

Gardening Club Autumn Term

Week	Activity	EYFS
03-09-13	Introducing gardening rules and tools. Visit wild garden using ring rope.	Shows understanding and cooperates with some boundaries and routines. Can inhibit own actions/behaviours, e.g. stop themselves from doing something they shouldn't do. Begins to accept the needs of others and can take turns and share resources, sometimes with support.
10-09-13	Visit allotment. Take tools to dig up any vegetables and weeds. Plant Spring Onions	Uses one handed tools and equipment. Negotiates space successfully. Uses simple tools to effect changes Responds to simple instructions. Beginning to understand 'Why' and 'How' questions.
17-09-13	Seed collection. Walk round school field looking for seeds from grasses and hedges.	Listens to others one to one or in small groups, when conversation interests them. Focusing attention-still listen or do, but can shift own attention. Is able to follow directions. Two-channelled attention- can listen and do.
24-09-13	Look at homes of animals in the wild garden, take up hedgehog hut from the bottom garden and site it for a hedgehog to use.	Can talk about some of the things they have observed such as plants, animals, natural and found objects. Developing an understanding of growth, decay and changes over time.
01-10-13	Worms and mini-beasts as pets.	Show care and concern for living things and the environment. Begins to make comparisons between quantities Uses some language of quantities such as more and a lot
08-10-13	Make a toy from nature using seeds, twigs, cones etc found on our previous walks and in the garden.	Beginning to be interested in and describe the texture of things. Uses various construction materials.
15-10-13	Harvest potatoes from the bag. Tidy old pots, wash and put dead flowers in compost bin. Look at size with the Enormous Turnip story.	Realises not only objects, but anything can be counted. Shows an awareness of similarities of shapes in the environment Uses positional language Shows interest in illustrations and print in books and in the environment. Knows information can be relayed in the form of print.
22-10-13	Harvest festival	Can retell a simple past event in correct order. Uses talk to connect ideas, explain what is happening and anticipate what might happen next.

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5-11-13	Plant bulbs for christmas	
12-11-13		
19-11-13	Parents help plant wild garden	
26-11-13		
03-12-13		
10-12-13		
17-12-13		
	Christmas	

List

Soil/compost -peat free for making bed in wild garden

Bulbs - native bluebells, snowdrops, crocus, daffodil

Plants - Primrose, cowslip

Bark for path

Children's gardening gloves