

# Enfield Heights Academy Learning Web – Reception Spring 2

## Growing

**Force for positive change:** Fundraising – Planting vegetable off cuts – can you re-sprout the vegetable? Helping to reduce waste.  
Fundraising for Garden tools/flowers – selling cress pots/flower pots etc.

### Key dates:

6/03/25 – World Book Day 17/03/25 – Chicks from EggSploing  
25/03/25 – Red Nose Day 27/03/25 – Parent Consultations  
31/03/25 – RAF Museum

### Communication and Language:

During this half term, we will hold circle time discussions focused on treating people fairly, exploring individuals from the past, and ways we can help others. The children will be given the opportunity to share their thoughts and experiences, fostering a supportive environment for learning and growth.



We will continue to support our emotional awareness, and feelings using the Zones of Regulation.



### Personal, Social Emotional Development:

Self-Regulation - Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate

Managing Self - Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.

Building Relationships – Begin to show sensitivity to their own and to others' needs.

Showing resilience is important; for example, I can keep trying to build a tower with blocks, even when it falls down, because I know I can do it if I try again.

### Physical Development:

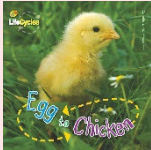
This half term, the children will focus on developing their physical skills through a variety of activities. They will explore different ways of moving, including balancing, crawling, running, and hopping. Through outdoor play and structured games, children will build strength, coordination, and agility, while also improving their fine motor skills with activities like drawing, threading, and using tools.



### Literacy

This half term in Literacy the children will be looking at fiction and non fiction books.

The story of 'Jack and the Beanstalk' will be one of our focus books for the term. We will be thinking about the main events in the story and, in particular, what the characters are thinking and saying. The children will rehearse the story in 5 parts 'once upon a time, one day, unfortunately, luckily and eventually'.



### Maths

In maths this half term, the children will focus on developing their number recognition, counting, and simple calculations. We will practice counting objects, comparing quantities, and recognising numbers in different contexts. The children will explore shape, space, and measure through hands-on activities, such as sorting objects by size and shape, and using tools like rulers and scales. These activities will help build their confidence and understanding of basic mathematical concepts.



### Expressive Art and Design

In art, the children will explore mixing primary colours to create beautiful flower designs. They will also experiment with collage techniques to create colourful flower scenes, using a variety of materials to bring their creations to life.



**Music** – This half term the children will explore listening to familiar nursery rhymes. To listen with intent, to sing clearly and to perform songs with actions.

### Understanding the World : Growing

This half term, our topic will be "Growing." The children will explore how plants grow, observing seeds sprout and develop into plants. They will also learn about the life cycle of chicks, watching them hatch and grow. Through hands-on activities, the children will gain an understanding of how living things change and develop over time, fostering their curiosity about the natural world.



### Spanish

The children will be learning and exploring the Spanish Language each week. They will continue to learn – to say their colours and count up to 10 in Spanish). As well as sing songs.



