

# UNIT 6 READING:



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Hello again! South Africa is in the southern hemisphere and the seasons are different. When is spring, summer, autumn and winter in South Africa? Which fruit and vegetables grow in each season? Read this cool web page and find out! 😊

## What's in season in South Africa?

In South Africa there are some delicious fruit and vegetables in every season.



Predict the answers to Joseph's questions before you read.

### Spring

Spring is in September, October and November. There are many colourful wild flowers. This is the time of year when oranges, lemons, raspberries and strawberries are in season. Spring is also the time of year for vegetables such as aubergines, cauliflower and spinach.



### Summer

Summer is from December until February. It is very hot and there can be short thunderstorms in the afternoon. In summer, cherries, plums, pineapples and grapes are in season. Summer is also the time of year for vegetables such as lettuce and peas.



### Autumn

Autumn is in March, April and May. It's warm and it doesn't rain a lot. In autumn, fruit such as apples and avocados are in season. Autumn is also the time of year for vegetables such as mushrooms and peppers.



### Winter

Winter is from June to August. It's cold and you need warm clothes. Fruit such as bananas and pears are in season. Winter is also the time of year for vegetables such as carrots and potatoes. The South African vegetable 'waterblommietjie' or 'little water flowers' are also in season in winter. People eat them with meat and potatoes.



**In South Africa there aren't any seasons  
when you can't enjoy delicious fresh fruit and vegetables!**

## SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWERS:

1. Summer is from \_\_\_\_\_ until \_\_\_\_\_ in South Africa.
2. Oranges, lemons, raspberries, strawberries, aubergines cauliflowers and spinach grow in \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Carrots and potatoes grow in \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Apples, avocados, mushrooms and peppers grow in \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The “little water flowers” are in season in \_\_\_\_\_.

## COMPLETE THE TABLE WITH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES:

pears    lettuce    peppers    cauliflower    potatoes    strawberries  
 pineapples    apples    grapes    mushrooms    carrots    spinach    aubergines  
 plums    peas    cherries    lemons    raspberries    avocados    banana

Winter	Spring	Autumn	Summer
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**CORRECT THE SENTENCES, LOOK AT THE EXAMPLE TO WRITE A CORRECT ANSWER:**

1. In South Africa, spring is in December, January and February.

No, it isn't. Spring is in September, October and November.

2. In South Africa, Winter is in March, April and May.

\_\_\_\_\_.

3. In South Africa, autumn is in June, July and August.

\_\_\_\_\_.

4. In South Africa, summer is in September, October and November.

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**LISTEN AND COMPLETE:**

	Sita 	Lisa 	Duncan 	Rosa 
When they want to visit South Africa	<u>October</u>	_____	_____	_____
Season	<u>spring</u>	_____	_____	_____

**AND YOU?**

