

Literacy:

This half term we will continue to develop our Literacy skills. Children will learn to use commas in a list, and recognise a range of sentences (statements, questions, exclamations and commands). We will also learn to recognise verbs, nouns, adjectives and adverbs.

We will look at features of non-fiction work, including reading and writing recipes. We will also be writing a story and report on gardens/flowers.

Children will explore how to add suffixes to spell longer words, including -ment, -ness, -ful, -less, -ly, reading stories and discussing characters and choice of words, recognising homophones and near homophones, and learning to spell contractions (isn't, shouldn't, wasn't etc.)



Science: **Living things and their habitats / Plants**

What seeds need for germination, recording the growth of plants, how plants grow, changing conditions in order to decide on the best ones for growth, what animals live in a garden and their needs.

Design Technology: designing and making a garden

Children will design and make a garden using junk materials.

History:



We will explore how homes have changed over the years? What might you find in a home now that wasn't there in the past? Looking at artefacts and being a 'history detective', looking at how gardens were important for feeding families in the past.

Year 2 Spring 2 Homes and Gardens

Numeracy:

-Properties of 3D shapes- vertices, edges and faces.

We will learn that some edges and vertices are flat while others are curves.

- Explore nets and how they make up a 3D shape.

-Fractions – halves and quarters, fractions of amounts and equivalent fractions.

Non topic based subjects

PSHE:

'Going for goals' How do we learn best? How can we break down large goals into smaller, more achievable ones?

Music: Children will continue to learn how to play the PBuzz.

Religious Education: To know and understand the story of Easter. To know what symbols are relevant to Christians.

Computing:

Espresso coding – different sorts of input, buttons and instructions.

PE:

Indoor- Gymnastics with a coach.

Outdoor- Net games. Passing balls over a divide/net.
