



Year 2 Summer Term - Plants

Knowledge

- What are the differences between plants and trees?
- What does a plant need to grow?
- What happens to a bulb after it is planted?
- Do plants grow healthier in the light or dark?

Skills

- To use observation to name the differences between plants and trees.
- To set up a comparative test to show that plants need light to grow.
- To observe a bulb over time.
- To record observations using simple diagrams.

Enquiry approaches: observing over time, comparative testing

Vocabulary: observe, grow, hypothesis, temperature, germinate, warmth, sunlight, energy

Key scientist/inventor: Agnes Arber