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Hi Class 5.

I hope you have all had a good weekend and are ready for more home learning. This week, we're continuing to think about plants and growing. If you have any seeds at home, maybe you could plant them and watch them grow. Don't worry if you can't grow anything – there are lots of online examples of film clips showing plants growing that you could watch. They are even speeded up so you don't have long to wait!

Enjoy your day,  
Miss Elwick

### Maths

Complete the problems saved on the separate maths document.

You can print the sheet out if you have access to a printer, or you could just write the answers on paper, or in your maths homework book.

### English

Today you have two short texts to read - Super Seeds and Crazy Cacti. Then answer the comprehension questions.

The answers are at the end of the document – **don't peek at them!**

When you are finished, you could go through the answers with an adult.

### Topic work - Growing

The natural history museum website has some tips and a film clip explaining how to press flowers.

[www.nhm.ac.uk/discover/how-to-press-flowers.html](http://www.nhm.ac.uk/discover/how-to-press-flowers.html)

Could you choose some flowers and leaves from your garden to press? Look carefully at the petals and leaves. Can you find different shapes and colours? Can you name these plants?

Remember to try not to damage the rest of the plant as we don't want it to die, and to make sure you still leave some flowers and leaves on the plant.

Your pressed flowers and leaves could be used in a few days to make a picture, a bookmark, or even a card to send to a friend.