

## CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER



Dear Families,

Our Summer term topic is 'Farm to Fork'.

We're excited to start work on our new topic, 'Farm to Fork', which teaches children about the features and characteristics of land use in agricultural regions across the world, including a detailed exploration of significant environmental areas.

We will be making the most of the expertise of our resident volunteer gardener, Simon, who has invited us to visit his allotment both at the start and end of term. This will allow us to observe the changes that take place over the most active growing period.

The children's exploration will also be enhanced by a trip to the Eden Project, where we will take part in a workshop called Sustainability Sussed which challenges the children to go on a journey and discover the sustainability stories behind the foods they eat each lunchtime. We will also have some time to explore the biomes and gardens.

For further details and resources related to this topic, please refer to the attached knowledge organiser which details some of the learning we expect to cover. Please also see below for information regarding our maths and writing learning this term.

With warm regards,

Year 5 Team

WEEK	WRITING	WEEK	MATHS
1-3	Poetry based on the Lost Words poem, Bramble.	1-4	Fractions
4-6	Adventure story. Exciting allotment escape!	5 - 6	Decimals and percentages
HALF TERM			
1-4	Explanation ~ The journey of food from farm to fork	1 - 2	Decimals
		3-4	Properties of shape
4-7	Non-chronological report ~ Allotment Life	5-6	Position and direction
		7	Converting units