



When Spring Comes

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Literacy Activity

Can you find these words in the book?
Watch the video of the read aloud again.
Look and listen for these words:

Words that start with **Bb**

- **buds**
- **bees**
- **boots**
- **bubbles**

Words that start with the letter **Ww**

- **worms**
- **wings**
- **wind**
- **wheels**

What other words can you think of that start with the letter **Bb** or **Ww**?

Dramatic Play or Music Activity

What do we wear in Spring?

1. Set out a laundry basket size container with different seasonal articles of clothing.
winter hat - spring hat
winter coat - spring jacket
long pants - short pants
snow or winter boots - sandals
2. Look at pictures with your child of people wearing spring and winter clothes in books, magazines, or watch people as they walk.
3. Have your child select from the best articles of clothing to wear in the spring weather.

Variation: Add pieces of clothing for summer (bathing suits) and fall. Have a race with your child or with 2 or more children to select and put on clothing for Spring, Winter or Summer.



Math Activity

How many did you see in the book?



Kittens _____



Puppies _____



Umbrellas _____



Bunnies _____

Science Activity

Spring Hunt Checklist

- Print the checklist
- Go on a walk with your child and see if you find any of the spring things on the list
- Check them off as you go

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