

Nursery-

The Natural World Learning Journey

what
why
when
how

plant
shoot
root
grow
petal
leaf

garden
forest
wood
pond
river

- Plant seeds and care for growing plants.
- Understand the key features of the life cycle of a plant and animal.
- Respect and care for the natural environment and all living things.

animal names
insect
cocoon butterfly
caterpillar
life cycle



tree
trunk
fruit
bulb



float
sink

shadow

strong
weak

Earth
planet
moon
space
stars
sun

- Explore how things work.
- Explore and talk about different forces.

Light
dark

same
similar
different

magnet
magnetic

observe
describe
test
investigate

freeze
melt
change



group
object
sort

metal
plastic
wood
paper

smooth
shiny
waterproof
stretchy

- Use their senses to explore collections of materials with similar and /or different properties.
- Talk about what they can see.
- Talk about the differences between materials and changes they notice.

hard
soft
rough

Spring
Summer
Autumn
Winter



glass
clay
rock
fabric
sand