

<p>Our Topic is: How does your garden grow?</p> <p>Our Christian value this term is: Perseverance</p>	
EYFS only Communication and Language (CL) Literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our Texts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Enormous Turnip ○ The Giant Turnip • Discussion of vocabulary from our texts and other words for enormous • Role play and retelling The enormous Turnip • Writing our own class story • Writing our own sentences and captions. • Writing list poems relating to our topic.
EYFS Personal Social Emotional Development (PSED) Year 1 Personal, social, health and economic education	Our jigsaw topic is: Relationships EYFS children will also revisit the PANTS rule (see NSPCC website)
EYFS - Physical Development (PD) Year 1 - Physical Education	Improving our pencil control to form letters correctly. Using tools to prepare salads – link to DT In PE we will focus on: EYFS Locomotion Dodging Year 1 and EYFS Locomotion running
EYFS only Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Counting to 20 and beyond ○ Know by heart number bonds to 5 and related subtraction facts ○ Know by heart some doubles and bonds to 10

<u>EYFS</u> Understanding the World (UW) <u>Year 1</u> Geography Science	EYFS Planting and growing vegetables and bedding plants. Painting and drawing plants observed. Reading and discussing “The Iron Horse – the story of Stephenson’s rocket” . Science /Year 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • observing closely, using simple equipment plants growing from seed • identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering bedding plants and trees including an apple tree • using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions eg Which parts of this plant can you see? History/Year 1 The children will explore the story of a significant event in the history of travel, and the impact they had on people’s lives, back then and in the future. They will focus on the Rainhill Trials of Stephenson’s Rocket, using sources from the time to provide context. The children will examine the legacy of the event, and discuss the impact on our world today.
<u>EYFS</u> Expressive Arts and Design (EAD) <u>Year 1</u> Design Technology Music	Investigate vegetables and some fruits. Plan and prepare a salad. EYFS Music and songs related to fabulous food Year 1 Machines Musical with a musical focus on beat
Religious Education	What can we learn from stories?



Extra Information

PE/Forest School

- PE is on a **Thursday and Friday** in Otters class.
- Forest school is on a Friday.
- All children need PE kit in school every day.
- **kit required** – school PE t-shirt, school shorts, trainers, As the weather cools, if so wished - **plain** black joggers or **plain black** sport leggings, school sweat shirt or hoodie, Girls will need socks - tights are not allowed to be worn under shorts,
- *Please can children have a change of clothing in book bags or PE bags in-case of accidents.*

Reading Books

Reading books will be changed on a Monday. Please hear your child read each night and complete the activities on the inside of the back/front cover of their reading books, **Please recording reading in Heytesbury reading record books so we know your child needs a new reading book.**

Sharing books – these are picture books from the class library, please read these to your child and talk about the story.

Homework Year 1 only

Spellings:

New spellings are given on a Monday,

Homework EYFS only

- Children should practise getting dressed/undressed independently.
- Children to put on their own coat, shoes and jumper (and take them off).
- Practise using cutlery – knife, fork and spoon when eating.

Otters Staff

EYFS

- Mrs Fulop teaches EYFS all day Mon, Tue, Wed and Thurs morning.
- Miss Graham teaches on Thur afternoon and Fri

Year 1

- Mr Foyle teaches Year 1 every morning.
- Mrs Fulop teaches Year 1 Mon, Tue, Wed afternoon
- Miss Graham teaches Year 1 Thur and Fri afternoon.
- In addition Miss Biggs teaches is our sports coach and Mrs Walton is our forest school leader
- Mrs Vincent, Mrs Greeway and Mrs Barnes-Taylor are our Teaching Assistants.