

2025-26

Horticulture

Autumn Term 1

	WB: 1.9.25	WB. 8.9.25	WB. 15.9.25	WB. 22.9.25	WB. 29.9.25	WB. 6.10.25	WB. 13.10.25
Year 10	Garden Introduction & Rules Tour Garden area Discuss safety, expectations, and care	Unit 101 Preparing soil for planting City and Guilds	Unit 101 Preparing soil for planting City and Guilds	Unit 101 Preparing soil for planting City and Guilds	Unit 101 Preparing soil for planting City and Guilds	Unit 101 Preparing soil for planting City and Guilds	Unit 101 Preparing soil for planting City and Guilds
Year 11	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds	Unit 108 Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding City and Guilds
Lower Primary	Inset day	Inset day	Blackberry picking	Garden Introduction & Rules Tour Garden area Discuss safety, expectations, and care	Scarecrow why we have them and design one.	To make a Scarecrow	Learn what we can and can't compost
Upper Primary	Black Berry picking – understanding when we can harvest and how to harvest.	Garden Introduction & Rules Tour Garden area Discuss safety, expectations, and care	Bulb Planting Plant spring-flowering bulbs (e.g., daffodils, tulips)	Composting 101 What is compost? Start a class compost bin	Scarecrow completion	Scarecrow completion	Pumpkin Harvesting – to understand the uses of Pumpkins
<i>C&L Hollins</i>	Harvest black berries LOTC	Garden Introduction & Rules Tour Garden area Discuss safety, expectations, and care	Learn how to plant spring bulb sets	Make your own compost	Scarecrow why we have them and draw a design	Make a Scarecrow	LOTC Pumpkin picking
Mr Beckett	Black Berry picking – understanding when we can harvest and how to harvest.	Garden Introduction & Rules Tour Garden area Discuss safety, expectations, and care	Introduce spring flowers- Plant spring bulbs	Understand what we can and can't compost	Why do we use scarecrows – build scarecrow	Allotment Jobs	Pumpkin craving

Autumn Term 2

	WB. 3.11.25	WB. 10.11.25	WB. 17.11.25	WB. 24.11.25	WB. 1.12.25	WB. 8.12.25	WB. 15.12.25
Year 10	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch	Unit 103 Prepare soil and apply organic mulch
Year 11	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative	Unit 129 Maintain wooden structures with water- based preservative
Lower Primary	Why we feed birds in winter – bird feeders	Design a box garden- planning a garden lay out	Understand why plants need pots	All about mini beasts and their habitats	Why we have garden labels and making your own	Christmas decorations	Christmas decorations
Upper Primary	Understanding garlic	Planting garlic	Understanding what birds need in winter	Making bird feeders	Christmas craft fair preparation	Christmas craft fair preparation	Christmas craft fair preparation
C&L Hollins	Why we feed birds in winter – bird feeders	Design a box garden- planning a garden lay out	Understand why plants need pots	All about mini beasts and their habitats	Why we have garden labels and making your own	Understanding what garlic needs to grow	Finished no lesson
Mr Becketts	Why we mulch	Planting Garlic	Why we plant in pots	Looking after birds in winter	Pinecone Christmas dec	Mini evergreen wreath	Christmas decorations

Summer Term 1

	WB. 20.4.26	WB. 27.4.26	WB. 4.5.26	WB. 11.5.26	WB. 18.5.26
Year 10	Unit 122 sow seeds outdoors in drills	Unit 122 sow seeds outdoors in drills	Unit 122 sow seeds outdoors in drills	Unit 122 sow seeds outdoors in drills	Unit 122 sow seeds outdoors in drills
Year 11	Unit 126 Pot up rooted cuttings, large seedlings or plugs by hand	Unit 126 Pot up rooted cuttings, large seedlings or plugs by hand	Unit 126 Pot up rooted cuttings, large seedlings or plugs by hand	Unit 126 Pot up rooted cuttings, large seedlings or plugs by hand	Unit 126 Pot up rooted cuttings, large seedlings or plugs by hand
Lower Primary	All about trees	All mighty oak	Garden skills challenge	LOTG Finding Spring	Summer Fruit
Upper Primary	Plant Supports & Structures Build cane teepees, stake plants	Pumpkins and Squash – Plant for autumn harvest	Natural Pest Control Identify common pests and friendly insects Make garlic or soap spray	Edible Flowers & Herbs Learn about and taste safe plants	Harvesting & Using Produce Harvest early crops Prepare food using safe practices (e.g., simple salad)
C&L Hollins	All about trees	All mighty oak	Garden skills challenge	LOTG Finding Spring	Summer Fruit
Murphy	All about planting seeds outdoors in drills group project	All about planting seeds outdoors in drills group project	All about planting seeds outdoors in drills group project	All about planting seeds outdoors in drills group project	All about planting seeds outdoors in drills group project

Summer Term 2

	WB. 1.6.26	WB. 8.6.26	WB. 15.6.26	WB. 22.6.26	WB. 29.6.26	WB. 6.7.26	WB. 13.7.26	WB. 20.7.26
Year 10	Unit 104 water a bed, boarder or area of planted containers. Allotment tasks.	Unit 104 water a bed, boarder or area of planted containers. Allotment tasks	Unit 104 water a bed, boarder or area of planted containers. Allotment tasks	Unit 104 water a bed, boarder or area of planted containers. Allotment tasks	Unit 104 water a bed, boarder or area of planted containers. Allotment tasks	Unit 104 water a bed, boarder or area of planted containers along with allotment tasks	Transition week	Activity week
Year 11	Unit 150 Identify trees and shrubs	Unit 150 Identify trees and shrubs	Unit 150 Identify trees and shrubs	Unit 150 Identify trees and shrubs	Students leave	Students leave	Transition week	Activity week
Lower Primary	Direct sowing – planting root veg and hardy seeds	Summer gardening jobs – what needs doing now	Pollinators and flowers – why bees matter	Garden experiments – what helps plants grow best	Tool mastery and garden respect	Upcycled planters	Transition week	Activity week
Upper Primary	Seed Saving Collect seeds from plants for next year	Pollinators Learn about bees/butterflies Plant bee-friendly flowers	Watering Routines Learn when/how to water effectively	Runner Beans and French Beans – Great for trellises and rapid growth	Marigolds and Nasturtiums – Edible flowers that also deter pests	Sweetcorn – Fun to grow and good for companion planting	Transition week	Activity week
C&L Hollins	Direct sowing – planting root veg and hardy seeds	Summer gardening jobs – what needs doing now	Pollinators and flowers – why bees matter	Garden experiments – what helps plants grow best	Tool mastery and garden respect	Upcycled planters	Transition week	Activity week
Murphy	Allotment maintenance tasks	Allotment maintenance tasks	Allotment maintenance tasks	Allotment maintenance tasks	Allotment maintenance tasks	Allotment maintenance tasks	Transition week	Activity week