Year 2 Topic - Plants

Here is a suggestion of some activities linked to what your child has been learning at school. We hope you have fun completing them together.

Draw/Design a new greenhouse for your plants to go in.	Write a letter to Barry telling him about the conditions plants need to grow and how you have planted your bulbs in your Edible Garden. Share your work you have done in Science with him.	Go for a walk in the woods—describe, using your senses, all the different plants/flowers you see.
Set up a 'Garden Centre'. Draw some different plants/flowers/trees and price each one. E.g. 20p, 50, £1, 10p etc. Buy two and see how much they cost? How much change would you get from?	If you have internet access, choose a plant to write about. Can you name any plants that live in other countries? E.g. A cactus lives in South America and an Acacia Tree can be found in Africa. Record.	Find some different flowers. Use your observational/sketching skills to draw them. Can you show some in black and white and some in colour?
Design and draw a garden where you can go and visit/play in.	Design and make a poster advertising the conditions plants need to grow. What could you do to make it eye catching?	Read your favourite book to an adult/friend/buddy. Write about WHY it is your favourite book. Would you recommend it to a friend?
Go on www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpxnyrd and explore plants even further. Write about the plant lifecycle.	Draw a plant and label each part. Be creative and see what different materials you can use to do this.	Design your own plant pot. What would you include on it?