

# Curraghs Class - Home Learning - 15th March 2021

## 'Growing things'

Hello Curraghs Class!

Here are some challenges for your home learning this week based on our new topic 'Growing things'.

Don't forget to send me a picture of your learning. I would love to see what you have been up to at home.

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## Measuring - How big are you?

- \* Lie on a big piece of paper (old rolls of wallpaper are handy for this) and ask your mum or dad to draw around your whole body.
  - Label the parts of your body.
  - Use colours or paints to add your clothes to the picture.
  - Use counters/pebbles/blocks/Lego/measuring tape etc to measure how tall you are, and how long your arms and legs are.

## Literacy Skills and Challenges

- \* Daily reading practise. Read a few pages of your book to your grown ups.
- \* How does the main character in your book feel? How do you know this? Explain your ideas to your mum or dad.
- \* Listening Skills - [Click here](#) and choose a programme to practise your listening skills.
- \* Listen to one of these audio stories. [Click here](#) to choose a story.

## Growing things

- \* Help your mums and dads in the garden. Plant some seeds or bulbs. Talk about what you're doing and ask questions.
- \* Cut up some fruits and dig out their seeds. What do they look like? Investigate.
- \* Watch Mrs Griffin's 'growing things' videos on the school website this week.
- \* Role play - Create your own garden centre. What will you sell in it? Make price tags for each item and practise using money to sell things to your family.

## Drama

- \* Join in with this drama about Jack & the Beanstalk. [Click here.](#)

## Art & Crafts

- \* Go for a walk and look out for daffodils. Have a good look at them and take some photos. Try drawing and painting some daffodil pictures. Make sure you include some detail.
- \* Garden colours. How many different colours can you see in your garden? Write a list of colours and tick them off if you see them.
- \* Create your own collage of a plant, including its leaves, stem, roots and flower. What materials do you have at home to make your collage?

## Maths

- Number time with BBC Schools Radio. Listen to these programmes and practise your numbers. [Click here.](#)
- Watch and learn with Mrs Phillips' maths videos on the school website each day. [Click here](#) to choose a video.

## Jack & the Beanstalk

- \* Retell the story of Jack and the Beanstalk using pictures. (a picture map)
- \* Create your very own beanstalk. What materials will you use from around your house? Build a castle for the giant to live in. Don't forget to include his furniture.

