

# The great green plant adventure

Plantlife is crucial to human survival and life on planet Earth. It provides us with the food we eat, the clothes on our body, our shelter and the oxygen we breathe. Simply put, animal life wouldn't exist without plants.

The great green plant adventure explores plants as living things. We investigate how they harness energy from the sun to grow, their importance in food chains, relationships between plants and



animals and investigate the great diversity of plant life on the planet and Hampstead Heath itself.

The Heath has an amazing diversity of plant life, 200 year old trees, delicate wildflowers, plants to eat, heal and smell. This session is a great way for Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 students to explore the life sciences in the outdoors and to bring plant education to life. Tree games, plant treasure hunts and wildlife walks give learners the opportunity to engage in their local plant world as never before.

Plant education is a major part of the Key Stage 1 and 2 Science Curriculum. The themes in this session can also link easily to other subjects like art and design, literacy and food technology. We can also adapt the session for secondary schools.

Our safe systems of work ensure that all groups feel safe and sound. Our teaching methods engage with all learners.