

Activity Type

Vocabulary Games: matching, labelling, drawing, memorizing, guessing (pair work)

Focus

Seasons

Aim

To match vocabulary with pictures related to the four seasons and to play a memory game and guessing game using the seasonal vocabulary.

Preparation

Make one copy of the worksheet for each student.

Level

Beginner (A1)

Time

20 minutes

Introduction

In these fun four seasons games, students match vocabulary with pictures related to the four seasons and play a memory game and guessing game using the seasonal vocabulary.

Procedure

Give each student a copy of the worksheet.

First, students match each word to a seasonal picture and write the word underneath.

Exercise A - Answer key

Spring: flowers, rain, egg, rabbit

Summer: ice cream, hot, swimming, beach

Autumn: leaves, apple, wind, Halloween

Winter: cold, coat, snow, boots

Students then draw one more item for each season and write the word underneath.

Next, divide the students into pairs.

Tell the students not to show their worksheet to their partner.

Write the following sentence on the board:

The spring/summer/autumn/winter words are...

Have one student in each pair put their worksheet face-down and try to remember all the vocabulary from one season using the language from the board.

For each correct answer, the student scores a point.

Then, their partner does the same for another season.

This continues until all four seasons have been covered.

Next, students take it in turns to guess their partner's pictures using similar language, e.g. 'Your spring word is...'

Students get two guesses for each picture. If they guess the item correctly the first time, they score two points. If they guess right the second time, they get one point.

The student with the most points at the end of the game wins.

A. Match each word to a seasonal picture and write the word underneath.

cold flowers apple ice cream leaves rain swimming rabbit
wind hot boots Halloween snow egg coat beach

Spring	Summer	Autumn	Winter
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B. Now, draw one more item for each season and write the word underneath.