

The Scented Garden

Summer Term

Mountaineers, Balloonists, Pilots and Astronauts

Tiptoe through the tulips as your senses discover the blooming foliage and enchanting fragrances of flowers and herbs. Round and round the mulberry bush we go, planting bulbs and seeds, and then watch them grow beneath sunshine and showers. Explore the astounding world of the scented garden, but be careful, there are some wild and dangerous plants out there that do astonishing things. Don't touch them. Use the marvellous properties of plants, flowers and herbs to make an exceptional gift for somebody special. Everything is coming up roses. Why not grow your own?

Activities you may like to do at home.

- Explore your garden or the park. Look at the flowers and plants that you can see. Have a go at drawing them or make a collage with the leaves and petals you find.
- Draw or find a flower and look at the different parts. Can you name them or match them?
- Plant some seeds in a pot and look after them. Watch them grow!
- Make a rubbing of leaves and bark or press some flowers and make a picture.

Useful websites:

- BBC Teach – Parts of a plant – Science KS1/KS2,
- BBC Bitesize – Healthy plant growth – KS2 Science,
- CBeebies – Making Perfume
- BBC – How to grow your veg on a windowsill – Dig In
- RHS Gardening – Grow your own fruit, vegetables & herbs
- Kew Science – Plants of the World Online

