

Nova's Autumn Discovery Flashcards

Learning objective: To identify and describe the seasonal changes associated with autumn.

Read the front of the card to find the key term or question. Then, flip the card to check if your answer matches Nova's autumn facts!

What is the name of the season that comes after summer?

Autumn.

What happens to the leaves on deciduous trees during autumn?

They change colour and fall to the ground.

What is the name of the shiny, brown seed that falls from a horse chestnut tree?

A conker.

Some animals eat lots of food to get ready for a long winter sleep. What is this called?

Hibernation.

What do many birds do when the weather gets colder in autumn?

Migration (they fly to warmer places).

What happens to the temperature outside as we move further into autumn?

It gets cooler.

True or False: Evergreen trees lose all their leaves in autumn.

False (they keep their leaves all year round).

What is the name for the time of year when farmers collect their crops?

Harvest.

What do squirrels do with acorns during autumn to prepare for winter?

They collect and hide them.

How do days change in length during autumn?

The days get shorter and the nights get longer.

What is the term for a tree that keeps its green leaves all year?

Evergreen.

Nova sees frost on the grass in the morning. What is frost?

Tiny ice crystals that form when it is very cold.