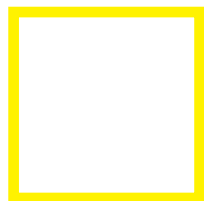


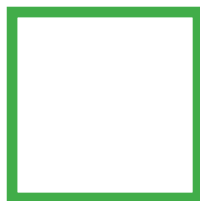
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a spring chicken



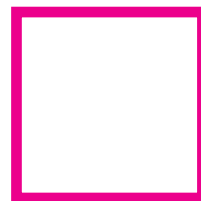
Spring chicken has two meanings. You might need to think outside the egg box here.

a tree bud-dy



The trees might still be leafless but look closely at some, and you'll see buds ready to burst through.

a floral perfume



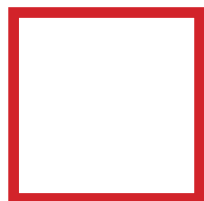
As well as spring bulbs, look out for the shrubs mahonia and daphne. You might smell them before you see them.

spring cleaning



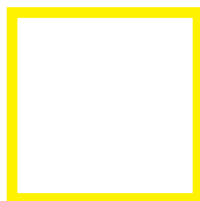
We all like to tidy up when the sun's out. Watch out for spring bonfires, window cleaners, and garden brooms.

happy birds



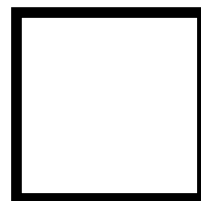
In the bird world, the best singer gets the prettiest mate. Singing also helps birds mark out their territory.

yellow trumpets



Not quite the brass band kind of trumpet, daffodils are just as loud in their own way.

drops of snow



Are you a galanthophile? If you are, you'll know where to find these perfect first flowers of spring.

kitty catkins



Catkins are long tree flowers that look a bit like tails. Hazel catkins are one of the first signs of spring.