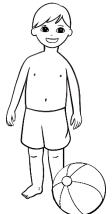
Compare & Contrast

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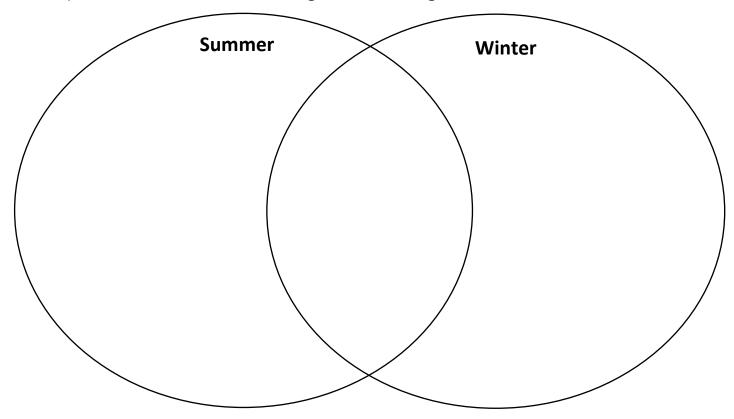
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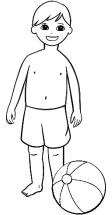
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Answers may vary

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longer days

hotter days & nights

mangoes & cherries

grow best

people go to the beach

rains more

cooler clothes (shorts, singlets, shirts)

Winter

shorter days

colder days & nights

oranges & kiwi fruits

grow best

warm clothes

rains less

