Newsletter Spring 2- Nursery

Dear Parents and Children,

It has been lovely to see the children return to Nursery this week and see their confidence and independence develop and grow as they are coming into Nursery each day!

Our topic for Spring 2 is:

Growing

The books we will be using are:

- Titch, By Pat Hutchins
- I will not ever never eat a tomato, By Lauren Child
- Jaspers Beanstalk, by Nick Butterworth & Mick Inkpen
- Olivers Vegetables, by Vivian French

Author of the Term:

Our Author for this term is *Julia Donaldson.* We will be sharing stories by this author in Nursery and finding out more about her.

The areas we will be covering are:

- Planting seeds and observing them grow.
- Making observations about the natural world and asking questions about how things grow?
- Taking care of plants and the environment.
- Making patterns and learning about shapes.
- Developing language with our word of the week and mathematical terms.
- Learning about Easter and continuing their spiritual development.

To help us with this topic we would like you to:

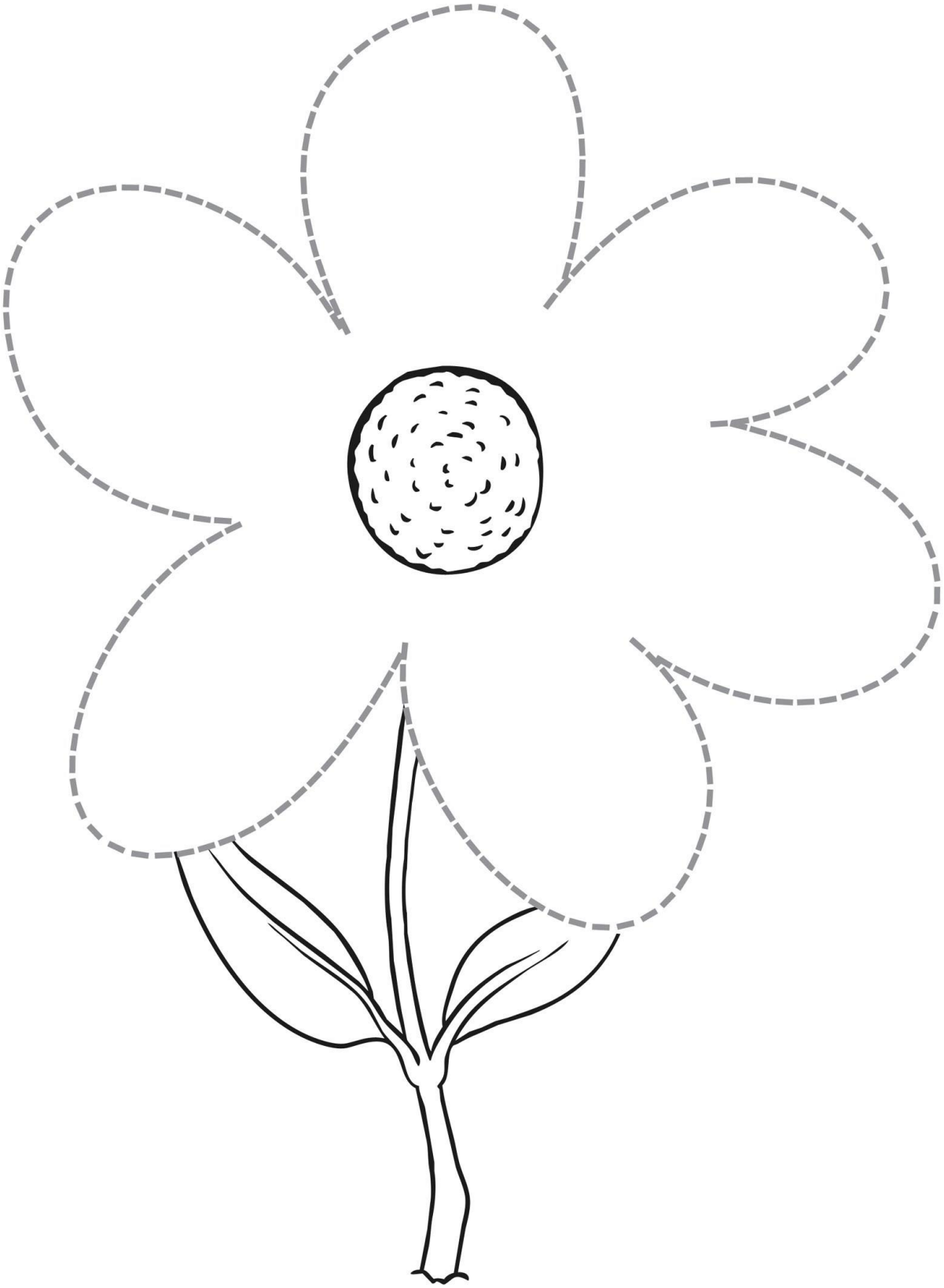
- Talk to your child about the environment and encourage them to take care of it.
- If you have a garden, allotment or any indoor or outdoor plants, encourage your child to be involved in caring for them- You could send in Pictures to share!
- Practice writing your name and numbers.
- Talk to your child and name different everyday shapes you see!

Family Learning Project

We will be sending home a Sunflower later in the term for the children to care for at home. Please support them to look after it and replant it in a larger pot or in the garden as it grows! We would love you to send pictures to us at EYFS@st-peter.bardaglea.org.uk

Signed: *Mrs Sapiano, Mrs Bergman & Miss Abram*

The Nursery Team

If you need to contact the Nursery Team, please speak to one of us as you drop off or collect your child or use this school EYFS email address: eyfs@st-peter.bardaglea.org.uk

Plant Life Cycle - Pencil Control