



28/02/25 Home Learning Class F

The children have been busy this week starting their new 'Growing' topic. They have read the book Jasper's Beanstalk and planted their own bean in a plastic bag which they will watch grow (fingers crossed!) over the half term. They have watched a video with a growing bean seed sped up to see what will happen with their own planted bean. The children have been enjoying the role play area set up as a garden centre with artificial plants.

The reception children have carried on with their phase 3 phonics learning and nursery have continued with their Body Percussion sessions.

Home Learning

Projects: Please choose one (or more!) of the following options to complete over the half term.

1. Look around you, can you find any flowers that have started to grow? You could go for a walk with a grown-up around a garden or park. You could take photos or draw a picture of the things you see.
2. Try growing some plants or flowers at home. You could try planting some seeds in a pot or in your garden.
3. Try making a model of a flower. You could use modelling dough, paper or card, Lego, empty cardboard tubes and boxes or plastic tubs and pots. Think about how you could make the stem, the flower and the leaves. We would love to see any models you make!
4. Draw or paint a picture of some flowers. What colours do you need? Can you remember the different parts of a flower? Try using the words 'stem', 'leaves' and 'petals' to describe your flowers.

You might like to sing some songs with your children linked to this topic. Here are a few suggestions. You can find some of these nursery rhymes on BBC teach with animations:

- Mary, Mary quite contrary
- Oats and beans and barley grow
- 10 red apples hanging on a tree (to the tune of 10 green bottles)

Reading (Reception only)

The children have a phonics book linked to their phonics learning. Please read with your child every day and record in their reading record book. Please ensure your child's book bag is brought into school every day so the adults in school can listen to them read.

