



Seasonal Sorting

Ages 3 years—4 years

Objective: The child begins to recognize the different seasons when show pictures. The child is able to sort pictures according to seasonal attributes.

Materials needed:

Seasonal Cards (printable)

Procedures:

1. Begin by going over the four seasons with your child. Winter, Spring, Summer, and Fall
2. Now show your child the picture cards. Discuss each one, explaining the details that associate with that specific season it falls under. (i.e. snow=winter, colorful leaves=fall, beach=summer, sun=summer, flowers=spring, and so forth)
3. Mix all cards up and lay face up on the floor. Have your child sort the picture cards independently according to which season it goes under, by placing them together side-by-side on



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the floor.

4. Continue until all card have been sorted correctly.

5. Remember to discuss details, using adjectives to describe what you see in the pictures, why it falls under that seasonal category.

6. Look at all of the similarities in each group of pictures for each of the seasons and talk about them. Now discuss the differences in all of the pictures for all seasons.

Milestones to meet:

The child is able to sort pictures based on their seasonal attributes. The child knows the 4 seasons.

Evaluation:

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?