



We are Biologists!

In our **English** work we have continued reading the classic story “The Secret Garden” by Frances Hodgson Burnett. We have explored how the behaviour of the main character has changed – finding evidence in the text and focused on writing extended sentences.

In **Mathematics** we have been adding and subtracting two-digit numbers using number lines and other strategies. We have begun exploring measures – temperature and length, through our science activities.

Our **Science** work has focused on investigating plants, trees and leaves. We have observed and identified trees, taken measurements and collected leaf samples to measure and record.

In **Geography** we have been finding out more about the UK and focused on our own country, England.

Homework this week:

Reading – Please spend 10 minutes every day reading or sharing a book with your child.

English – St George comprehension

Spellings – ‘a’ before ‘l’ or ‘ll’ words

Tables – X2/X5/X10

Mathematics – Subtraction problems (TU)

Extra Mile Challenge – Secret Garden Homework grid. Choose one activity. Extra team points for each task completed.

Talk time – What is your favourite tree, plant or flower? Why not explore the garden or park and see how many plants you can find and name?



Things to Note...

- **Year 2 Open Door** Mondays 3.20-3.40pm
There will be no open door this coming Monday 30th April due to meetings.
Please contact the office for an appointment if you have any queries or concerns this week. Thank you.



Next Week we are Designers!

Our **English** work will continue focusing on the Secret Garden. We will be finding evidence in the text to support ideas and continue to develop our use of past and present tense in our writing, writing letters and diary entries.

In **Mathematics** we will be focus on measurement using volume and capacity and temperature. We will also continue practising our addition and subtraction of two digit numbers using a range of strategies.

In **RE** we will continue looking at stories from the Old Testament.

Our **Science** work we will be investigating trees further and leaf patterns.

In **Geography** we will be using maps to answer questions and simple maps to compare two different locations.



Congratulations!



KS1 Football Tournament - Congratulations to our Year 2 and Year 1 children who took part in the tournament yesterday.

2nd Place Trophy & Medals! We are extremely proud of you all. Well done!

A big “thumbs up” to **all** our class members who have demonstrated consistent **Outstanding Behaviour** this week!
Lucas, Harvey, Lola, Kara, Jessica, Jack C, Faye, Isaac P, Katie, Mia, Isaac J, Ruby & Lucy.



Star Writer of the Week – Katie
Curriculum Star of the Week – Lucas
Christian Value of Courage - Faye

Thank you for your support, Mrs Ramsay.

