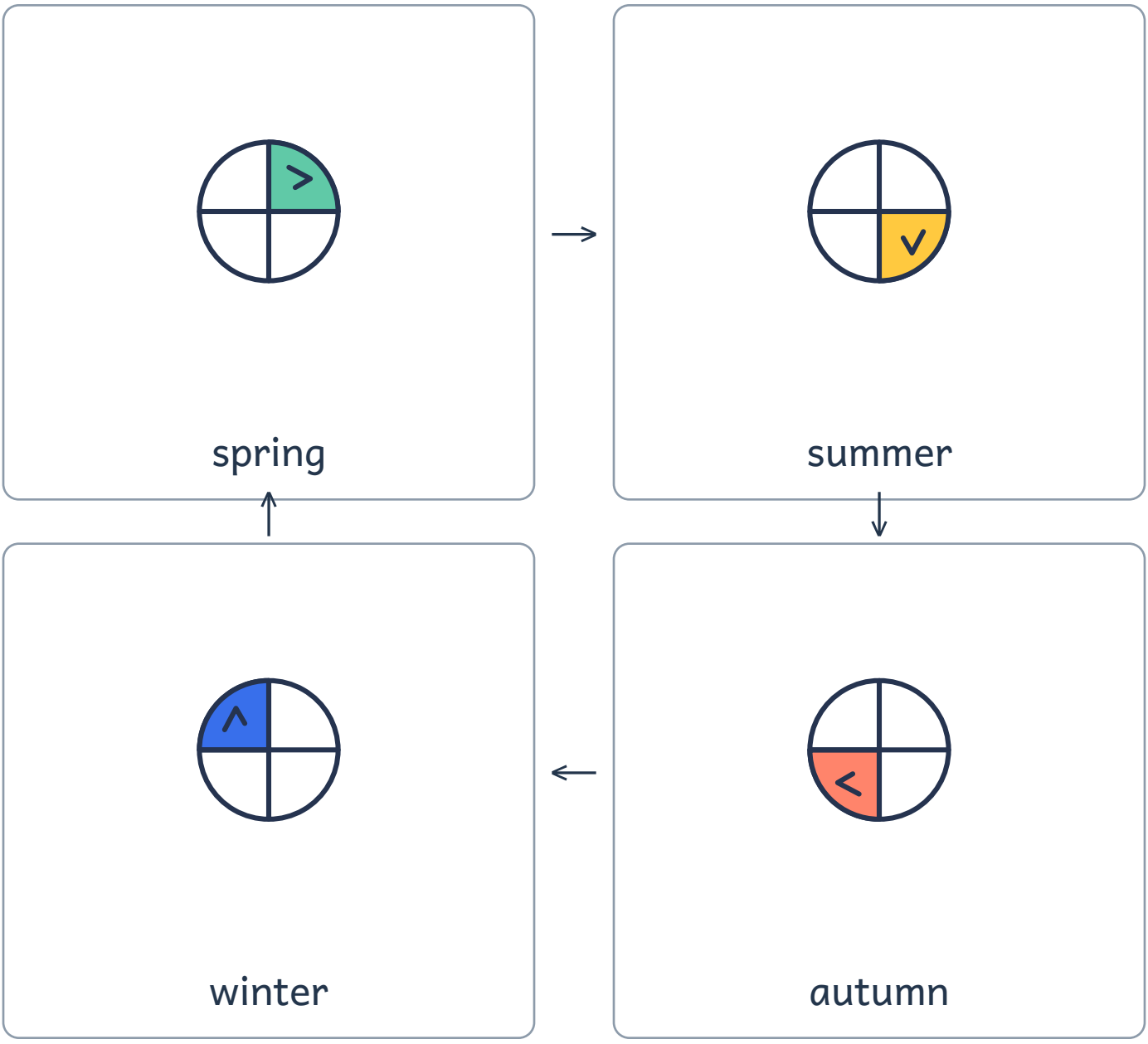
The four-season cycle

Read the names with an adult. Point to the season used locally, then explore what comes next.



Start at any season and follow the cycle. The current season depends on where you live. This wheel does not predict today's weather.

Our seasonal observations

Draw, dictate or write something you actually noticed. One day's weather does not decide a season.

Date: _____ Our season: _____

Local area / country (optional): _____

What is the weather like?

What do plants or trees look like?

What else did we notice?

What could we look for next time?

Grown-up answer guide

Check the task together. A spoken answer or a point can replace writing.

The repeating sequence is spring, summer, autumn/fall, winter, then spring. Your location, date and local seasonal convention determine the current season. Drawings and descriptions should reflect what you observed; there is no universal correct weather picture for a season.

Spring and summer in the northern hemisphere coincide broadly with autumn and winter in the southern hemisphere. Season boundaries can be defined in different ways, so use local guidance. This pack makes no fixed month-to-weather answer or milestone expectation.