

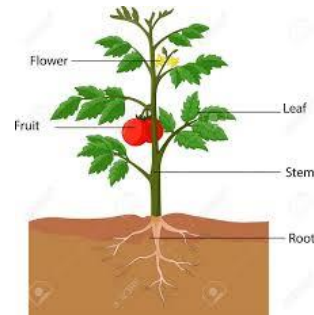
In **English**, phonics will continue to be our main focus, continuing with our daily phonics and spellings programme. The children will be developing their writing skills using the well-known traditional tale 'Jack and the Beanstalk' as a stimulus. In Year 1 the children will be developing their sentence writing skills including the writing of question sentences. They will also be learning how to change nouns into the plural and how to add the suffixes -ing, -ed, -er to verbs. In Year 2 the children will be using exclamatory and command sentences in their writing as well as learning to use a variety of suffixes.



In **Maths** the children will begin the half-term focusing on capacity and mass. They will then be continuing their work on their multiplication and division skills. We will also be looking at shape 2D and 3D. The Year 2 children will commence their times tables tests once we are back in school.

Year 1 & 2  
Spring 2  
*'Once Upon a Time'*

In **Science** the children will be learning about plants. This will include growing some of their own.



In **Art** the children will be learning all about observational drawing – they will learn the skills to draw flowers and other 'still life' using their skills of observation. They will also spend some time developing their skills in painting and collage.



In **R.E.** the children will be learning about the concept of 'Sad and Happy' with a focus on the 'Easter' story.



In **P.D.L.** the children will continue to discuss the concept of relationships. They will explore how to be good friends, how to resolve arguments as well as the importance of discussing feelings. The children will learn about positive relationships with adults and other children.

In **Computing** the children will be learning how to follow and make simple programmes using Beebots.



In **P.E** the children will be developing their skills in their gymnastics lessons with a focus on using the wall bars. The children will also do some dance this half term – focused on the theme of 'Growing'.



**How you can help?**

Reading– please practice as often as possible – **DON'T FORGET OUR CLASS READING RACE!** There are Keywords to practice also along with the counting card number facts – if you need another copy, please ask.