



The Bellbird Primary School

'Soaring to Success'

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Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to welcome you all back after the Easter holidays.

This term our topic is growing. We will be planting a variety of different seeds and watching them grow. We will grow sunflowers and link this with measuring height. We intend to use our allotment/outside regularly. We will focus on the growth and change that we observe in the plants around us but will also be looking at mini-beasts and other animals.

Literacy

Our literacy this term will be largely focused on stories and instructions. We will learn 'Jack and the Beanstalk' and 'The Enormous Turnip' off by heart before writing our own versions. We will also be writing instructions for how to plant a seed.

This term in phonics we will be consolidating our knowledge of phase three before moving onto reading and spelling longer words.

Mathematics

In Mathematics this term we will be extending our understanding of the number system and the children will continue to formally record their work. We will also focus on measures e.g. length, weight and capacity.

Please do contact us if there is anything you need to discuss. We look forward to an enjoyable and successful term in Foundation Stage.

Best wishes,

Mrs F Waddingham and Miss S Jarvis.