



Our topic this term is,

Where does my food come from? - Plants



What we will learn

During this term Bumble Bee children will be learning to know where our food comes from with a focus on plants. We will learn that fruit, vegetables, leaves and grain come from plants and understand how they are harvested and used to make a variety of foods.

We will understand that plants grow from seeds and need certain conditions to enable them to flourish. We will be identifying different parts of plants and flowers.

We will plant and watch seeds grow and learn to name parts of plants. We will learn how to look after plants as they grow and understand the conditions needed to promote growth.

Through this project we will have opportunities to make, explore and taste a variety of foods derived from plants, including bread.



Books we will be reading to support our understanding



Farm Shop Visit

To support our learning, we hope to visit a farm shop and experience how our food is grown and harvested ready to sell in the shop.

Baking Bread

The children will be discovering what steps are in the process of making bread, exploring how a seed grows to wheat and it is then ground into flour. We will also be baking our own bread!

Our project related vocabulary

Nouns; Animals: produce, farm, farmer, shop, food, tractor, seed, soil, root, leaves, stalk, water, wheat, grain, flour, bread, pollination, flowers, blossom, petals, fruit, bulb, trunk, branches and stem.

Verbs; growing, farming, feeding, caring, delivering, shopping, eating, watering, digging, planting, harvesting

Adjectives; big, bigger, biggest, small, smaller, smallest, colours, tall, short, round, long.

Prepositions; in, on, under, above, below, next, between

To support your child with this project at home, you could:

- Talk to your child about what they are eating
- Think about where our food comes from and the journey it takes before it arrives at our homes
- Look out crop fields, fruit trees and bushes, flowers and plants
- Talk about how to have a healthy diet and what foods help us to grow and be active

