**Spring Key Vocabulary: Junior Infants**

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| **Nouns** | **Verbs** | **Adjectives** | **Adverbs** |
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| Springseasonanimalsflowers | Februarylambchick | calf daffodilMarchApril | growplay | born | hatchbud | yellowpinkpurple | warmer | brighter | very alwaysduring | mostly | brightly |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| It is spring. | It is the season of spring. | Spring is one of the four seasons. |
| Baby animals are born in springtime. | The months of spring are February, March and April. | During spring the days begin to get longer and warmer. |

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**Spring Key Vocabulary: Senior Infants**

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| SpringseasonanimalsflowersFebruarylambchickbaby | calf daffodilMarchAprileggsbudsbulb | Eastercrocus snowdropspringtime | growplayborn  | hatchbud | blossomcelebrate | yellowpinkpurplewarmerbaby | brighterlongercolourful | pastel | very alwaysduringnow | mostlybrightlynearly | playfully |
| **Statements** |
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**Spring Key Vocabulary: First Class**

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| SpringseasonanimalsflowersFebruarylambchickbabycalf daffodilMarchAprileggsbudsbulbcolours | Eastercrocus snowdropspringtimenestnew lifeoutdoors | growthhappiness | growplaybornhatchbud | blossomcelebrate | awakensprout | yellowpinkpurplewarmerbabybrighterlongercolourfulfluffycute |  pastelchanging | floral | very alwaysduringnowmostlybrightlynearly | playfullyquitestill | specially |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Spring is one of the four seasons | Spring is a time for new life. | Spring is a time for growth and happiness. |
| The months of spring are February, March and April. | During springtime many colourful flowers sprout up. | Spring is a time of awakening and new life.. |

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**Spring Key Vocabulary: Second Class**

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| SpringseasonanimalsflowersFebruarylambchickbabycalf daffodilMarchAprileggsbudsbulbcoloursEastercrocus snowdropspringtimenestnew lifeoutdoors | growthhappinesssymbol | litter  |  growplaybornhatchbudblossomcelebrate | awakensproutprepareto nest | forageincubate |  yellowpinkpurplewarmerbabybrighterlongercolourfulfluffycutepastelchanging |  floralcuddlyfurry | defensivenesting | very alwaysduringnowmostlybrightlynearlyplayfullyquitestill | specially | throughoutespecially |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Spring is one of the four seasons | Spring is a time for new life. | Spring is a time for growth and happiness. |
| The months of spring are February, March and April. | During springtime many colourful flowers sprout up. | Spring is a time of awakening and new life. |

**Spring Key Vocabulary: Third Class**

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| **Nouns** | **Verbs** | **Adjectives** | **Adverbs** |
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| SpringseasonanimalsflowersFebruarylambchickbabycalf daffodilMarchAprileggsbudsbulbcoloursEastercrocus snowdropspringtimenestnew lifeoutdoorsgrowthhappinesssymbol | litterswallowcuckoowoodpeckergeesemigrationjourney | chaffinchScandinaviaspecies | growplaybornhatchbudblossomcelebrateawakensproutprepareto nest  | forageincubatebleat | departarrive | yellowpinkpurplewarmerbabybrighterlongercolourfulfluffycutepastelchangingfloralcuddlyfurry | defensivenestingsharp | nativeforaging | very alwaysduringnowmostlybrightlynearlyplayfullyquitestill | speciallythroughoutespecially | widespread |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| Many species of birds return to Ireland in springtime. | February can bring a sharp edge to weather conditions. | The gradual lengthening of the day triggers birds to sing. |
| Spring is a time of awakening and new life. | April showers bring May flowers. | Birds begin the process of finding and setting up a new territory. |

**Spring Key Vocabulary: Fourth Class**

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| SpringseasonanimalsflowersFebruarylambchickbabycalfdaffodilMarchAprileggsbudsbulbcoloursEastercrocussnowdropspringtimenestnew lifeoutdoorsgrowthhappinesssymbollitterswallowcuckoowoodpeckergeesemigrationjourney | chaffinchScandinaviaspeciesseashorewater | algaeestuarycolonies | growplaybornhatchbudblossomcelebrateawakensproutprepareto nestforageincubatebleatmigrate | departarrivereturn | frequentsventure | yellowpinkpurplewarmerbabybrighterlongercolourfulfluffycutepastelchangingfloralcuddlyfurrydefensivenestingsharp |  nativeforaginginland | nutrient-richremote | very alwaysduringnowmostlybrightlynearlyplayfullyquitestillspeciallythroughoutespecially | widespreadannuallytypically | seasonallydepending |
| **Statements** |
| B | C | S |
| . Many species of birds return to Ireland in springtime.  | February can bring a sharp edge to weather conditions. | The gradual lengthening of the day triggers birds to sing. |
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**Spring Key Vocabulary: Fifth Class**

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