

# There is a Season

## For Murphy, Ada and Bucky, thank you for showing me the joy in each season.



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### Murphy's sketches

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The year is split into four seasons: spring, summer, autumn and winter.

As the year moves through these seasons, there is lots to see and do.

There is a season to match all moods with different food to taste, different clothes to wear, different sounds to hear, different things to enjoy and many different sorts of adventures to be had.

The same places you might see every day can change so much it feels like you're in another world, and there is lots and lots to explore.

Each season is special and each one is lovely in its own way. A bit like usl

When you read through all these poems, you might think of lots of things you love about each season, and you might discover some new things to love about each one too.





You could even have a go at writing a poem yourself about your favourite season. You don't have to be the best at spelling, and you don't even have to make it rhyme. It can be a lot of fun to write poems. You could make a list of all your favourite things about the seasons and draw some pictures to go along with it.

DID YOU KNOW ...

- \* There are 4 seasons: spring, summer, autumn and winter.
- \* Each season is made up of 3 months of the year.

\* Each season is different. They have different types of weather, different days that people celebrate and different sorts of plants and flowers that bloom and grow.

Enjoy exploring the world around you.

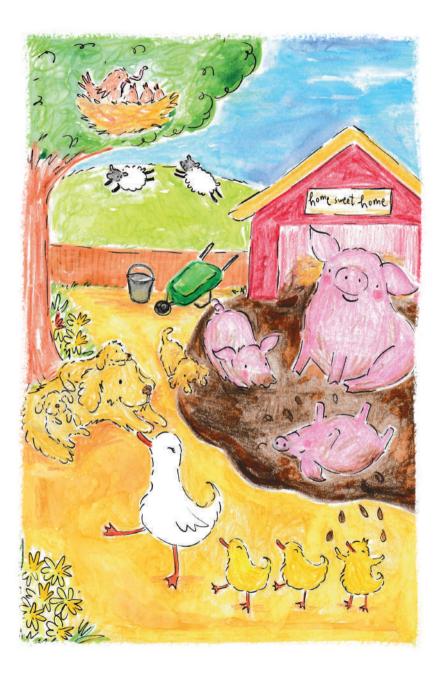
love from, Kerri ×











#### IN SPRING

In spring, nature puts on quite a show, Trees bloom pink and flowers grow. And that's why it's so fun to go And get outside in spring.

In spring, there can be April showers. All of that rain is great for flowers! It's lots of fun to pass the hours Jumping in puddles in spring.



#### PLANT A GARDEN

Plant a garden,
Watch it grow.
Have some patience,
Growth is slow.
But it's worth it,
You will Know,
When you see your garden start to grow.



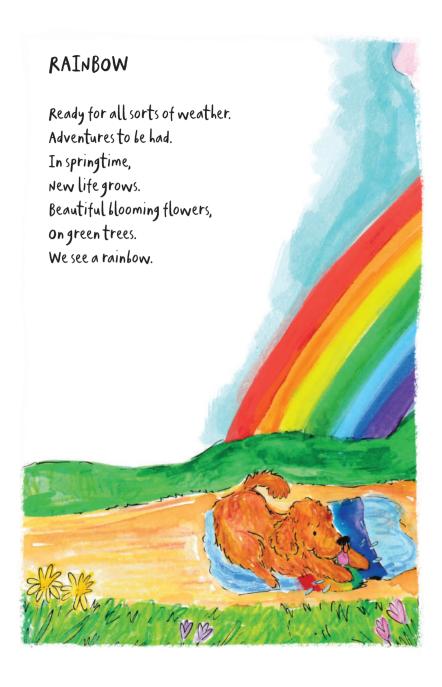
#### PUDDLE JUMPING

It doesn't get much better, When the weather's getting wetter, Than pulling on your boots, And running from your door.

"Go and grab your coat, or do you need a boat?" That is a lot of puddles, That are strewn across the floor!

You take a great big leap, And down come both your feet. A satisfying splash, And there's water everywhere!

Now your socks are soaking wet, And you happened to forget Your hat and your umbrella, So there's water in your hair!





#### LITTLE LAMBS

little lambs are leaping, Through lush green fields. Running by their mothers, And jumping in the air.

Fluffy little clouds, of white and black and grey. When you pass by fields in springtime, You see them everywhere.

These playful little babies, So new to the world. Underneath the blue skies, They skip without a care.

#### SPRING FLOWERS

first the snow drops say, "Hello",
Then the yellow and purple crocuses grow.
Rows of daffodils tall and bright,
Yellow and orange; a sunshine delight.
The hyacinths white, pink and blue,
Then beautiful tulips peeking through.
Spring flowers growing all around,
A carpet of colourful blooms on the ground.



#### THE EGG HUNT

You follow a trail through the garden, Where will the treasure be found?

You carry your basket with great care, And keep your keen eyes on the ground!



Searching for flashes of shimmering foil, Hiding amongst the grass.

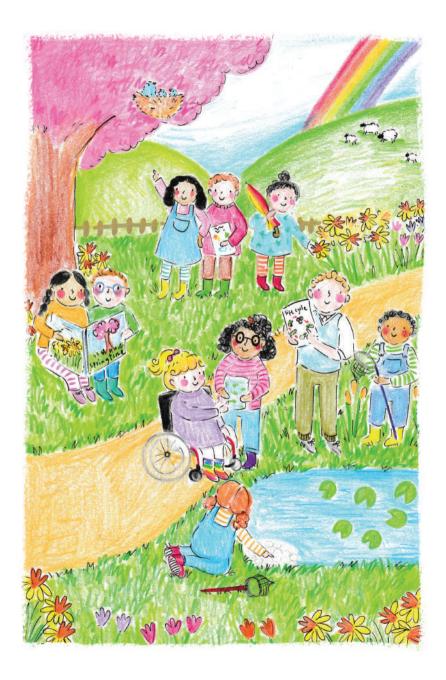








And then finally you spot one inside a flower pot, And you cry, "I've found one at last!"



#### THINGS TO SEE IN SPRING





#### THINGS TO DO IN SPRING



Make a spring nature hunt and get outside.



Plant something and watch it grow.



Splash in puddles wearing your wellies.



Feed the ducks.





Take a trip to a farm to see some baby animals.

