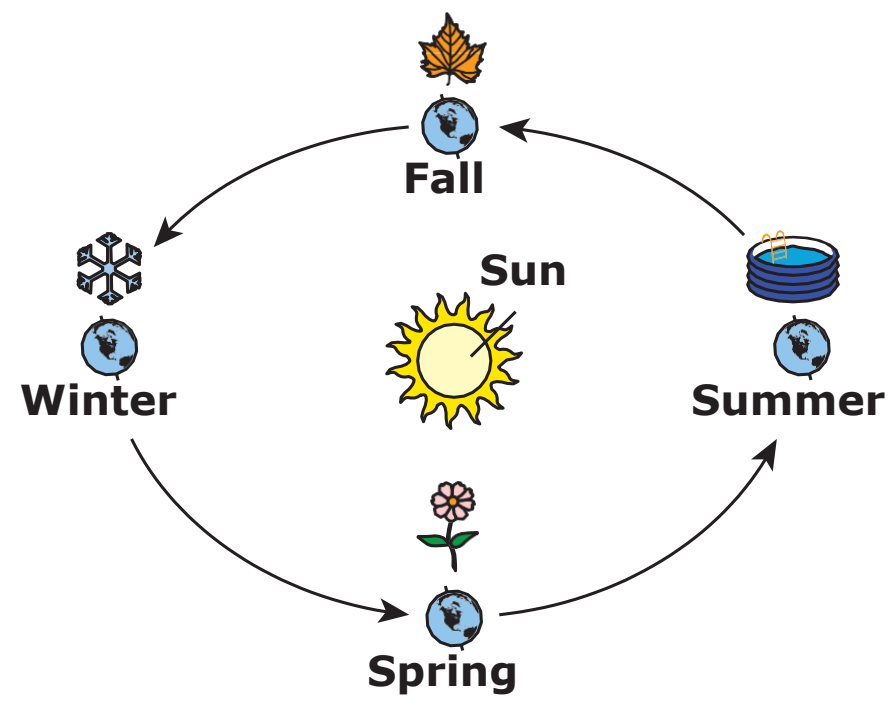


Present the item on the student-response page. Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:

Earth moves around the Sun. Most places on Earth get different amounts of sunlight during different seasons because Earth is tilted.

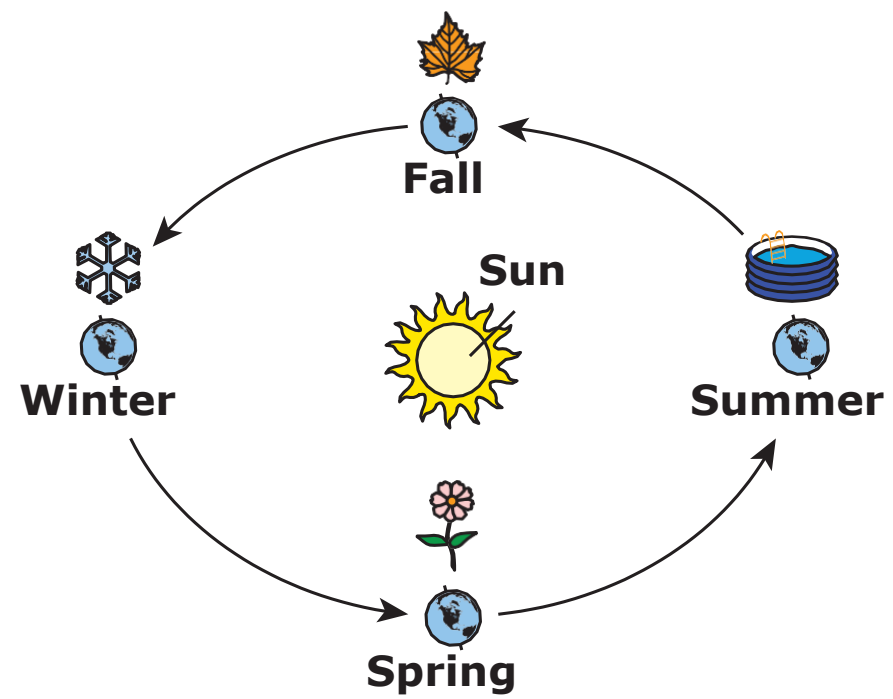
Point to the diagram, and read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:

Here is a diagram of Earth moving around the Sun. It says: Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer, Sun.



