

As readers we will be...

- Learning and creating our own familiar stories, and investigating how these can be retold or performed
- Becoming more confident in applying digraphs in our words
- Accessing non-fiction books to find information

As authors we will be...

- Learning and creating our own story maps
- Creating fact files and posters about plants and animals

As geographers we will be...

- Looking at how different weather and environment will affect plants

As mathematicians we will be...

- Begin to count larger amounts and quantities
- explore ten frames and arrangements of quantities
- compare amounts and discuss the differences

As musicians we will be...

- Learning and performing simple and familiar songs
- Explore instruments and improvisation

As scientists we will be...

Investigating changes and growth in plants and animals

- Learning about life cycles
- Carrying out observations and keeping records
- Thinking about what plants, animals and people need to live and grow
- Considering what a 'healthy choice' is

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As artists we will be...

- Adapting and retelling stories
- Acting out stories and narratives
- Investigating colour mixing, texture and pattern

As athletes we will be...

- Continuing to develop and refine our ball skills
- Working as a team

As technology users we will be...

- Investigating other types of technology and how they work (incubator, brooder box, heater)

As theologians we will be...

- Investigating where we belong and different communities

As historians we will be...

- Thinking about our own timelines and how we have changed since we were born, and how we will continue to change in future
- Considering different amounts of time eg. Hour, day, week, month, year

As citizens we will be...

- Working together in pairs and small groups
- Taking turns to play and talk
- Learning how to make friends
- Thinking about problem solving
- Looking after each other

Key Word Definitions

Incubator	Object used to incubate eggs which holds in heat and humidity	Seed	A part of a plant capable of growing a new plant
Humidity	Amount of water vapor in the air inside the incubator	Nutrients	Something in food that helps people, animals and plants live and grow
Candle	Looking inside an egg to see the contents by using a bright light	Germinate	The start of growth of a seed
Hatch	The process of the chick getting itself out of the egg.	Compost	Used to improve garden soil and provide nutrients from decaying leaves, vegetable and manure
Brooder Box	A special box with a heater in that chicks will move to after the incubator	Flower	The part of the plant with petals that can make fruit or seeds.
Pip	The first little break a chick makes through the membrane and shell. The first step in hatching.	Petals	A different type of leaf that is usually different in colour and shape.
Zip	After the pip, the process of turning inside the egg while breaking through the shell repeatedly in order to be able to remove the top of the egg and hatch out of it.	Bud	A part of the plant that will grow in to a new leaf or flower
Temperature	The degree of heat present inside the incubator.	Leaf	The part of the plant that is usually flat and green
Incubation	Subjecting the eggs to ideal hatching conditions for the proper amount of time while controlling heat and humidity in order to hatch chicks.	Stem	The main part of the plant that grows from the ground and supports the branches and leaves
Chick Crumb	A special food that chicks will eat	Root	The part of the plant that is usually underground and takes nutrients and water from the ground. It also helps to anchor the plant in the ground.
Thermometer	Object that measures the degree of heat inside the incubator.	Photosynthesis	the process by which a green plant uses sunlight to change water and carbon dioxide into food for itself.
Rotate	The process of turning; eggs will rotate in the incubator	Oxygen	The part of the air that we breathe in that humans and animals need. Plants give this off.
Turner	Rack or device inside incubator on a timer that turns eggs for you.	Carbon Dioxide	The part of the air that we breathe out, that plants take in to help make their food.
Embryo	The developing chick while in the egg.	Pollen	A fine, yellow-y powder that plants make and is used to fertilize other plants' seeds.

