

# Y2 Ready, Steady, Grow!

Happy Children, Happy School, Learning Together, Growing Together



#### How you can help at home:

Plant a seed and monitor how it grows—what happens if you vary some of the growing conditions?

Find different seeds - these could be in food or in nature.

Use a ruler to measure (cm) how much a plant grows over time.

#### **End Points:**

Describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants and know that plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.

Observe closely, using simple equipment and perform simple tests. Use their observations, ideas and collected data to suggest answers to questions.

Mix colours confidently, naming primary and secondary colours. Create work that is linked to the artist Van Gogh.

### Prior Learning Future Learning

Children will be able to name the parts of a plant (leaves, flowers, petals roots, stem. Children will have understanding of colour, pattern, texture and shape, understanding of other artists.

Children will learn the functions of each part of the plant.

## **Key Vocabulary**

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	Word	Definition
	leaves	Make food for the plant using sunlight
	stem	Transports water around the plant
	roots	Absorb water and minerals from the soil
	petals	Attract insects and birds to the plant
3	conditions for growth	Factors which affect the growth and development of a plant
	nutrients	These are essential for plant growth and are often found in the soil
f	bulb	Underground masses of food storage from which plants grow
	seed	Part of a flowering plant, capable of developing into another such plant.
	Rounded Brush	A rounded brush was used to create the arcs and semi-circles that Van
	Impasto	A thick application of paint on canvas.



Effective Communicators

Creative thinkers & problem solvers

The ability to make connections and comparisons

Valuable members of a **community** 

Understanding **change**, capable of changing and accepting change