

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Seasons	There are four seasons: Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter. The
	length of a day varies depending on the season
Weather	Weather is the way the air and the atmosphere feels. It includes the
	outside temperature, strength of the wind, and whether it is raining,
	sunny, hailing, snowing, sleeting, foggy, or cloudy. The weather
	changes regularly and tends to be different during different
	seasons and across different countries.
Equator	The Equator is an imaginary line that is drawn around the middle
· ·	of the Earth to divide it into the Northern and Southern
	Hemispheres.
Climate	Climate is the average measurements of temperature, wind,
	humidity, snow, and rain in a place over the course of years.
Cartography	The science or art of making maps .
Weather forecast	A weather forecast is a statement saying what the weather will be
U U	like the next day or for the next few days.
Thermometer	A piece of equipment used to measure the temperature.
Rain gauge	A piece of equipment used to collect and measure the amount of
	rain that falls.
Precipitation	Water that falls from the clouds towards the ground, especially as
	rain or snow.





