

# EYFS Curriculum Newsletter: Summer 1

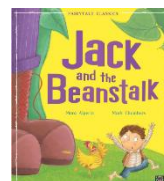
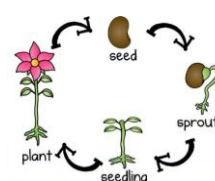
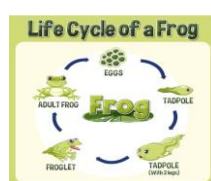
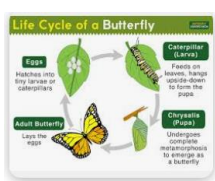
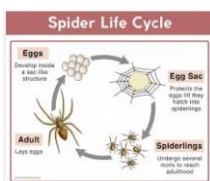
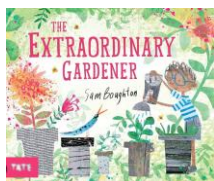


Dear Parents/Carers,  
Welcome back to lots of exciting activities and learning opportunities planned for Summer 1.

## Go Outside!

This half term's theme 'Gardens' will see us learning about plants and growing, insects and life cycles. We will also cater for the children's interests within our topic and steer the learning towards any particular lines of enquiry.

Our literacy story this half term is 'Jack and the Beanstalk' and 'The Extraordinary Gardener' by Sam Boughton. The love of reading is also celebrated within continuous provision; topic related text include: Aaarrghh Spider!, Change Starts with Us, Lola Plants a Garden, The Tiny Seed, The Enormous Turnip, It Starts with a Seed and Non-fiction garden/growing books.



## Make and Bake

Our fortnightly Make and Bake sessions will continue this half term with 'Fruit Salad' 'Mini-beast cupcakes' and 'Butterfly Sandwiches'.

To contribute toward our 'Make and Bake' sessions, we will be asking all parents for a donation of £2. Thank you for supporting us with your donations as we rely heavily on the donations of parents in order to buy ingredients.

## How can you help?

### Sickness

If your child is unwell please remember to let us know, by contacting the school office on: 01159153760

### Attendance/Punctuality

It is vital that your child is brought to school every day and on time to ensure maximum learning opportunity.

## Dates for your diary.

Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Twycross Zoo Class Trip
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Caterpillars arrive
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Topic celebration: Bring a plant to school day - children can come to school in non-uniform.
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Last day of Summer 1
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	First day of Summer 2