

# Answers

1. When does spring begin? Tick **one**.

- June
- March**
- January

2. What do hedgehogs do in spring? Tick **one**.

- Come out of hibernation**
- Go into hibernation
- Sleep for a long time

3. Which season comes **before** spring? Tick **one**.

- summer
- autumn
- winter**

4. What celebration happens in spring? Tick **one**.

- Christmas
- Easter**
- Valentine's Day

5. Easter Sunday falls between which two dates? Tick **one**.

- 22<sup>nd</sup> March and 25<sup>th</sup> April**
- 25<sup>th</sup> March and 22<sup>nd</sup> April
- 17<sup>th</sup> March and 27<sup>th</sup> April

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2. Which animals move around more in spring? Tick **one**.

- adders  
 lizards  
 **squirrels**

3. Name **two** of the migrant birds that come back to the UK for spring.

- **swifts**
- **cuckoos**
- **nightingales**

4. Put ticks in the table to show which sentences are true and which sentences are false.

Sentence	True	False
Many plants flower in spring because there are more hours of daylight.	✓	
The air and soil are wetter so it helps the plants grow.		✓
More insects can be seen during spring.	✓	
Trees and bushes grow new leaves in spring.	✓	

5. What can you see in the spring that looks like jelly?

**You can see frogspawn in the spring that looks like jelly.**

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1. What happens to the clocks in the spring? Tick **one**.

- We change them back by one hour.
- We do nothing with them.
- We change them forward by one hour.**

2. Find and **copy** one word that means **to move about more**.

**active**

3. What happens to the days and nights in spring? Tick **one**.

- The days get longer and the nights get longer.
- The days get shorter and the nights get longer.
- The days get longer and the nights get shorter.**

4. Complete the sentence by adding in the missing words.

**Chiffchaffs** are usually the first birds to **appear** and their 'chiffchaff' song can be heard from the tops of trees. Beautiful **birdsong** is all around in spring.

5. Look at the paragraph **What happens to the plants and insects?**

Describe two of the changes that happen in spring in your own words.

**Pupil's own responses such as: There are more flowers and insects in spring. The trees and flowers grow because of the longer days and warmer weather. There are more bees and butterflies, which come out to collect the nectar and pollen from the flowers.**

6. Why is Easter called a moveable feast?

**Easter is called a 'moveable feast' because it is not on the same date every year.**