

# Spring Outdoor Learning Starter Pack

Simple, no-prep activities to help children explore, observe, and learn outdoors this spring.



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## How to Use This Resource

This pack is designed to provide simple, low-preparation outdoor learning activities for use during the spring season. It is flexible and can be adapted to suit different ages, group sizes, and learning environments.

### Suggested Uses

- Whole-class outdoor learning sessions
- Small group or rotation activities
- Forest School or enrichment afternoons
- Homework or optional family learning

### Organisation Tips

- Set clear boundaries for outdoor activities
- Model expectations before starting
- Encourage observation and discussion rather than speed
- Allow children to share ideas verbally if writing outdoors is impractical

### Learning Links

- Science: observing seasonal change
- Working scientifically: questioning and predicting
- PSHE: teamwork and outdoor engagement
- Cross-curricular enrichment opportunities

### Flexible by Design

This resource is intended to be adaptable – choose the activities that best suit your learners, space, and available time.



# Signs Of Spring

## Scavenger Hunt



bud



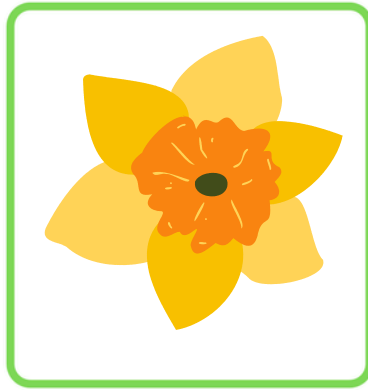
puddle



nest



bug



flower



leaf



rainbow



lamb



mushroom

# Outdoor No-Prep Spring Games

No prep · Outdoor learning · Ages 5–10

## Spring I-Spy

Look for signs of spring such as buds, insects, blossom, or new leaves.

Encourage children to describe what they see using full sentences.

## Colour Collect

Find as many different natural colours as possible outdoors.

Which colours appear most often in spring? Why might that be?

## Shadow Watch

Observe your shadow over time.

How does it change during the session? What does this tell you about the sun?

## Leaf Length Line-Up

Collect fallen leaves and arrange them from shortest to longest.

Compare results with others. Are they the same or different?

## Nature Sound Map

Stand still and listen carefully.

What sounds can you hear? Which are natural, and which are man-made?

## Spot the Change

Revisit the same outdoor area over time.

What has changed as spring progresses?



# Outdoor Observations

Use this page to record observations made during outdoor learning activities.

Children can focus on what they notice, changes over time, and questions they may have.

Date	Area	Observation

Encourage children to include details such as colours, movement, weather conditions, or changes noticed over time.



## Want More Outdoor Learning Ideas?

If you enjoyed these simple spring activities, you can find more ideas, printables, and seasonal learning resources over on the main site.

From rainy day play to nature-based learning, everything is designed to be low-preparation, practical, and easy to use at home or in the classroom.

### Explore More Activities

→ [Visit Magic Kids Learning](#)

### What to Explore Next

- [Outdoor learning ideas for spring](#)
- [Rainy day play and puddle activities](#)
- [Simple science investigations for children](#)

New printable packs and structured activity sets are currently being added.

### Stay Connected

Check back regularly for new resources, or explore existing activities to keep outdoor learning simple and engaging.