

## Year 1 Summer Term 2

# Ready Steady Grow!

### Literacy

Writing poetry using creative language at Alice Holt. Creative writing about our plants. Writing a diary linked to growing plants, writing instructions and using adjectives. Weekly phonics and handwriting and group reading

### Art and DT

Observational drawings of plants, flowers, or vegetables using pastels Design and make a structure for the garden. Collage pictures of fruit and vegetables. Embroidery pictures Design a large garden decoration

### Geography

Map skills and map making

### Science

Science day 'exploring circuits'

Continue to care for Outdoor Area and link this to topic. Plant beans and other seeds. Investigate what plants need to grow. Life cycles of plants. Identify different plants and the environment in which they grow. Investigations to show that plants take up water through their roots. Visit to the Downs for a plant study 'Fantastic Forests' visit to Alice Holt, Wellie planting! Make a Sweet pea tepee!



### ICT

Use the digital camera to photograph plants in outdoor area. Use ICT programme 'Story maker' to invent own stories

Use Internet to research plants and flowers.

### Numeracy

Place value and ordering. Estimating, mental calculation strategies.

Money, real life problems and making decisions. days of the week and seasons of the year. Problem solving - link with use and movement of water. Capacity and problem solving

### PE and Games

Preparation for sports day - team games and multi skills, gymnastics

### RE Write poems about the natural world and creation.

Retell aspects of the creation story. Make a class collage of our wonderful world PSHE - SEAL - 'Changes' - making changes in our lives, -changes we choose and changes we make happen

### Drama and dance -

country dancing - learn, perform and create own country-dances  
Drama related to stories in Literacy

### Music

Songs and use of percussion instruments

We look forward to; lots of planting in the Year 1 outdoor area, visiting the wild place, going to Alice Holt, Curriculum Week and lots of sports activities.