Item 00:

<p>Present the item on the student-response page. Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>Why is the Sun brighter than other stars?</p> <p>Point to the answer options, and read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>The Sun is farther., The Sun is closer., The Sun moves.</p>	
<p>Fill in the choice on the answer document that corresponds with the student's response for this item.</p> <p>Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>The Sun is brighter than other stars because it is closer to Earth than other stars.</p>	<p>A B C D NR</p>



Why is the Sun brighter than other stars?

A

Diagram A shows a large Sun at the top and a small Earth at the bottom. A small star is positioned between them. The Sun is significantly larger than the star.

The Sun is farther.

B

Diagram B shows a large Sun in the middle and a small Earth at the bottom. A small star is positioned above the Sun. The Sun is significantly larger than the star.

The Sun is closer.

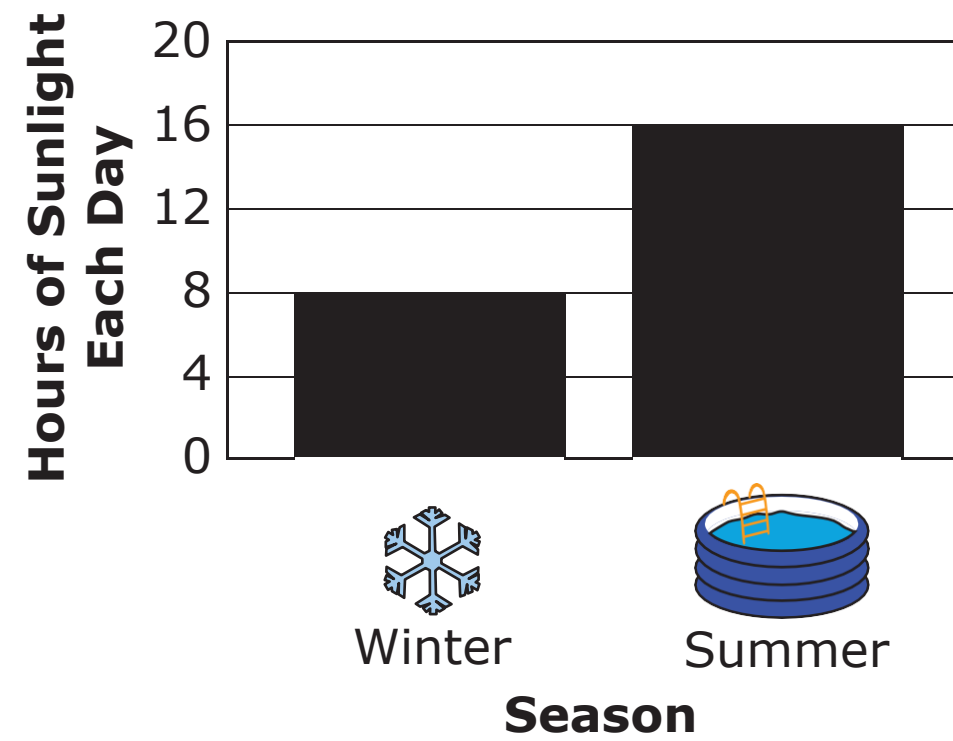
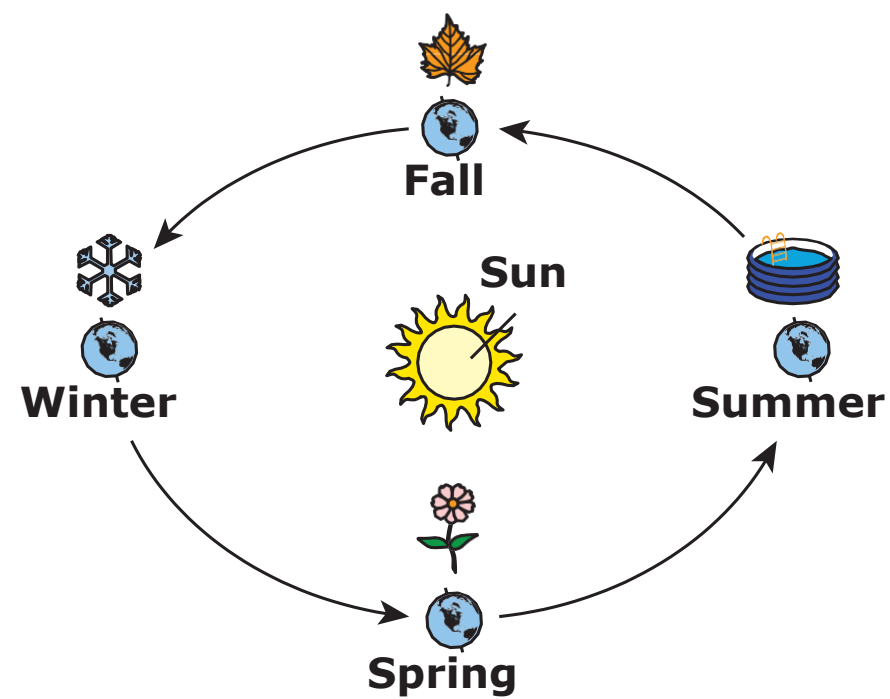
C

