



WEATHER





sunny



snow

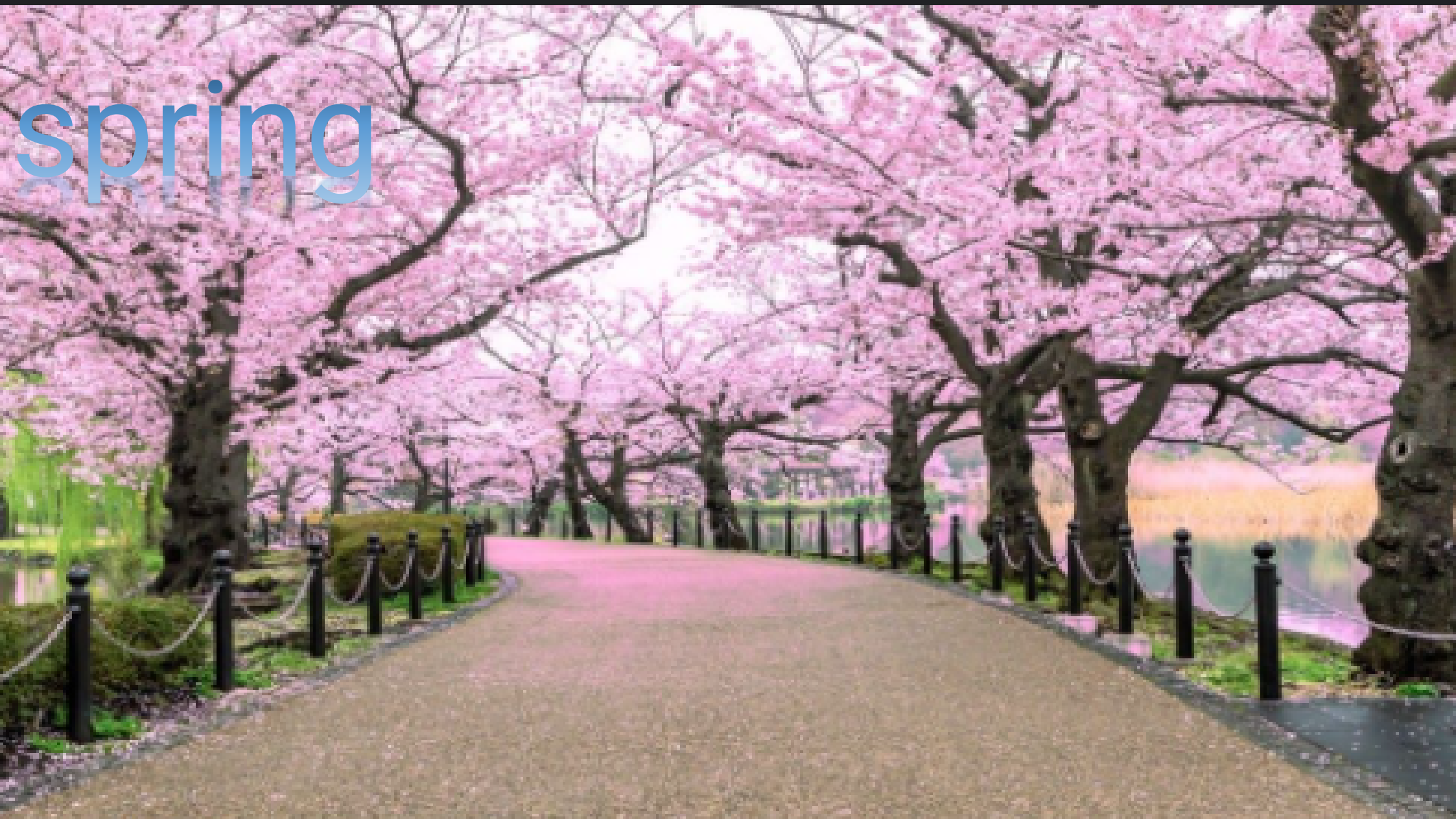


hot

cold



spring



A vibrant field of sunflowers under a bright, sunny sky with rays of light. The sunflowers are in various stages of bloom, with bright yellow petals and dark brown centers. The background is a soft, out-of-focus field of more sunflowers, creating a sense of depth. The sky is a clear, bright blue with visible sun rays emanating from the upper right corner, adding a warm and cheerful atmosphere to the scene.

