



Twisted Tales and Garden Trails Topic Trail Year 2 Summer Term (1st half)

Here is some of the learning we focus on this first half term for you to discuss and research.



Horticultural Hook:
21/04/26
afternoon

Working together
to create a
wonderful Year 2

gardening area: sweeping, planting,
watering, designing and creating art.

Foundation Subjects: I will know...

Science: what plants need to stay healthy, how to carry out their own investigations into what plants need to grow well, observe the inside of a seed and learn about the life cycle of a plant, how plants look when they don't get the things they need and name the parts of a plant.

Computing: how to present my ideas, making quizzes, stories and presentations.

Art: how to sketch plants using pencil, using collage for effect and that printing can be done by pressing, rolling, printing or stamping.

PE Games: to use a bat and simple tactics to play a bat and ball game.

PE Dance: to create and perform a dance motif inspired by plants and fairy tales.

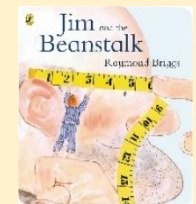
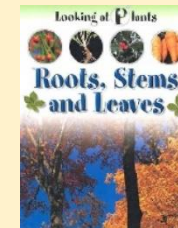
RE: about the Torah and some important Jewish stories.

Music: how to play the glockenspiel.

Vital Vocabulary

leaf, root, bud, flowers, stem, petals, seed, germinate, reproduce, soil, water, light, evergreen, deciduous, beanstalk, pollinate.

Key texts



Key values: Resilience and responsibility to others.

Adventure Sprite

Earth Sprite

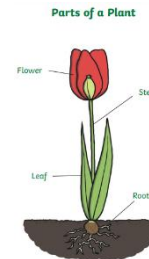


PSHRE:

I know we all have different feelings, and I know words to express my feelings.
I know who to talk to when I am worried.
I know what being a good friend looks like and how to show kindness to others.
I know I can't control everything and strategies to manage the 'uncontrollables'

Key Questions

What do plants need to stay healthy?
What happens to plants that don't get what they need?
What do different seeds look like and what happens to them?
What does a life cycle of a plant look like?
What are the different parts of a plant called?
How are plants suited to their environment?



Year 1 invited to explore our garden space – flower/leaf hunt.