

Spring
Discussions

English Discussion

Day 1 – 04/01



Kilian: “Summer is hot.”

Sean: “All can be sunny. Spring, summer, autumn, winter.”

Jojo: “Autumn is sunny.”

Sean: “In autumn, leaves falling down.”

Wendy: “In spring, come back.”

Jimmy: “And winter is cold.”

Beta: “And in winter, you can make a snowman.”

English Discussion

Day 1 – 04/01



We look back at our documentation of everyone arranging our growing up photos.

Joel: “What can you see here?”

Judy: “Judy, Jimmy and Jojo.”

Sean: “People getting taller.”

Ryan: “Small, big.” (He indicates getting bigger with his arms.)

Joel: “Yes, we go from a baby and get bigger. Let’s say, ‘we change’”.

Everyone: “We change.”

English Discussion

Day 1 – 04/01



Joel: “Do the seasons change?”

Lots of us: “Yes.”

Joel: “What changes?”

A few of us: “Summer is hot. Winter is cold.”

Sean: “This is white. This is green.”

Joel: “Oh, yes, the colours are different.

“What is a colour of winter?”

Lots of us: “White.”

“It’s snow.”

(Looking at the snow in the winter picture.)

English Discussion

Day 1 – 04/01



Joel: “How about autumn?”

Sean: “Green.”

Joel: “Is Autumn green?”

Sean: “Yes, this is green.” (He points at the grass in the picture.)

Joel: “Oh yes, the grass is green. What about the leaves.?”

Jojo: “Yellow.”

Judy: “Orange.”

We consider how the seasons change, just like we change as we grow up.

English Discussion



Follow Up Discussion – 04/11

After reviewing days, months and the year, we return to seasons. The question is open again.

Joel: “What season is it now?”

Judy: “Spring.”

Everyone: “Spring.”

Kilian: “This is brown. Green. White.” (The colours of the different seasons.)

Jojo: “Autumn has bees.”

Judy: “Spring has butterflies.”

Sean: “Spring beautiful flowers.”

Azalea: “I like winter.”

Sean: “Sky is brown and blue” (Looking at the season pictures.)

English Discussion

Follow Up Discussion – 04/11



Then we look back at our documentation.

‘Beta said, “In winter you can make a snowman.’

Jimmy: “And snowballs.”

We give other answers: “And snow gun.”

“And snow sword.”

“And snow dog.”

Joel: “Can you make a snowman in the other seasons.”

Everyone: “No.”

Joel: “What can you do?”

English Discussion

Follow Up Discussion – 04/11



Joel: “What can you do?”

Sean: “You can swim?”

Joel: “When can you swim?”

Sean: “Spring.”

Jimmy: “And summer.”

Joel: “What about food?”

Judy: “Eat ice cream.”

Joel: “When can we eat ice cream?”

Judy and Sean: “Summer.”

Linking Everything Together

Things Change



We look back at photos of our work related to us growing up.

Sean: "We change. We get big."

Wendy: "We need to sleep."

Jimmy: "And drink water."

Sean/Beta: "And eat food."

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Next, we go to the plants area outside the classroom.

Plants.

Joel: "What can you see?"

Beta: "Leaves."

Sean: "Seeds"

Joel: "Do plants stay the same? "

Sean/Jimmy: "They get bigger."

Jojo points to the water bottle,
"What's this?"

Question is offered to everyone.

Several of us: "It's water."

Beta/Wendy/Sean: "We give plants water
and get big"

Jojo: "It goes here." (Points at the ground.)

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In the classroom.

Joel shows the seasons.

Several of us: "Spring, summer, autumn, winter."

Kai: "Seasons change."

Joel: "How do seasons change?"

Beta: "Hot and cold."