

**Aim of the lesson:**

By the end of this lesson you will be able to talk about the 4 seasons of the year, as well as seasonal holidays while using prepositions of time.

Level: A1

## The Four Seasons



### Speaking

1. How many seasons are there?
2. What's your favourite season? Why?
3. What's your least favourite season. Why?

4. Write down three activities that you can do in summer.
5. Write down one holiday that reminds you of winter.

*Tip: ho ho ho*

### Winter Time

My name is Anna and I'm 21 years-old. I have many friends and we do many activities together. In summer we like going to the beach and sunbathing, but summer is not my favourite season. My favourite season is Winter. I like the cold weather and I also like winter clothes. I like drinking hot tea and hot chocolate, and I love winter holidays, like Christmas. At Christmas my parents always have time off work and we spend much time together! Sometimes we go skiing and other times we stay home and play board games or watch films. I love it.

#### Are the following sentences True or False:

1. Ana is 21 years-old.
2. Ana's favourite season is summer because she goes to the beach with her friends.
3. Ana loves winter, but she doesn't like winter clothes.
4. Ana's parents always work a lot at Christmas.
5. During the Christmas holidays Ana and her family sometimes go skiing or stay home and play board games and watch films.

#### Which sentence is correct?

1. In Christmas
2. On Christmas
3. At Christmas

## Exercises

Fill the gaps with the prepositions “in” “on” “at”

1. My name is Hiraki. I was born \_\_\_\_ Japan.
2. I was born \_\_\_\_ 2004.
3. I am \_\_\_\_ home now.
4. I like going to the beach \_\_\_\_ summer/winter/spring/fall.
5. I was born \_\_\_\_ December.
6. I have breakfast \_\_\_\_ 9.00 am.
7. I am learning the prepositions of time \_\_\_\_ the moment.
8. I like sleeping \_\_\_\_ the weekend.
9. My parents always buy me a gift \_\_\_\_ my birthday.
10. I have English lessons \_\_\_\_ Tuesdays and Fridays.
11. We eat almonds \_\_\_\_ Easter.

## Prepositions of Time

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>In</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Parts of the Day</i> <i>Months</i> <i>Years</i> <i>Seasons</i> <i>Centuries</i></p>	<p>In the morning In August In 2026 In the summer In summertime In the 21<sup>st</sup> century In the 1990s</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>On</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Days of the week Day + part of the day Specific days Dates</p>	<p>On Monday/Tuesday On Tuesday morning On my birthday On our anniversary On a weekday On the weekend (AmE) On a public holiday On New Year's Day On Christmas Day On the 6<sup>th</sup> August</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>AT</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Specific time Holiday period</p>	<p>At night At 3 O'clock At noon/midday At midnight At sunrise/sunset At the weekend (BrE) At the moment At times At bedtime At dinnertime At Christmas</p>