How we grow

Year 2 Science Autumn 1

What is this topic?

This topic is all about how we grow as human beings, where we start and where we end up. We will consider living things and non-living things as well as what it means to be alive. Linked to this we will look at what we need to stay alive and the characteristics of a Human. We will also look at how we are the same and different to other living things.



Key Vocabulary	
Living	Something that is alive.
Non-living	Something that is not alive.
Mammal	Warm blooded animal that has hair or fur
Homo sapiens	A species to which mondern Human beings belong.

Key Knowledge

- Animals including humans have offspring.
- Humans begin as a baby and go through different stages of growth.
- Animals and Humans need food, air and water to survive.
- Human beings are also called Homo sapiens.
- There are seven stages of human growth.

What will I learn?

- How many stages of human growth there are and in what order these are adopted.
- What happens at each stage of human growth.
- How Animals and Humans are similar.
- What Humans and Animals need to survive.
- How to separate living and non-living things from one another.