Diagram C shows a large Sun at the bottom and a small Earth at the top. A large circular arrow surrounds the Sun, indicating its movement.

The Sun moves.

Item 00:

<p>Present the item on the student-response page. Point to the text in the graph, and read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>Here is a graph. It says: Hours of Sunlight Each Day, 0, 4, 8, 12, 16, 20; Season, Winter, Summer.</p> <p>Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>Why do winter and summer have different amounts of sunlight each day?</p> <p>Point to the answer options, and read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>The Sun's brightness changes., Earth's position changes., Earth's orbit changes.</p>	
<p>Fill in the choice on the answer document that corresponds with the student's response for this item.</p> <p>Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>Winter and summer have different amounts of sunlight each day because Earth's position changes.</p>	<p>A B C D NR</p>



Why do winter and summer have different amounts of sunlight each day?

A

The Sun's brightness changes.

B

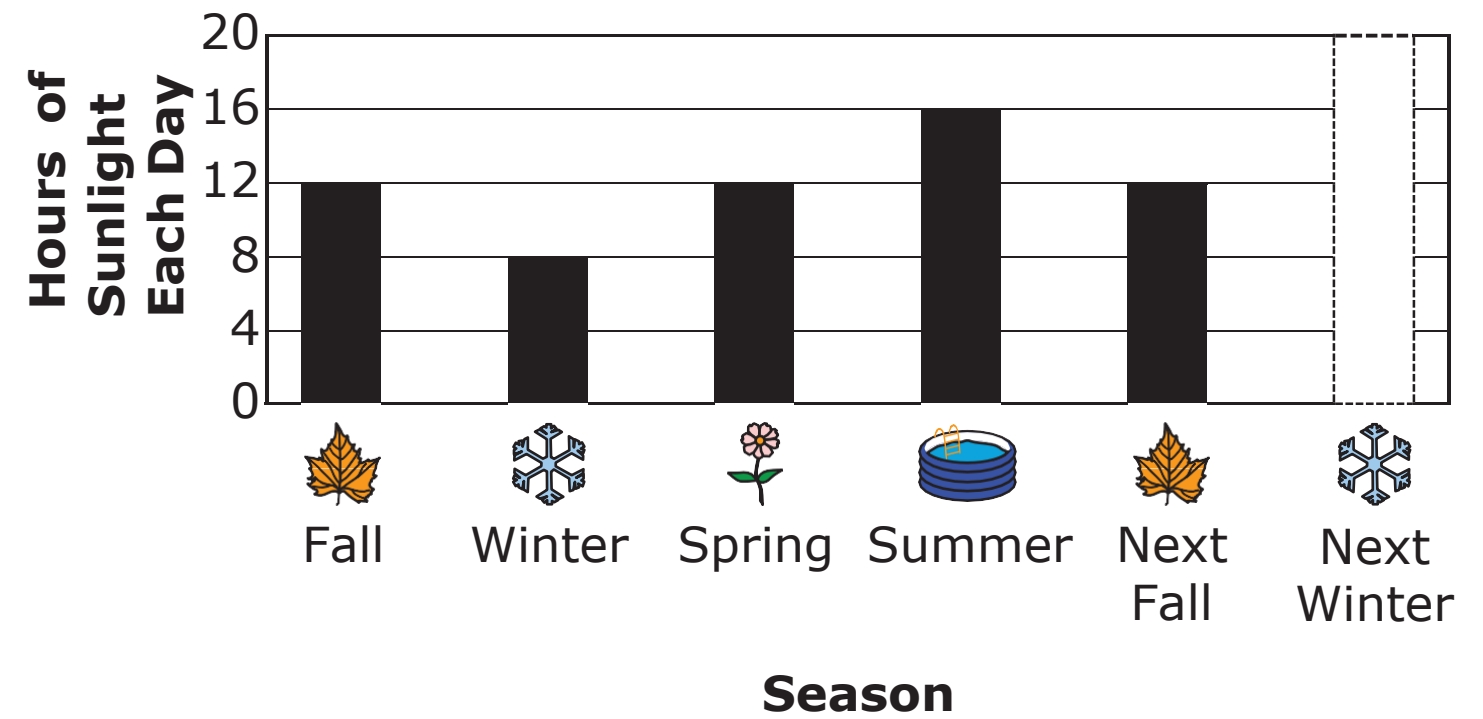
