

Overview: Polytunnel and Garden EBD

Theme/Zone Identified

The scheme of work and resources within this zone cover the theme of 'The Polytunnel and Garden'.

Key Stage3/4

This zone is applicable to both Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4.

Ability/NC Levels

The resources and activities are tailored to meet the needs of students with an ability range NC level 1 through to NC level 6.

Type of School

BESD

Useful Contacts/Websites:

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/scienceclips/ages/10_11/interdependence.shtml

<http://www.standards.dfes.gov.uk/schemes2/science/sci6a/>

<http://www.learnanywhere.co.uk/la/science/6a.ppt>

<http://www.ngfl-cymru.org.uk/vtc/16022007/interdependence/lesson.html>

(excellent demonstration of inter-dependence)

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/> - The BBC's Gardeners World has hints and tips and a monthly 'to do' list.

<http://www.gardenorganic.org.uk/index.php?PHPSESSID=38a2e4bad99fd861dd0353e0017cdd58> - Great page for organic gardening advice.

<http://www.carryongardening.org.uk/index.asp> - Easy 'peazy' advice for starter gardeners.

<http://www.treeforall.org.uk/> - The Woodlands Trust has an excellent range of resources including: worksheets; activities; seasonally themed project ideas.

<http://www.countrysideinfo.co.uk/flplcont.htm> - Lots of useful information on blooms.

<http://www.videojug.com/tag/gardening> 'How to Do' videos on gardening available to download.

Assessment/National Curriculum/Accreditation

Entry Level Land Studies (Welsh Board): Crops and Flowers topic, The Garden topic.

Entry Level Land Maintenance.

Health & Safety Recommendations/Risk Assessment

See individual school risk assessments and health and safety policies.

Refer to CLEAPPS and COSHH.

Cross Curricular Links

- Literacy/communication: reinforcement of keywords, development of discussions and labelling.
- Enterprise: communication and team work during practical activities.
- PSHE: environmental and community awareness.
- Media: promotion and advertising of crops.
- Numeracy: measurements used in the garden designing exercise.
- ICT: garden designer/audio visual clips.
- Food Technology: fruit and vegetable production.