

Spring 2 Sunflowers – Life Cycles

Week	Focus	Key text	Rhymes/songs	Word of the week	Experiences
1	Farms	 <p>A lift-the-flap book Who's on the Farm? What do Ladybirds Hear? Based on the picture books by JULIA DONALDSON · LYDIA MONKS</p>	Cows in the Kitchen	Calf Piglet	Small World farm Potato printing - cow print Brown gloop
2	Farms	 <p>Cock-a-doodle-oo! Farmyard Hullabaloo Giles Andreae & David Wojtowicz</p>	Horsie Horsie	Foal Lamb	Small world farm Cotton wool lamb Celery printing - horse shoe

3	Planting		Mary Mary Quite Contrary	Grow	<p>Plant cress</p> <p>plant pots and pipe cleaner threading</p> <p>soil tray outside - plant pots / trowels</p>
4	Spring		Little peter rabbit	Colour	<p>Looking at the colours of Spring</p> <p>Spring walk in school</p> <p>Spring Crown</p> <p>Colouring matching cards</p>
5	Life cycle of a chick		I'm a spring chicken	Hatch	<p>Chick craft - yellow feathers & split pin egg</p> <p>Laminate cycle stages to order</p> <p>Yellow play dough</p>

6	Easter		Sleeping Bunnies	Hop	Chocolate Easter nests Painting Easter egg pictures Hot cross buns for snack Finger print Easter card
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