



Choose a range of learning across the week to complete.

Resource sheets are provided as guidance and don't need to be printed if you don't want to.

You can also include any activities and learning of your own! Please email [Reception@lakeside.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:Reception@lakeside.staffs.sch.uk) ☺

<b>English</b>	<p><b>Life Cycles.</b> A life cycle shows how different plants and animals grow and change. Complete one of the life cycle sheets attached.</p> <p>Challenge - Draw out and label a life cycle for a different animal. <b>(see resource sheets)</b></p>	<p><b>Investigate.</b> Some baby animals change drastically as they grow into adults. There is a picture beneath the grid. What kind of creature do you think it is? What do you think it will grow into? Write a description of the creature and what you think will happen to it as it grows.</p> <p>Picture below</p>	<p><b>Puppets.</b> Make a set of puppets for you to use to tell the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. Put on a puppet show for your family. Challenge - write your own version of the story.</p>	<p><b>Instructions for planting a seed.</b> Write your own set of instructions to explain how to plant a seed and what happens when it grows. There is a resource sheet for you to sequence if you want to, or you can write your own. <b>(see resource sheet)</b></p>
			<p><b>Imaginary Land.</b> Imagine that some magic beans grew in your garden. If you climbed the beanstalk, what do you think you would find at the top? Create a picture of your own imaginary land. Challenge - Write a story about what would happen if you climbed your own beanstalk.</p>	
<b>Maths</b>	<p><b>Measuring.</b> Go outside either to your garden or for a walk. Look at all the plants that you find, how many are taller than you? How many are shorter? When you get home, sort the pictures of beanstalks by height. <b>(see resource sheet)</b></p>	<p><b>Block Chart.</b> Look at the resource sheet. Colour the flowers at the top of the page. Each time you colour a plant, colour a block on the chart in the correct column. Which plant is there most of? Which is there least of? <b>(see resource sheet)</b></p>	<p><b>Minibeast hunt and count.</b> Go into your garden or to a place where you can safely explore. Search for different minibeasts in the environment. Write down how many of each creature you find. There is a resource sheet if you want to use it, or you can create your own. <b>(see resource sheet)</b></p>	<p><b>Ladybird doubles.</b> Use the resource sheets, choose either to 10 or to 20. Put the spots on the ladybirds so that there are the same amount on each side. Write the doubles underneath. <b>(see resource sheet)</b></p>



<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);"><b>Topic</b></p>	<p><b>Bird feeder:</b>                  Make a bird feeder to hang in your garden. Cover a toilet roll tube in peanut butter and roll in seeds. Thread onto string to hang in the garden.                  See picture below.                  Challenge - write your own instructions.</p>	<p><b>Rubbings.</b>                  Use wax crayons to make rubbings of different things in your garden. You could use trees, leaves, bricks, walls, slabs etc. Arrange your rubbings to create a garden picture.</p>	<p><b>Hedgehog Safety.</b>                  People often find hedgehogs in their gardens. Research and make a poster to tell people how to look after them if they find them.</p>	<p><b>Where does it grow?</b>                  Sort the pictures into groups based on where they grow. Do they grow under the ground, on top of the ground or on a tree or bush?                  (see resource sheet - Fruit and Veg)</p>
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);"><b>Daily Activities</b></p>	<p><b>N</b> - Can you sing the alphabet song?   <b>Rec</b> - Have a go at reading / writing these words.                  for fort hurt church cow wow soil boil                   Can you think of any other words for the sounds or ur ow oi?</p>	<p><b>Reading:</b>                  Non Fiction                  Can you research the bugs that you find in your garden?                   Remember, non-fiction is real information!</p>	<p><b>The Ugly Bug Ball.</b>  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=utWrIWq2_tk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=utWrIWq2_tk</a>                  Think carefully about how different creatures move. Can you wriggle like a worm? Can you crawl like a beetle? Can you fly like a butterfly?                   Listen to the song The Ugly Bug Ball on You Tube. Can you make up your own dance to go with it?                   Challenge - can you make some instruments to play along with the song? You could use elastic bands to make a guitar, rice or pasta to make a shaker, a saucepan to be a drum, etc.</p>	

