

## Literacy

### Pupils will learn about:

- Recognising rhythm in spoken words
- Continuing rhyming strings
- Verbally segmenting sounds in simple words
- Verbally blending sounds in simple words
- Finding information in non-fiction books
- Hearing initial sounds in words
- Writing for a purpose: lists, letters

## Texts

- Jack and the Beanstalk
- Jaspers Beanstalk
- How Do Flowers Grow?
- The Tiny Seed
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- Ten seeds

## Mathematics

### Pupils will learn about:

- Counting specific amounts
- Comparing and ordering lengths/heights
- Using shapes to make pictures
- Exploring and making patterns with minibeasts and flowers
- Investigating one more and one less with seeds.
- Solving number problems - sharing

## Physical Development

### Pupils will learn about:

- Caring for living things and the environment
- Keeping ourselves healthy.
- Healthy foods-fruit/veg grown
- Making movements to represent growth
- Balls skills – catching and throwing.
- Experimenting with moving in different ways.
- Negotiating spaces

# How Does Your Garden Grow? Nursery-Summer 1

## Expressive Arts and Design

### Pupils will learn about:

- Manipulating materials to make flowers and beanstalks
- Observational drawing Van Gogh and Sunflowers
- To use tools for a purpose – making butterflies and flowers.
- Playing in role imaginatively – flower shop
- Exploring how sounds can be changed.
- Moving in different ways to different music.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

### Pupils will learn about:

- Following the nursery rules
- Taking care of plants and the outdoor environment
- Taking care of minibeasts.
- Thinking about their own behaviour and being responsible
- Using equipment safely e.g. scissors, climbing equipment
- Keeping ourselves safe – germs, tools

## Understanding the World

### Pupils will learn about:

- Plants/flowers-what they need to grow and live-Beanstalk planting and taking care of growing beans.
- Dissecting/naming and labeling parts of a flower.
- Life cycle of the real caterpillars/observe changes
- Growing seeds and bulbs, observe similarities/differences patterns and change-Use garden area.
- Spring is here- what are the signs of Spring?

## Communication and Language Development

### Pupils will learn about:

- Learn new vocabulary linked to growing.
- Stories – children to learn and retell Jack and the Beanstalk
- Sequence Jaspers beanstalk
- Question why things are happening
- Puppets linked to Stories.
- Use language to explaining changes over time with seeds and minibeasts
- Asking questions and giving explanations.