

## English

- Visit to the Bluebell Woods in the Chantryes to inspire our creative writing.
  - Sharing and understanding bluebell poems followed by writing our own bluebell poems.
- Creative writing linked to our growing topic
  - Invent your dream plant
  - Write instructions for how to grow your plant
  - Write a description to go onto your seed packet.
- Greta and the Giants by Zoe Tucker
  - Structured note-taking from a variety of sources
- Caring for our World fact file (non-chronological report related to Reduce, Re-use, Recycle)
- There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom by Louis Sachar
  - Diary entry written by the new boy to the school
  - Conversation between a main character and his friends using correct format for direct speech
  - Letter from one main character to another – persuasive writing
- Bentley Copse Creative Writing
  - Create a simple story based in a woodland camp following our residential camping trip.

## Just Keep Growing! Year 4 Summer Term



## Science

- Germination
- Parts of a flower
- Plant plumbing – transpiration and the xylem
- Photosynthesis
- Pollination and fertilisation of plants
- Dispersal of seeds
- Human bodies and puberty
- Minibeasts - classification

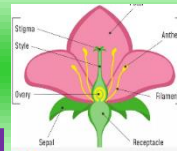
## Trips

- Bentley Copse residential
- Dapdune Wharf
- Visits to the 'Bluebell Woods' in the Chantryes



## Narrative

Exploring the flora and fauna in the natural world and understanding our responsibility to create a sustainable environment.



## Design and Technology

Investigate, plan, design, make and evaluate a pneumatic minibeast-inspired moving toy

## Maths

- Measure the growth of a plant
- Data collection, recording and analysis
- Measuring area and plotting frequency of plant growth on bar charts and graphs
- Fractions, decimals, time

## Geography

- Local area study of the Downs, the Chantryes and the River Wey
- Map work – continents, oceans and major rivers
- The Water Cycle
- The course of a river – paper-mache model making
- Compare local rivers (and share with Spanish school)

## PSHE

- Exploring the zones of regulation – our feelings, how we deal with them and how we communicate them.

## Art

- Seed packet designs
- Bluebell watercolours
- Andy Goldsworthy and Alice Ballard inspired art
- Earth Art ( link to RE)

## R.E.

- Caring for God's World
- The changes to our world through the Christian faith

## Computing

- Discovery Coding
- Data handling of growth of plants

## Music

- Listen to the Plastic Song
- Compose verses for a whole class song