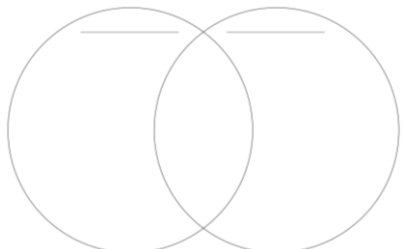


Science Week 1	Signs of Spring		
Starter	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vLAnt9_5Mg Watch the clip about Spring weather and animals and talk about some of the different things they see. Will you see any of these when you go out hunting? What signs of spring will you not see; why not?		
Parent	Go on a Spring Hunt around your garden, or an outdoor area near where you live. Look for signs of spring such as the trees beginning to flower and buds starting to sprout. Maybe look for different wildlife and look closer at the ground and notice the insects that are around now. Also remember to look at flowers and how these have changed. To help identify flowers that might be seen: https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/blog/2018/01/early-spring-flowers-flowering-plants-and-shrubs/ To help identify birds that might be seen: https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/trees-woods-and-wildlife/animals/birds/?gclid=Cj0KCQjwyur0BRDcARIsAEt86ICHCMaj0KiJtgTcRFA2bYDqliwwtN3ogfruArYbXg-axn2cN4GFtvcaAn59EALw_wcB&gclsrc=aw.ds To help identify trees that might be seen: https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/headley-heath/features/spring-time-tree-blossom- To help identify insects or other animals that might be seen: https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/trees-woods-and-wildlife/animals/?gclid=Cj0KCQjwyur0BRDcARIsAEt86IARkC5Y-uFVCP64ybFWTgqIYTplyHjOQuTmZQpSrc89IT0KL9CZ-Q0aAuw5EALw_wcB&gclsrc=aw.ds		
Activity with your child	* Activity	** Activity	*** Activity
	Write a list of the things you see and then tally how many times you see during your walk or time outside. If you are able to, maybe also take some photos of what you see and things that interest you about the seasonal change taking place around you. Write 2 sentences about what you observed and conclude what you saw the most and least and try to think about why.	Using the information from your Spring Hunt, create an information poster about Spring. Your poster must include; <i>A title,</i> <i>Pictures of Spring,</i> <i>What, when, where; what does spring look like, when will you see it, where will you see it,</i> <i>A question.</i>	Compare winter and spring. Using the template idea below compare the things that happen during winter and spring and think about the differences and similarities between the seasons, the animals, and the activities that take place (think here about the months that fall into each season). 
Parent	Print the sheet if needed, or just draw the Venn diagram to compare the seasons. The children could extend their learning here by writing a few sentences about the similarities and differences between the two seasons.		

