

The Seasons' Reading Adventure: A Comprehension Quest

English

Grade 3

Seasons Theme

Help Spring, Summer, Autumn, and Winter solve their reading mysteries by answering questions about their seasonal adventures!

NAME _____

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1

Spring found a hidden book in the garden that said: 'There are 5 baby birds in one nest and 3 baby birds in another nest. A kind squirrel brings 2 more birds to the first nest.' How many birds are in the first nest now?

2

Summer was reading a treasure map that described: 'Walk past 8 sunflowers, then turn left at 4 palm trees, then walk past some more flowers. If there are 15 flowers total on the path, how many flowers did you pass after turning left?'

3

Autumn discovered a scroll about a harvest that said: 'The farmer picked 12 red apples on Monday and 9 red apples on Tuesday. That evening, 6 apples were made into pie.' How many apples were left?

4

Winter read a story about snowflakes: 'On the first day of snow, 10 snowflakes fell. On the second day, twice as many snowflakes fell as the first day.' How many snowflakes fell on the second day?

5

Spring and Summer found a storybook together that read: 'In the garden, there were 6 butterflies resting on flowers, 4 butterflies flying in the air, and 3 butterflies on leaves.' How many butterflies were there altogether?

6

Autumn read about a forest where: 'There were 20 trees with leaves. The wind blew leaves off 8 of the trees. How many trees still had all their leaves?'

7

Winter's adventure book told: 'An icicle grew 5 inches long on Monday. On Tuesday it grew 3 more inches. On Wednesday, 2 inches melted away.' How long was the icicle after Wednesday?

8

All four seasons read a riddle together: 'I collected 25 raindrops in spring, lost 7 in summer, gained 9 in autumn, and lost 5 in winter. How many raindrops do I have now?'

Answer Key

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For Parents and Teachers

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ANSWER

7 birds

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ANSWER

7 flowers

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15 apples

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ANSWER

20 snowflakes

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ANSWER

13 butterflies

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12 trees

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ANSWER

6 inches

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ANSWER

22 raindrops