

Scented Garden – Homework Tasks

Grow your own sunflower and keep a record of its height. Who can grow the tallest in the class?

Keep a plant diary, explaining how you grew a plant. Include photographs or drawings of each stage of your plant's development.

With an adult, search the internet for examples of amazing plants and make your own weird and wonderful plant book.

On a visit to the supermarket, find and discuss plants you can eat including herbs, vegetables and fruit. Which part of the plant are they? The roots? The leaves? The flower? The stem?

Visit a garden centre, florist or plant sale or take a walk in your garden or local area. Amaze your adults with your knowledge of plant names. Find out the names of plants you don't recognise.

Read and talk about stories and poems with your adult on the theme of flowers and plants.

Visit the local library and find non-fiction books about planting. Look for information using the contents and index pages. Write down any new facts you have learned and bring them in to share with the class.

Grow your own herb garden at home and use your herbs in some delicious recipes for your family and friends.

Learn how to spell the names of some common flowering plants such as rose, daisy, iris and tulip.

Paint or draw flowers growing in the local environment or in a vase or pot in your home.

Find pictures online of famous flower paintings and talk about your likes and dislikes with your adult.

Press flowers between pages of a book and use to make gifts or cards for your family and friends.

Continue to work on your x2,x5 and x10 tables.

Practise telling the time – you should be able to tell the time to five minute intervals by the end of year 2.

Money - Can you make amounts of money using coins – ie. 66p,42p, £1.42? Can you give change from £1.00 or £5.00?