

Communication, Language and Literacy

- Reading stories about gardening
- Using reference books and ICT
- Writing and drawing labels for plants
- Learning to listen – activities from ‘Letters and Sounds’
- Recalling and talking about experiences
- Using words and photos to record experiences
- Learning some of the letters of the alphabet and their sounds

Mathematical Development

- Sorting
- Counting
- Learning number rhymes
- Matching
- 2D and 3D shapes in the environment
- Counting for a purpose
- Problem solving using capacity.

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

- Planting seeds
- Observing germination and growth
- Making cress sandwiches
- How babies grow and what they need
- Exploring the environment.
- Learning about mini-beasts



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Creative development

- Exploring colour and texture
- Learning rhymes and songs
- Exploring and making musical instruments
- Making up stories
- Using their senses in the garden

Physical Development

- Judge body space in relation to spaces available when fitting into confined spaces or negotiating openings and boundaries.
- Using tools in the garden and at the woodwork bench
- Learning good habits of hygiene when cooking and gardening

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Demonstrate flexibility and adapt their behavior to different events, social situations and changes in routine.
- Caring for living things: plants mini-beasts and babies
- Linking experiences at home and school
- Moving on - preparing for reception