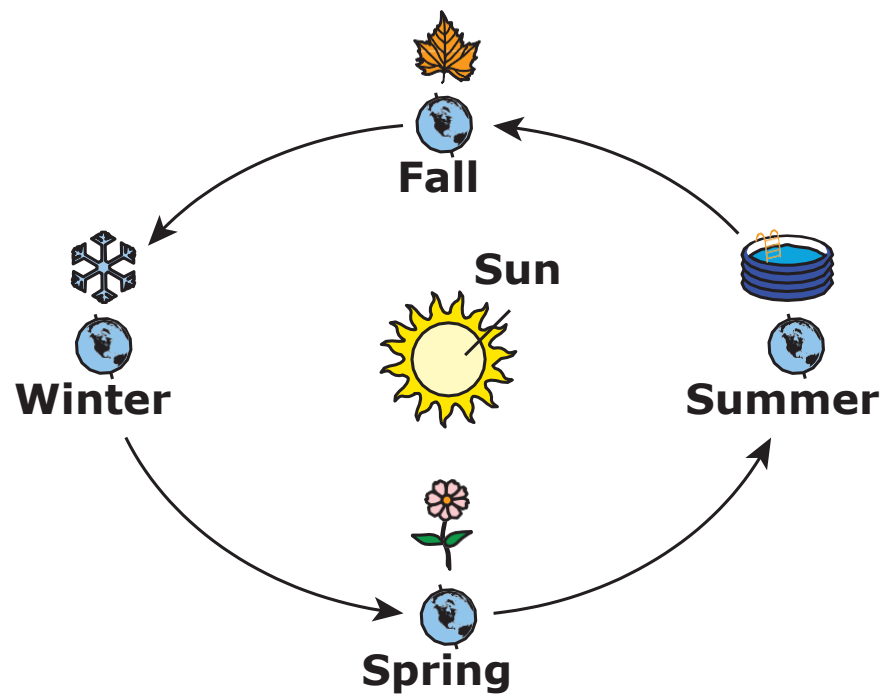
Earth's position changes.

C

Earth's orbit changes.

Item 00:

<p>Present the item on the student-response page. Point to the text in the graph, and read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>Here is a graph of hours of sunlight each day during different seasons. It says: Hours of Sunlight Each Day, 0, 4, 8, 12, 16, 20; Season, Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer, Next Fall, Next Winter.</p> <p>Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>How many hours of sunlight each day will there be next winter?</p> <p>Point to the answer options, and read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>16 hours, 12 hours, 8 hours, 4 hours</p>	
<p>Fill in the choice on the answer document that corresponds with the student's response for this item.</p> <p>Read the highlighted text exactly as it appears:</p> <p>Next winter will have 8 hours of sunlight each day.</p>	<p>A B C D NR</p>



How many hours of sunlight each day will there be next winter?

- A** **Next Winter 16 hours**
- B** **Next Winter 12 hours**
- C** **Next Winter 8 hours**
- D** **Next Winter 4 hours**