

Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

In our carpet time sessions, we will be starting a new topic 'Healthy Me.' This week we will talk about our bodies and learning where our heart is. We will be noticing that our hearts beat faster when we do exercise and what exercise we can do to be healthy.

Literacy

We will be reading *Ten Seeds* by Ruth Brown as well as looking at lots of non-fiction books about growing.

Expressive Arts and Design (EAD)

We will be making our own stories in 'zig zag' books.
We will also have a go at drawing different fruits and vegetables using different types of media.

Communication and Language (CL)

The children will be introduced to the vocabulary of growing over the coming weeks - seeds, soil, shoots, stem, roots, growth, growing, tallest, shortest. There is a vocabulary sheet attached.

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Nursery Learning



Seeds and Growing

Maths

We will compare sizes of seeds. The children will be encouraged to use descriptive language to describe the seeds - smallest, tiniest, biggest, largest. We will also practice counting backwards!

Understanding of the World (UW)

We will be looking at all different types of seeds and will be talking about what a seed needs to grow - sun, soil and water/rain.

At the beginning of the week, we will be planting beans and observe what happens to them as they grow.

Towards the end of the week, we will be planting cress and making our own cress heads.

At home, when cutting up fruit and vegetables you can see if they can find the seeds and perhaps try growing them!

Physical Development (PD)

We will be continuing to encourage the children to write their name on their learning and holding the pencil correctly if they can, in a tripod grip.