

## Spring

Spring is one of the four seasons. Spring comes after winter and before summer. It has been a cold winter. Spring is here now. Jack is going outside to play. It is sunny today. The weather gets warmer in spring.

R: When is spring? Circle your answer.

before winter

after winter

after summer

Jack goes into the garden. The trees are starting to grow new leaves. The new leaves are very small. One tree in Jack's garden has blossoms on it. Blossoms are flowers on trees. The bees like the blossoms. Jack watches the bees fly.

E: Why do you think the leaves are only small?

Oh no! It has started to rain. It can rain a lot in spring. The rain helps all the new plants to grow. Plants need sunshine and rain. Jack goes inside until the rain stops.

R: What spring weather helps the plants grow? Circle your answers.

sunshine

cold

wind

rain

snow



Later, Jack is going to visit the farm. The farm has baby lambs. There are a lot of baby animals in spring. Spring is the time for new life. Lots of birds return in spring. They come back from the places they go to in winter.

The weather will get warmer as it gets closer to summer. Summer comes after spring.

**V:** Which word means 'come back from'?

**S:** Which of these happen in spring? Circle all correct answers.

it gets colder                      new leaves grow                      it gets warmer  
leaves fall off the trees                      baby animals are born

## Answers

R: after winter

E: the trees are only just beginning to grow new leaves/they haven't finished growing

R: sunshine and rain

V: return

S: new leaves grow, it gets warmer, baby animals are born