**Spring Key Vocabulary: Junior Infants**

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| B | C | S | B | | C | S | B | C | | S | B | C | S |
| Spring  season  animals  flowers | February  lamb  chick | calf  daffodil  March  April | grow  play | | born | hatch  bud | yellow  pink  purple | warmer | | brighter | very always  during | 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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| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby | calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb | Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime | grow  play  born | | hatch  bud | blossom  celebrate | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby | brighter  longer  colourful | | pastel | very always  during  now | mostly  brightly  nearly | playfully |
| **Statements** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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**Spring Key Vocabulary: First Class**

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| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby  calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb  colours | Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime  nest  new life  outdoors | growth  happiness | grow  play  born  hatch  bud | | blossom  celebrate | awaken  sprout | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby  brighter  longer  colourful  fluffy  cute | pastel  changing | | floral | very always  during  now  mostly  brightly  nearly | playfully  quite  still | specially |
| **Statements** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 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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| B | C | S | B | | C | S | B | C | | S | B | C | S |
| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby  calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb  colours  Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime  nest  new life  outdoors | growth  happiness  symbol | litter | grow  play  born  hatch  bud  blossom  celebrate | | awaken  sprout  prepare  to nest | forage  incubate | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby  brighter  longer  colourful  fluffy  cute  pastel  changing | floral  cuddly  furry | | defensive  nesting | very always  during  now  mostly  brightly  nearly  playfully  quite  still | specially | throughout  especially |
| **Statements** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 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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| B | C | S | B | | C | S | B | C | | S | B | C | S |
| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby  calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb  colours  Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime  nest  new life  outdoors  growth  happiness  symbol | litter  swallow  cuckoo  woodpecker  geese  migration  journey | chaffinch  Scandinavia  species | grow  play  born  hatch  bud  blossom  celebrate  awaken  sprout  prepare  to nest | | forage  incubate  bleat | depart  arrive | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby  brighter  longer  colourful  fluffy  cute  pastel  changing  floral  cuddly  furry | defensive  nesting  sharp | | native  foraging | very always  during  now  mostly  brightly  nearly  playfully  quite  still | specially  throughout  especially | widespread |
| **Statements** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 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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| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby  calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb  colours  Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime  nest  new life  outdoors  growth  happiness  symbol  litter  swallow  cuckoo  woodpecker  geese  migration  journey | chaffinch  Scandinavia  species  seashore  water | algae  estuary  colonies | grow  play  born  hatch  bud  blossom  celebrate  awaken  sprout  prepare  to nest  forage  incubate  bleat  migrate | | depart  arrive  return | frequents  venture | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby  brighter  longer  colourful  fluffy  cute  pastel  changing  floral  cuddly  furry  defensive  nesting  sharp | native  foraging  inland | | nutrient-rich  remote | very always  during  now  mostly  brightly  nearly  playfully  quite  still  specially  throughout  especially | widespread  annually  typically | seasonally  depending |
| **Statements** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| . 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. | | | | |

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**Spring Key Vocabulary: Fifth Class**

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| B | C | S | B | | C | S | B | C | | S | B | C | S |
| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby  calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb  colours  Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime  nest  new life  outdoors  growth  happiness  symbol  litter  swallow  cuckoo  woodpecker  geese  migration  journey  chaffinch  Scandinavia  species  seashore  water | algae  estuary  colonies  Holy Week  Good Friday  Holy Thursday | Resurrection  Crucifixion  Palm Sunday  devotion  ritual | grow  play  born  hatch  bud  blossom  celebrate  awaken  sprout  prepare  to nest  forage  incubate  bleat  migrate  depart  arrive  return | | frequents  venture  fast  devour  praise | commemorate  reflect  embrace | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby  brighter  longer  colourful  fluffy  cute  pastel  changing  floral  cuddly  furry  defensive  nesting  sharp  native  foraging  inland | nutrient-rich  remote  delicious  variety | | excuisite  solemn | very always  during  now  mostly  brightly  nearly  playfully  quite  still  specially  throughout  especially  widespread  annually  typically | seasonally  depending  respectfully | reservedly |
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**Spring Key Vocabulary: Sixth Class**

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| Spring  season  animals  flowers  February  lamb  chick  baby  calf  daffodil  March  April  eggs  buds  bulb  colours  Easter  crocus  snowdrop  springtime  nest  new life  outdoors  growth  happiness  symbol  litter  swallow  cuckoo  woodpecker  geese  migration  journey  chaffinch  Scandinavia  species  seashore  water | algae  estuary  colonies  Holy Week  Good Friday  Holy Thursday  Resurrection  Crucifixion  Palm Sunday  devotion  ritual |  | grow  play  born  hatch  bud  blossom  celebrate  awaken  sprout  prepare  to nest  forage  incubate  bleat  migrate  depart  arrive  return  frequents  venture  fast  devour  praise | | commemorate  reflect  embrace |  | yellow  pink  purple  warmer  baby  brighter  longer  colourful  fluffy  cute  pastel  changing  floral  cuddly  furry  defensive  nesting  sharp  native  foraging  inland  nutrient-rich  remote  delicious  variety | excuisite  solemn | |  | very always  during  now  mostly  brightly  nearly  playfully  quite  still  specially  throughout  especially  widespread  annually  typically  seasonally  depending  respectfully | reservedly |  |
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