

# Unit 08

## Four seasons vs. One season



### Warm-Up

Hãy cùng bạn học trả lời các câu hỏi dưới đây.

1. What is your favorite season?
2. Which season do you like the least?
3. What is the best season for a vacation?

### Introducing the Topic

Many people around the world experience four seasons every year—spring, summer, autumn, and winter. But some people live in places where the weather stays almost the same all year. These places only have one season, like hot or rainy weather all the time. People's clothes, activities, and even their moods can change depending on the seasons. So what is it like to live with four seasons compared to just one?



## Learning about the Topic

Which is better, one season or four seasons?

Đọc và gạch chân các lập luận hỗ trợ trong đoạn 2 và đoạn 3.

### Four Seasons or One Season?

Some countries always have the same season. Other countries, such as Korea, have four different seasons. Which do you think is better?

Some people say that having four seasons is much better. First, we can do many interesting activities. We can go to the beach in the summer. We can go skiing in the winter. In the spring and fall, we can go hiking. Second, we can see nature change from season to season. In the spring and summer, beautiful flowers blossom. In the fall, the leaves of trees change to beautiful orange and red colors.

Other people say that having one season is much better. First, different people like different temperatures. For example, many elderly people like high temperatures. So, they often move to a warm area. Some people like low temperatures and move to a cold area. Second, it is cheaper to live in a place with only one season. This is because you do not have to buy different clothes for each season.



## Vocabulary Check

Chọn từ thích hợp để hoàn thành các câu sau.

activity

areas

blossom

elderly

temperature

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ of something means how hot or cold it is.
2. When trees \_\_\_\_\_, they are full of flowers.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ people usually need more rest than young people.
4. Urban \_\_\_\_\_ usually mean cities.
5. Skiing is an exciting \_\_\_\_\_ for most people.

## Comprehension Questions

Answer the questions using information from the reading passage.

1. How many seasons does Korea have?  
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2. What can people do in the summer?  
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3. What happens to the leaves of trees in the fall?  
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4. Why do many elderly people move to warm areas?  
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5. Living in an area with one season can be cheaper. Why?  
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