

Foundation Stage

Medium term thematic plan

What lives in the garden?

Autumn Term 2019

Personal, social & emotional development

- ✓ Role play with others
- ✓ Initiating conversations
- ✓ Forming good relationships

Communication & language development

- ✓ Listening to stories
- ✓ Beginning to understand questions
- ✓ Building vocabulary to reflect experiences

Physical development

- ✓ Move confidently in different ways.
- ✓ Develop correct pencil grip
- ✓ Independent toileting and changing for PE

Understanding the world

- ✓ Observing and describing plants & animals
- ✓ Showing care and concern for living things and the environment



Literacy

- ✓ Beginning to link sounds to letters
- ✓ Give meaning to mark-making
- ✓ Writing own name

Texts: The Hungry Caterpillar, The Leaf Man, Minibeast Poems

Expressive arts and design

- ✓ Using different construction materials
- ✓ Exploring colours & patterns
- ✓ Joining in with songs and dances

Mathematics

- ✓ Counting, ordering and recognising numbers to 10
- ✓ Spotting shapes and patterns in the environment

What lives in the garden?

We care about our well-being...
We will be kind to ourselves and others.

We are curious...
We will ask lots of questions.

We are global citizens...
We will take care of our school garden.