







Parents & Carers Summer 1st half termly topic overview
Topic – ‘Growing’

Date	week	Weekly theme	Parent communication/participation
19.04.22 (Tues)	1	Lifecycle of a frog  Role play – frog pond	If anyone happens to get any frog spawn over the next few weeks, could we borrow some to show the children, real life spawn/tadpoles please.
25.04.22	2	Lifecycle of a seed – sunflower  Role play – garden centre	The children will be planting a sunflower this week to bring home to care for...the pressure! They will also bring home a sunflower growth sheet to plot their flowers growth throughout the term.
02.05.22	3	Lifecycle of a bean  Role play – Grandad’s shed	This week we will be holding an experiment with growing some runner bean plants. The children will learn what conditions plants need to grow successfully.
09.05.22	4	Lifecycle of a Chicken  Role play – Farm puppets	The children will learn about the lifecycle of a Chicken. We will look at the similarities and differences between a variety of birds.

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16.05.22	5	Lifecycle of a Bee  Role play – Flower shop	The children will be leaning about how important Bees are pollinating all our plants and flowers.
23.05.22	6	Lifecycle of a tree  Role play – Woodland	The children will be leaning about how trees grow and change through the seasons.

Half term 30th May – 3rd June