

Seasons and senses

In Japan, the four seasons are honored through the year in festivals. Every season is a different picture. Dig deep to uncover the word pictures inside each season. Get your senses and imagination warmed up by brainstorming words and phrases.



Sight: Describe nature's shapes, forms, colors, plants and animals



Hear: Listen to sounds, rhythms, beats



Smell: Breathe in the fragrances and smells



Taste: Imagine the mouthfuls of flavors and textures the season offers



Feel/touch: textures, temperature, movement, moods

Winter: East winds, northern cold fronts, lonely branches, gray days, warmth bundled within.

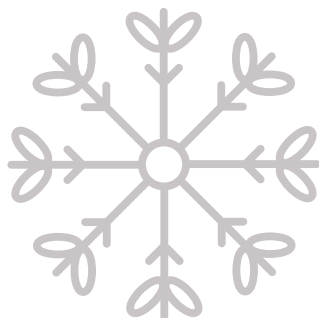
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Spring: Rain beating on fences. Green shoots, moist earth, little buds. Birds sucking worms.

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Summer: Bursting flowers. Tingling orange sun. Busy buzzing. Sweet ripe fruit.

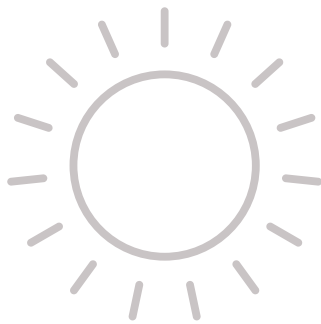
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Autumn: Trees on fire. Dancing leaves, crackle and snap. Mornings crisp like fresh apples, evening like vegetables digging deep roots in the ground.

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