



# Topic Homework:

**To be completed by 13th October 2017**

This homework will take a few weeks to do. It is a bit different as it involves you growing something!

The children are going to grow some broad beans and chart their growth.

They will plant their beans in school and then they will take them home. The task is to keep a diary of its growth - either weekly photographs or drawings with written observations.

When the broad bean has grown enough, it can be planted in soil. [http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/basics/techniques/growfruitandveg\\_growingbroadbeans1.shtml](http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/basics/techniques/growfruitandveg_growingbroadbeans1.shtml)

When you record the growth think about ways of doing it that make it scientific. Perhaps you could use a table or a graph? Maybe you could take a photograph at the same time every day? Think about what you could record. If you need to water your plant make a note of it. If you replot it in soil-record that. **This does not mean that you need to do lots of writing.**



Other helpful sites:

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/education-learning/gardening-children-schools/family-activities/grow-it/grow/broad-beans>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vm8cCl68UY&safe=active>

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to see one of the LKS2 teachers.