The summer
1. Activity: When does the summer start?

The summer starts on June 21st and ends on September 21st.
2. **Summer sayings**

Read these sayings out loud in class and talk about what they mean.

While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat,
and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease

A summer’s sun is worth the having

Love is to the heart what the summer is to the farmer’s year.
It brings to harvest all the loveliest flowers of the soul

A life without love is like a year without summer

July brings harsh drought
but the sun is ripe; heat as thick
as tomato skins
It is the month of June,
The month of leaves and roses
When pleasant sights salute the eyes,
And pleasant scents the noses.

Answer July—
Where is the Bee—
Where is the Blush—
Where is the Hay?

Ah, said July—
Where is the Seed—
Where is the Bud—
Where is the May—
Answer Thee—Me—
2. **Activity: The weather page**

Bring to class a **newspaper** from home.

Search the weather page with the class and talk about the icons you see and the weather of the day.
3. Activity: When I was born

Every child has to **make a custom** and get dress up as the season they were born in.
4. Activity: Learn this rimes about the summer

I saw dawn creep across the sky,
And all the gulls go flying by.
I saw the sea put on its dress
Of blue midsummer loveliness.
And heard the trees begin to stir
Green arms of pine and juniper.
I heard the wind call out and say:
"Get up, my dear, it is today!"
5. Activity: Colour the picture

Colour this summer scene