	Ready, Steady, Grow!	Year 2	
Spring Term 2.2 2023		Key Texts	
Value of the Term: Forgiveness		The children will be reading	
Key Questions	St Barnabas CofE Primary School	The PERFECT WANTED: PRESENT The Perfect Pet	
What do plants need to grow and be healthy? What is the same and different about us?	READY STEADY GROW		
Reading	Writing	Maths	
 The children will Further develop accurate and speedy word recognition by reading longer (polysyllabic) words applying Read, Write, Inc set 2 & 3 sounds. Read on sight a good range of Read, Write, Inc 'red words,' for example said, because, what. Develop comprehension skills by answering questions about familiar texts. Research and read non-chronological reports. 	 The children will Create a character description Write a set of instructions Compose a letter to an author Write a short narrative Write a non-chronological report Demarcate sentences with capital letters, full stops and question marks Use past and present tense correctly Use co-ordination (and, but) and some subordination (when, if, because) to join clauses 	The children will learn: Multiplication & Division, Measures- length, weight, capacity, temperature + Problem Solving & Reasoning challenges• Doubling and halving• Recognise odd and even numbers• Multiplying and dividing by 2, 5 and 10• Measure in centimetres and metres• Compare and order lengths and heights• Solving problems about length• Measure capacity in millilitres and lites• Read scales• Read temperatures in °C	

PSHE	Thrive	Music
What is the same and different about us?The children will reflect on what they are good at, set simple goals and talk about how they change as they grow up.The children will name different body parts correctly.The children will discuss belonging to different groups.	The children will have opportunities to grow and look after different plants.	 The children will Learn a reggae song by Joanna Mangona. Play warm-up (pulse, rhythm and pitch) games. Use their imaginations to choreograph movement to the rap/song. Learn songs linked to the Easter Service
Spelling	History	Art + Design and Technology
The children will learn the following spelling rules The 'r' sounds spelt 'wr' Adding the suffix –er and est (3 rules) Homophones The 'ee' sound spelt 'ey'	The children will explore changes in childhood 'now' and 'then'. They will explore and discuss how school has changed over time and describe 'childhood crazes' from the past.	The children will Make observational drawings of plants, seeds and flowers Create flower prints using a press print technique Look at the artist Georgia O'Keefe The children will Prepare a stir fry dish using fresh vegetables.
Science	Computing	PE and Games
Growing Plants The children will • Understand that seeds grow into different plants and describe them. • Understand that plants can be grown from bulbs.	The children will explore how to: Control a device, on and off screen, making predictions about the effect their programming will have (Beebot). Use Espresso Coding 2.0: Focussing on different sorts of inputs.	Indoor PE – Learning and developing core gymnastics skills specific to Year 2 Outdoor Games – Cricket skills (WCC coach)
• Find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and	Religious Education	British Values
 stay healthy. Plan, carry out and evaluate an investigation into the conditions that affect germination. Observe and describe how a plant changes as it matures. 	Why does Easter matter to Christians? The children will tell stories of Holy Week and Easter from the Bible and discuss how Christians show their beliefs about Jesus' death and resurrection at Easter.	Democracy Linked to our work in PSHE about what is the same and different about ourselves. We will talk about equality and equity.