summe
r



autumn

A serene winter night landscape. The sky is a deep blue, filled with a large, bright yellow full moon in the upper left and numerous white stars. Snow-covered hills roll across the middle ground, dotted with dark, snow-laden evergreen trees. In the foreground, a small, cozy wooden cabin with a snow-covered roof and glowing yellow windows sits on a snowy plain. The entire scene is bathed in a soft, wintry light, with a gentle snowfall suggested by small white specks.

winter

rainy





cloudy



windy

What do you think **about the weather?**



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Some people love talking about the weather. What about you? Send us a message. Answer one of these questions.

- 1 How do you feel when it's raining?
- 2 What sports do you do in the winter?
- 3 Do you like summer more than winter?





Hannah, 11, Oxford

I play football every autumn and winter in the rain, wind and snow. The cold weather doesn't stop me!



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I feel bad when it rains in the holidays. I like doing things outside. I don't want to stay inside reading or watching TV. And you can't go to the cinema every day – it's too expensive.



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Libby, 12, Newport

I love sports but it's harder to do them outside in winter. I play tennis in the summer and spring but not in winter. I often go swimming with my friends on Saturdays in winter.



Josh, 12, Aberdeen

Rain is just water – it's not a problem. I put on a coat and I go outside. It's fun!



David, 13, Suffolk

I have a horse and I ride it every day – in the winter and in the summer. Cold weather's not a problem, but we don't like the wind! It's not nice!



Ethan, 11, London

No, I don't like hot sun at all – my favourite kind of weather is snow. It's much better to play in.



Finn, 10, Hull

Sad! I want to go on a day out with my parents and my brother, but we can't go because it's raining.



Sarah, 14, Derby

Of course! I love the sun. It's my favourite kind of weather. I feel happier when it's warm. I love going to the pool with my friends. When I'm on holiday, I spend time at the beach and swim in the sea.



1 Match the pictures A–K to the words.

EP

autumn

cold

hot

rain

snow

spring

summer

sun

warm

wind

winter

A



B



C



D



E



F



G



H



I



J



K





What's the weather like?



How's the weather?



GRAMMAR

it

- 1 Look at the examples from page 106 and complete the sentences.

I feel bad when *it* rains in the holidays.

I have a horse and I ride *it* every day.

I like *tennis*, but I don't play *it* in the winter.

You can't *go to the cinema* every day. *It is* too expensive.

We also use *it* to talk about the weather:

It is cold today.

Read the messages on page 106 again and find more sentences with *it*.



PRONUNCIATION

Vowel sounds

5 Match the words with the same vowel sound.

A	B
snow	stay
wind	sport
rain	love
warm	where
fun	ride
find	coat
watch	stop
wear	live



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Listen, check and repeat.

2 Put the words in order and complete the sentences.

0 really / It's / outside / hot

It's really hot outside – let's go to the beach.

1 play / It's / to / fun

It's fun to play in the snow.

2 hot / when / good / it's

I don't feel Good when it's hot

3 it's / but / really / hard

I like maths But it's really hard

4 wear / it / you / can

That's my hat but You can wear it

5 but / it / I / play / can't

I've got a guitar But I can't play it.



What do you do when it's raining?



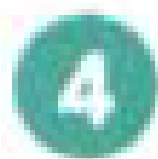
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How do you feel when
it's hot?





What kind of clothes do you wear in summer?



What kind of food do you eat when it's cold?

5 What do
Do in summer?

6 How do you feel
When its raining?

7 What kind of
Food do you like?