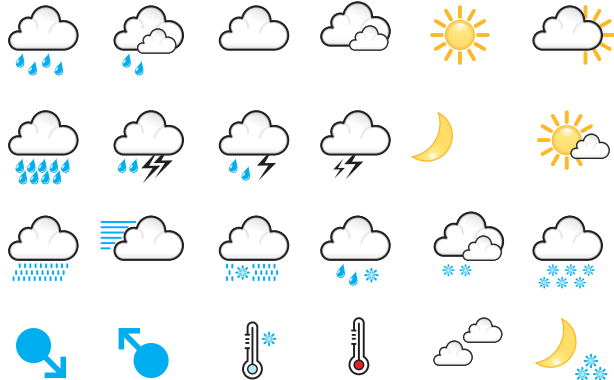
Leaves change colour and fall from trees

You need to wear lots of thick clothes to stay warm.

March April May June July August September October November December January February

Weather symbols

Weather forecasts tell us what the weather is going to be like.



As the seasons change from autumn to winter:

- it get colder
- days get shorter
- there are fewer hours of daylight.

In winter, some animals:

| Hibernate | Stay near homes | Are active |
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| hedgehog | badger | fox |
| dormouse | squirrel | deer |

| Word | Definition |
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| active | If you are active, you are busy doing things. |
| adapt | To adapt is to change. Groups of plants or animals adapt over time to suit their surroundings. |
| animal | An animal is a living thing that can move and feel. |
| autumn | The season when leaves fall off the trees, between summer and winter. |
| cold | When something is cold, it is at a low temperature. It is the opposite of hot. |
| daylight | The time when it is day rather than night. |
| forecasts | A statement about what the weather is likely to be. |
| hibernate | When animals hibernate, they spend the winter in a special kind of deep sleep. |
| leaves | The leaves on a plant are the green parts that grow at the ends of the stems and branches. |
| migration | When a group of animals regularly move from one place to another. |
| plants | A plant is a living thing that grows in the soil. |
| season | The four seasons are the four parts of the year, which are spring, summer, autumn and winter. |
| sleet | Sleet is a mixture of rain and snow. |
| snow | Snow is small, light flakes of frozen water that fall from the sky when it is very cold. |
| spring | Spring is the time of the year when the days get lighter and warmer and plants start to grow. |
| summer | Summer is the time of the year when the weather is hot and it stays light for longer in the evenings. |
| temperature | Temperature is a measure of how hot something is. |
| weather | The weather is what it is like outside, for example whether the sun is shining or it is rainy or windy. |
| winter | Winter is the time of the year when the weather is cold and it gets dark early in the evenings. |
| year | A year is a measure of time. There are 12 months in a year. |