

Facts

Key Facts

- All living things go through stages during its life. This is called a lifecycle.
- We are born as babies, grow into children, then teenagers, then adults. Later in life we become elderly. We continually and gradually change from day to day throughout all of these stages.



- Other living things have their own lifecycle. Plants begin as a seed. A shoot sprouts and grows into a plant. Flowers and sometimes fruit and vegetables grow as well. These things have seeds inside which fall to the ground and grow into new plants.



- Plants need sunlight and water to grow.
- Plants grow roots down into the ground to find water and their leaves face the sun to receive light.
- In Spring, lots of things in nature start their life and begin to grow including buds on trees, tadpoles, chicks, lambs and more.
- Christians celebrate Easter in Spring, the story of Jesus coming back to life and going to be with God in Heaven.
- Easter is often celebrated by giving chocolate eggs as this represents new life.



- Spring time is an inspiring time for artists.

Vocabulary

Stories & Rhymes**In the Garden – Funky Finger Workout**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1eXjExCHTLA>

When I Grow Up

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5rdlXji2iR0>

The Famer Plants the Seeds

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cRhGQdQWllo>

Baby	A very young child.
Teenager	Person aged between 13 and 19.
Adult	A person who is fully grown.
Elderly	An older person, 65 years old or more.
Seed	Grows into a shoot when planted.
Shoot	The start of a plant's stem and leaves.
Stem	The main stalk of a plant that develops buds and shoots. Usually grows above ground.
Roots	Grows down from the plant, gets water from the ground and holds the plant in place.
Leaves	Usually green and attached to the plant's stem, they take in sunlight for the plant to grow.
Easter	Christian festival celebrating new life.

Home Learning conversations**Key Questions? (Talk to an adult in your family)**

- Who is a baby/teenager/adult/elderly in the family?
- Can you discover the names of plants that are in the garden/the park?

Optional suggestions for activities-

- Plant some seeds! Keep your eye on them over time and see how they change.
- In your garden or park, measure some tall and short plants. Which are taller/shorter than you?
- Draw or paint a picture of some beautiful plants or flowers.