

## Year 3 - Optional Summer B Homework Topic – What's happening in our natural environment?

## Which challenges will you choose to complete?

Go on a pattern- spotting hunt! How many different patterns can you find in nature?	Grow some plants at home, either indoors or outdoors. Bring in photos of your plants to school and be ready to present them to the class.	Visit the Fitzwilliam Museum to see the work of Claude Monet in person!
Explore your local environment with adult supervision. Make a list of all the different plants and animals you see along the way.	Write a story about an adventure involving hedgehogs, squirrels, blackbirds, foxes or other wild animals we can find in our environment.	Sketch some of the wild plants and animals you see in your environment. When your sketch is complete, colour your picture using pencils or paint.
Write a poem based on the natural environment. Think about the animals and plants you could include in your writing.	Talk at home topic Talk to someone at home about the natural environment around us, comparing the outside world to your life at home.	Produce an advert persuading people to grow their own fruit and vegetables at home. You may wish to do some research first.

Children are expected to complete their weekly reading, spelling and number fact homework. The above challenges are optional.