

# Seahorses - Curriculum Newsletter – Summer 2017

## Topic: The Secret Garden

This term we will be focussing on life processes and living things, and learning more about animals and plants.

**English:** *The children will be reading a number of different texts related to our topic, and then writing stories, information texts, book reviews, letters, emails and diary entries based on these. Texts: Eddie's Garden by Sarah Garland, The Tiny Seed by Eric Carle, Oliver's Vegetables by Vivian French, and The Global Garden by Kate Perry and Jennie Maizels.*

**Maths:** Number and Place Value; Mental Addition and Subtraction; Problem Solving, reasoning and algebra; Measurements; Statistics; Mental multiplication and division; Fractions, ratio and proportion.

**RE:** What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?

**PE:** Tennis and Swimming

**Music:** Singing and performing songs from different genres (e.g. R&B, Motown, Musicals).

**Science:** *The life cycle of flowering plants, and the basic needs of animals (including humans) for survival.*

**ICT:** Film making

**Homework:** *Homework will continue to be set every Tuesday to be returned on the following Monday. Also, please read with your child as frequently as you are able, and practise relevant times tables. Many thanks.*

**P.E.:** We will have one PE lesson on a Tuesday (Tennis skills), and we will be swimming every Friday afternoon, Please ensure that your child has a PE kit in school through the week, and a swimming kit on a Friday.

Best wishes  
Mr Adam Sear

