

## Physical Development

The children will be exploring ways to keep themselves healthy; we will look at sun safety and healthy lifestyles. The children will be encouraged to transport and store equipment safely.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The children will be encouraged to work in teams to build dens and create group collages. They will need to work together, show sensitivity to others needs and resolve simple conflicts without adult support.

## Communication and Language

The children will be encouraged to speak confidently to the class as a nature presenter. They will need to structure their ideas and use accurate past, present and future tenses. We will be using talking to our family members about their experiences of gardening and using the language of time to discuss this.

## Understanding the world

The children will be making observation of animals and plants. We will use our maths skills to measure the plants we are growing and compare which grows faster. The children will be encouraged to use the camera, IPADS and digital microscopes to take photographs and make films of the outdoor environment.

# The Great Outdoors

### Children's questions:

What bugs live in our forest?

How many trees are there in the field?

Why does it rain a lot?

What flowers can we find?



## Expressive arts and design

The children will use natural materials to create their own collage pictures. They will also be exploring the different textures in the outdoor environment.

## Literacy

We will explore a range of information texts and look at the key features. The children will be adding labels to diagrams. We will write a recount of our WOW day. We will also be focusing on the common words, encouraging the children to read and spell them and begin to use these words accurately in their writing.

### WOW day - 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2019

The children will be asked to wear old clothes and waterproofs for the day as they will be exploring the outdoor environment, learning some important skills of team work.

## Numeracy

We will be exploring everyday language related to time; including the seasons, months and days of the week. We will be ensuring the children have a secure understanding of numbers to 20, ordering, finding the missing number and completing addition and subtraction number sentences.