

# Our topic this term is:

## Growing



### Prime Areas

#### **Personal, Social and Emotional Development:**

We will be continuing to explore how to show perseverance through challenges we come across by developing our problem-solving skills and understanding that making mistakes is how we learn.

**Communication and Language:** We will have opportunities to express ideas and ask questions to find out more. We will be exploring this through fiction and non-fiction texts.

**Physical Development:** We will continue to focus on fine and gross motor skills, through activities in P.E as well as in our indoor and outdoor provision.

**Maths:** We will be exploring numbers between 0-10, consolidating our knowledge of subitising and representation of number.

We will also be exploring measure and expanding on our knowledge of 3D shapes.

**English:** Using our core text, our writing outcome for this half term will be using our phonic knowledge to write what we learn about growing. We will be following Little Wandle Letters and Sounds to teach Phonics, learning Phase 3 with a focus on CVC and CVVC words and embedding this in our reading and writing.

**Understanding the World:** We will be discussing things that we see in our environment using new vocabulary. Children will be exploring what they already know and using this to support with their new learning.

**Topic:** We will be exploring a variety of texts about growing. We will also have the opportunity to explore plants and growing through science experiments.

**Expressive Arts and Design:** We will be focusing on our art skills, exploring different media to create plants through observational drawing.

### **General information**

Reading must be completed daily, and a note made in your child's reading record book.