

**Prime Area: Communication & Language**

- Begin to use subject specific vocabulary related to our topic such as past, present, root, stem (Please see our Knowledge Organiser)
- Use vocabulary to describe how they have changed since they were a baby and how a seedling changes and grows.
- Use imaginative language as part of play and past, present and future forms when talking about events that have happened or will happen in the future.

**Literacy: Reading**

- Enjoy a range of stories
- Develop confidence when reading Level 3 sounds in words.
- To recognise some adjacent consonants in words.

**Literacy: Writing**

- To write sentences related to my baby photo.
- To write dictated sentences linked to Jasper's Beanstalk.
- Spell words with Level 3 sounds and Level 4 adjacent consonants.

**Prime Area: Personal Social and Emotional Development**

- To introduce the 5Rs: Reciprocal, Resourceful, Risk Taker, Resilience and Reflective and think of times we have demonstrated these.
- To begin to understand that being reciprocal means being equal and fair.
- Take account of one another's ideas in play.
- Show sensitivity to others' needs and feelings.

**Numeracy- Number**

- 20 and beyond.
- Sharing & grouping.
- Add & take away.
- How many now?

**Understanding the World**

- To know how I have changed.
- To know the importance of a balanced diet, exercise and personal hygiene.
- To know plants need soil, water & sun.

**Prime Area: Physical Development**

- To learn how to create different gymnastic shapes.
- To practise jumping and rolling safely.
- Talk about ways we can stay healthy and safe e.g. physical exercise and healthy diet.

**Computing:**

- Begin to learn how to use technology responsibly.
- Continue to meet our Digital Citizen's
- To programme a beebot to make it move in different directions.

**Expressive Arts and Design**

- Music: Tempo- learning about fast and slow.
- Art: Drawing a sunflower using crayons and a colour wash to create an effect (wax resist).

**Dates/Reminders**

- Please send in a photograph of your child of when they were a baby.

**Key Texts:**

Oliver's Vegetables/Jaspers Beanstalk/  
My History  
Author of the half term:  
Oliver Jeffers.  
Poetry focus: Poems About Me

