

# VIDYA BHAWAN BALIKA VIDYPITH SHAKTI UTTHAN ASHARAM LAKHISARAI

## CH:India: Climate Vegetation Wildlife(Notes)

### Learning Goals:

- Seasons in India
- Types of vegetation in India
- Importance of forest
- Wildlife in India

**Weather:** The day to day changes in atmosphere is called weather. Weather includes changes in temperature, sunshine and rainfall. A day can be comfortably cold in the morning and may change to unbearably hot afternoon.

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### Seasons in India

There are four major seasons in India, viz. cold season, hot season, southwest monsoon and retreating monsoon.

#### ***Cold Weather Season or Winter Season***

The winter season continues from December to February in India. During this season, the sun rays do not fall directly on India. As a result, the temperature remains low in northern India during this period.

#### ***Hot Weather Season or Summer Season***

The summer season continues from March to May in India. During this season, the sun rays fall more or less directly on India. Due to this, the temperature remains high during this period. Hot and dry winds (called loo) blow during the day in northern India.

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