



What do plants need for growth?
 How do plants absorb sunlight and nutrition?
 How do local communities establish themselves?
 What is rural economic activity?
 What's the importance of roots and stems?
 We will also learn how plants reproduce new plants, how the egg is fertilised by pollen and the seed grows into a plant. (RSHE).
 Mr Murphy

Our school topic for this term is: Plant Life
 Our Big Question: What do I believe?

Respect

Responsibility

Compassion

Trust

Courage

Perseverance

literacy...

We shall immerse ourselves in text. When is our long story writing project starting? Now!



All pupils will publish their own book!

botanists...



We have eight desert ferns in school. These plants will remain on children's tables during all lessons as we monitor their **resurrection** and make a time lapse of events! Paleontologists like Mary Anning, help us understand more about the survival and study of living matter.

designing...



Cutting, measuring, applying techniques...we shall begin construction of RSPB inspired bird boxes.

PE: United Sports continue to teach PE on a Tuesday & Wednesday afternoon – thank you for labelling your child's PE kit.
 Please encourage your child to bring their PE kit to school at all times including a spare change of footwear for children wishing to play on the field at lunchtime.



scientists...



We will observe, measure, question and report on plants as seeds germinate and flourish. Learning will be enhanced with a special visit to botanical gardens! Biologist Mike Linley will provide further explanation of the 'process of growth.'

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Our Café! When pupils have completed their story writing project, all books will be printed and parents shall be invited to school.

Christian Core Values

RE: If life is a journey, does it ever end? As we head towards Easter, we will also investigate where Christians look for hope. We will consider conflict. Does religion bring peace?

School Visits

Peacock Class have a tradition of using class visits to inspire classroom activity. Their story writing is currently being inspired by their visit to the theatre last term. We will continue to share images of our learning on the school class page.

Home Learning

Thank you for supporting homework. Home learning continues to be collected every Friday. This has supported the children's understanding and contributed to their mock test results. Each member of Year 6 received 1:1 feedback last term. Please fully support your child to read daily, and return their diaries to school each Friday.