



## CLASS: Ahlberg

### TOPIC:

Green Fingers

### CLASS TRIP THIS TERM

We will be visiting the Play Centre, date TBC

### Questions we asked about our topic:

What do plants need to grow?

How are seeds dispersed?

What are the parts of the plants called?

### Rights Respecting School

Rights	Responsibilities
To feel happy	To be kind
To feel safe	To take care of each other and equipment
To learn	To listen to other people
To be listened to	To share
To be respected	To try hard with your work
To have friends	To listen to what any adults in the school tell you.



### Important Dates:

- 7 – 25 May SATS weeks KS1
- 18 May pm Afternoon Tea Party Royal Wedding
- 25 May Own Clothes Day
- 28th May– 1 June HALF TERM**
- 4-5 June INSET DAYS**
- 11-15 June Science Week
- 22 June Summer Fair 3.00-6.00
- 27 June PE on Tour visit: Cricket skills.
- 2 July Sports Day choice 1
- 3 July Sports Day choice 2
- 13 July Reports to Parents

Reading is a lifelong skill. Please help us encourage your child to read every day!

### INCENTIVES THIS TERM

**Reading Awards:** Children will receive a reading certificate for every 18 reads.

### In our class we earn:

#### Marvellous Me app awards

For in class achievements.

#### House points:

For positive behaviour

#### Handwriting Awards

For achieving presentation targets.

#### Presentation Stickers

For improved presentation

#### Star Student

### Parent/Carer Partnership

All parents are invited to come and read with their children in class on Thursdays between 2.50 and 3.10. It is a fantastic opportunity for you to spend time reading with your child.

### Shared home learning

#### Reading:

- ◆ Read with your child for 10-15 minutes daily. You can find questions to aid your discussions in your reading record books.

#### Writing

- ◆ Write out spelling words in sentences.
- ◆ Help your child to form the letters in their spelling words correctly.

#### MATHEMATICS

- ◆ Support them with their daily maths homework (Monday to Thursday)
- ◆ Help them to learn their times tables. (2s, 5s and 10s)

**Year: 2 Half term: Summer 1 Leys KS1 Creative Curriculum Topic Planner**

**Project Title: Green Fingers**

**Focus subjects: Tasks/outcomes**

**Subject: English**

This half term the children will continue to develop their writing skills. They will be using expanded noun phrases, exclamation sentences, adverbs and connectives.

**Subject: (Science)**

**Key Objectives:**

To know what plants need to grow and the functions of parts of plants.

**Skills**

To identify different parts of a plant and understand what their function is.

To plant seeds, observe their growth and make notes on their observations.

**Knowledge**

The children will be planting their own seeds and making regular observations on how they grow.

**Ley's Link Learning Value:**

**Self Belief**

**Subject: (Computing/DT)**

**Key Objectives**

Developing typing skills and accuracy.

Designing and making Secret Gardens.

**Skills**

Keyboard and mouse skills.

Researching, designing and evaluating

**Knowledge**

Children will develop their typing skills by using ICT across their lessons.

**Metacognition lesson focus /thinking tool:**

We embrace challenge.

We support and encourage each other.

**Inspirational Person/s: Monet**

**Fantastic finish**

Secret Garden projects. The children will design, create and evaluate their own models of the Secret Garden.