Literacy

This term we are learning about the following texts- The Tiny Little Seed, Chicken Licken and The Ugly Duckling!







We will be reciting the poems 'A Little Seed'. We will be reading stories written by the Author Clare Freeman!

EAD

We will begin learning about artwork by the artist Van Gogh. We will explore his painting of sunflowers and recreate our own with the media of paint and oil pastels. We will be practising a range of different nursery rhymes and engaging in play as we pretend to be garden centre workers and farmers in our role play area. We will also access other areas of exploring play in our small world, construction, malleable, sand, water and create areas.

Maths

We will be continuing to embed learning of numbers to 6 and will continue to explore them in different ways to fully understand their value. We will be learning about positional language, describing where objects are using terms such as in front of, on top, under and behind. We will also be exploring 2D shapes (circles, triangles, squares and rectangles) learning to recognise them and identify them because of their properties.

FI What Helps Things To Grow?



<u>UTW</u>

This half term we will be learning all about things that grow. We will begin to discover the lifecycles of a seed and of a chick. We will learn that a seed needs air, water, sun and soil to be able to grow, and will plant our own seed to take care of. We will take care of some eggs and watch as they turn into chicks.

We will also look at how we celebrate Easter, and why it is celebrated too!

Outdoor Learning

We will be exploring the outdoor area and developing our gross motor skills. Our main focus area this term outdoors is to develop our co-ordination and core strength by using the balancing resources.