

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a busy year in the Edible Playground! We have been planting a lot of crops although the hot, dry weather has meant that some of them have not germinated. There has been a lot of watering during playtimes and at Gardening Club!

The children love looking at what is growing in the playgrounds, and we often visit the courtyard for Science lessons too. What have you spotted growing in the playground?

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Edible Playground Co-ordinator



Gardening Club



Gardening Club has been taking place since September for Year 4 children. We plant new crops, remove the weeds, take care of the composting, harvest and taste the food!



Science Lessons



In Science, a topic that is widely covered across the school is 'Plants'. Year 5 have planted potatoes in class which were then transferred to the Edible Playground. Year 2 have also grown broad beans and sunflowers.



School Courtyard



Hard at work! Children spent a lot of time weeding and planting new seedlings.

We have recently renovated the school courtyard. The Eco Council worked hard on this alongside children from across the school to plant lots of new herbs and other flowers. We will hopefully use these to add amazing flavours to our cooking!



We had a visit from our local MP Iain Duncan Smith to look at the progress and give a helping hand.

