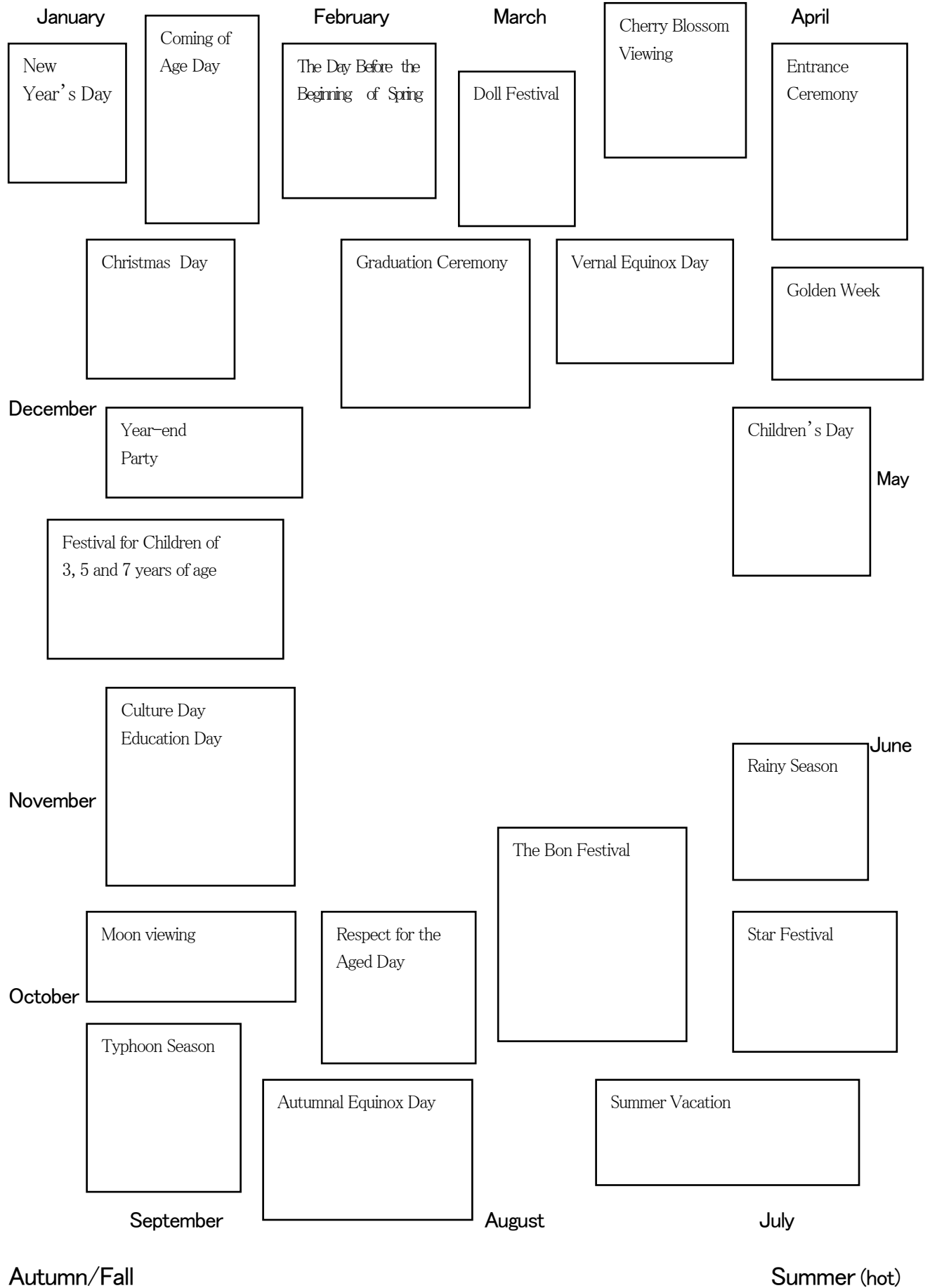


Winter (cold • snow)

Spring



Bowing is more common than shaking hands.	
Take off your shoes before entering a house.	When you dial or hang up a phone

What to say before starting a meal.	
It is all right to slurp when you eat udon, soba or ramen.	What to say after a meal.

When using a Japanese-style bath, wash your body before getting into the bathtub. The hot water in the bath will not be changed so keep it clean for the next person.
To use a Japanese toilet, face the hood of the toilet then squat.

Size of T-shirts and other clothing: S→a little small M→average L→a little large
Haggling or beating the price when you buy something is not common.
Giving tips is not usual.

If your body temperature is more than 37 degrees Celsius, you might have a fever.	Centimeter is the unit of measure for length and height.
Kilometer is the unit of measure for distance.	Gram and kilogram are the units of measure for weight.  liter→unit for volume or quantity 1 go→unit for volume/quantity of rice

Non-Profit Organization:  
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