



Featured Literature Connection Booklist

WEEK 1: Plant Needs & Plant Parts

Grow Flower Grow (by Lisa Bruce)¹

Lola Plants a Garden (by Anna McQuinn)²

Pumpkin Circle by (George Levenson)³

Seeds Go, Seeds Grow (by Mark Weakland)⁴

WEEK 2: Seeds & Roots

Tiny Seed (by Eric Carle)⁵

From Seed to Plant (by Gail Gibbons)⁶

The Carrot Seed (by Ruth Krauss)⁷

What Will Grow (by Jennifer Ward)⁸

WEEK 3: Stems & Leaves

Up, Down, and Around (by Katherine Ayres)⁹

Oliver's Vegetables (by Vivian French)¹⁰

Leaves (by David Ezra Stein)¹¹

Jack's Garden (by Henry Cole)¹²

WEEK 4: Flowers & Fruits

The Reason for a Flower (by Ruth Heller)¹³

A Fruit is a Suitcase for Seeds (by Jean Richards)¹⁴

Planting a Rainbow (by Lois Ehlert)¹⁵

Flower Garden (by Eve Bunting)¹⁶

Weekly Garden Songs

WEEK 1: Plant Needs & Plant Parts Parts of the Plant

WEEK 2: Seeds & Roots Roots Are Growing in the Ground

WEEK 3: Stems & Leaves Stem Stretch

WEEK 4: Flowers & Fruits Flowers on the Plant



¹Lisa Bruce, *Grow Flower, Grow!* (New York: Scholastic, 2001).

²Anna McQuinn, *Lola Plants a Garden* (Watertown, MA: Charlesbridge Publishing, Inc., 2014).

³George Levenson, *Pumpkin Circle: The Story of a Garden* (Berkeley, CA: Tricycle Press, 2002).

⁴Mark Weakland, *Seeds Go, Seeds Grow* (Mankato, MN: Capstone Press, 2011).

⁵Eric Carle, *The Tiny Seed* (New York: Simon & Schuster, 1987).

⁶Gail Gibbons, *From Seed to Plant* (New York: Holiday House, 1991).

⁷Ruth Krauss, *The Carrot Seed* (New York: Scholastic, 1945).

⁸Jennifer Ward, *What Will Grow?* (New York: Bloomsbury USA, 2017).

⁹Katherine Ayres, *Up, Down, and Around* (Cambridge, MA: Candlewick, 2007).

¹⁰Vivian French, *Oliver's Vegetables* (New York: Orchard Books, 1995).

¹¹David Ezra Stein, *Leaves* (London: Puffin, 2010).

¹²Henry Cole, *Jack's Garden* (New York: HarperCollins, 1995).

¹³Ruth Heller, *The Reason for a Flower* (New York: Grosset & Dunlap, 1983).

¹⁴Jean Richards, *A Fruit is a Suitcase for Seeds* (Minneapolis: Millbrook Press, 2002).

¹⁵Lois Ehlert, *Planting a Rainbow* (New York: Scholastic, 1988).

¹⁶Eve Bunting, *Flower Garden* (Boston: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing, 1994).