



1) Describe five things you enjoy about winter.



2) What causes winter?



1) Share some descriptions.

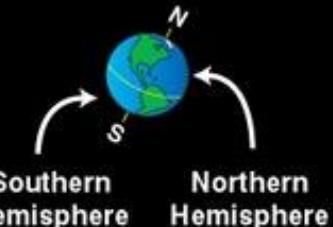
How do the “things enjoyed” compare around the classroom?

Any unique mentions?

2) Discuss this NASA graphic

<https://spaceplace.nasa.gov/seasons/en/>

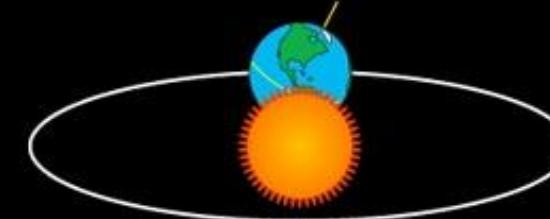
Earth has seasons because its axis is tilted. Earth rotates on its axis as it orbits the Sun, but the axis always points in the same direction.



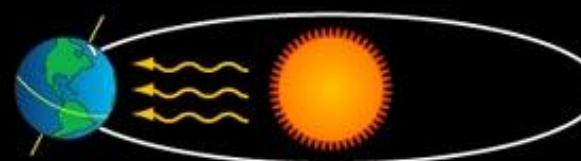
December:
Summer south of the equator, winter north of the equator. The Sun shines directly on the Southern Hemisphere and indirectly on the Northern Hemisphere



March:
Fall south of the equator, spring north of the equator. The Sun shines equally on the Southern and Northern Hemispheres



June:
Winter south of the equator, summer north of the equator. The Sun shines directly on the Northern Hemisphere and indirectly on the Southern Hemisphere



September:
Spring south of the equator, fall north of the equator. The Sun shines equally on the Southern and Northern Hemispheres

