



# Education Session: Plant Life

## Summary

Explore plants and their habitats on a walk around the gardens.

**Venue:** Walled Garden & Walled Garden Classroom

## Learning Objectives

Learn about the plants and trees at Norton Priory and use practical skills to make a plant pot and plant a seed

## Themes explored

- Habitats
- Plant growth – the role of leaves, stems and flowers, and light, nutrients and water
- Roots and their role
- Propagation
- Variation
- Interdependence between plants and animals

## Methods

- Through exploring the woodland and gardens
- Through listening and asking questions
- Through hands on activities

## Curriculum Links

### Science KS 1&2

Scientific Enquiry Sc1, Unit 1 & 2, Life processes and living things  
SC2 Unit 1 Life Processes, Unit 4 Variation and Classification and Unit 5  
Living things in their environment

### QCA Units

**Unit 1B.** Growing plants

**Unit 2B.** Plants and animals in the local environment

**Unit 2C.** Variation

**Unit 3B.** Helping plants grow well

**Unit 4B.** Habitats

**Unit 6A.** Interdependence and adaptation

**Geography KS 1&2 Unit 6:** Investigating our local area

**Art & Design Unit 9gen:** Visiting a museum, gallery or site

## Supports Every Child Matters Outcomes

**Be Healthy:** Healthy Lifestyles

**Enjoy and achieve:** Achieve personal and social development and enjoy recreation

**Enjoy and achieve:** Achieve stretching national educational standards at primary school

**Make a Positive Contribution:** Engage in decision making and support the community and environment