

Key Vocabulary

Weather: The state of the atmosphere at a particular place and time.

Seasons: Each of the 4 divisions of the year

Spring : The season after winter and before summer.

Summer: The season after spring and before autumn.

Autumn: The season after summer and before winter.

Winter: The season after autumn and before spring.








Rain: Water the falls from clouds in small drops.

Sun: A star that provides light and heat to the Earth.



Thermometer: A device used for measuring temperature.

Temperature: The measured amount of heat in a place.

Weather forecasts use different symbols which are helpful.

	Sunny
	Sunshine with cloud
	Cloudy
	Raining
	Thunder
	Windy
	Snow

Spring	March, April, May
Summer	June, July, August
Autumn	September, October, November
Winter	December, January, February

<p>AUTUMN FEATURES</p>		<p>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.</p>
<p>WINTER FEATURES</p>		<p>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.</p>
<p>SPRING FEATURES</p>		<p>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)</p>
<p>SUMMER FEATURES</p>		<p>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.</p>

Glossary

United Kingdom	A country that includes England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Island.
Rural	Places and things in the countryside.
Urban	Places or things in a town or city.
Land use	The way people use land.
Physical features	Natural things like rivers, beaches and forests.
Human features	Things that have been built like playgrounds and shops.

Where do we live?

We live in England in the United Kingdom which is part of the continent of Europe. Europe is the second smallest continent by land area but is home to 747 million people.

A key on a map tells the reader what the symbols mean.

A symbol is a picture that is used to represent a real object.



Can you find where you live on the map?



Marlborough is a town

It is in a rural area.

Marlborough is in the county of Wiltshire.

Marlborough is in England.

England is part of the United Kingdom.

Our school is near Savernake Forest.

Buses connect Marlborough with other places.