



## Term Planner 2017-18

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Further detail on these activities is provided in the 'Teacher's Guide' document.

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<p>Bulb &amp; pot delivery</p> <p>To all schools by the 10<sup>th</sup> October 2017</p>	<p>Your 'Spring Bulbs for Schools' and Edina Trust Bulb Project extension packs will be delivered to your school by the date shown in the adjacent column. Please store your bulbs in a <b>cool, dry place</b> before planting.</p> <p><b>The packs should contain:</b></p> <p><b>Bulbs and Pots Pack</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 Daffodil bulb / pupil</li> <li>• 1 Crocus bulb / pupil</li> <li>• 1 pot / pupil.</li> <li>• 5 mystery bulbs and 1 pot / school.</li> <li>• 4 spare bulbs and pots / school</li> <li>• £10 Garden Centre voucher (for compost)</li> <li>• 20 Daffodil bulbs / school (<b>to plant in the ground</b>)</li> <li>• Thermometer</li> <li>• Rain Gauge</li> </ul> <p><b>Resources Pack (new schools)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 Trowel</li> <li>• 1 Digital camera</li> <li>• 1 SD memory card</li> <li>• 20 Plant labels</li> <li>• 1 Waterproof marker pen</li> <li>• 5 30cm rulers</li> <li>• Edina Trust Bulb Plot signpost</li> <li>• Various paper resources</li> </ul> <p><b>Resources Pack (returning schools)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20 Plant labels</li> <li>• 1 Waterproof marker pen</li> <li>• Various paper resources</li> </ul>



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  	<p>Getting started</p> <p>All schools week beginning: 10<sup>th</sup> October.</p>	<p>Introduce pupils to the project and prepare for planting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Before planting, pupils will need to name and adopt their individual bulbs and the bulbs to be planted in the ground and make labels for their pots. This is a good time to discuss what a plant needs to grow.</li> </ul> <p><b>Resources (Extension Project):</b>  Edina Trust Bulb Project (PowerPoint)  Bulb Adoption Certificate (Bulbs in ground)</p>	  
   	<p>Planting day</p> <p>English schools: 20<sup>th</sup> October  Scottish schools: 27<sup>th</sup> October</p>	<p>All schools to plant their bulbs on these days to ensure a fair test.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pupils will need to plant their bulbs in pots <b>and</b> the ground and attach the labels they have already prepared. If you can't plant on this date please do so as soon as possible and make a note of the date. <b>You will need to have soil ready</b> for planting bulbs in pots (a £10 compost voucher will be included in your bulb and pots pack).</li> <li>Discuss safety rules before planting.</li> </ul> <p><b>Resources (Extension Project):</b>  Planting your bulbs in the ground</p>	   
  	<p>'Post your Plot' Photo Competition</p>	<p>Post a picture of your Edina Bulb Plot on Planting Day to the Moodle site (log-in details are enclosed).</p> <p>The best photo will win a gardening prize for their school.</p> <p>Winner decided on the 10<sup>th</sup> November 2017</p> <p><b>Resources (Extension Project):</b>  Ground Group &amp; Daffodil Chart Poster</p>	  
 	<p>Keeping flower records and bulb blogging:  January- March</p>	<p>From January to March encourage pupils to visit the bulb plot regularly and record the flowering dates &amp; heights of the plants.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Once the bulbs in your bulb plot start to grow.</b> Email your stories and pictures to us so we can add them to our bulb-blog.</li> </ul>	 

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Entering recordings:</b> The Edina Trust has set up a Moodle website for schools to enter the data on their daffodils <u>planted in the ground</u>. The address for this website is: <a href="http://moodle.edinatrust.org.uk">http://moodle.edinatrust.org.uk</a>. Information on using this website is in the 'Moodle Teachers' Guide'.</li> <li>• As soon as a daffodil in the bulb plot opens nominate a pupil from your 'Ground Group' to login to the Edina Trust Moodle website, and enter the recordings of the flowering date and plant height.</li> <li>• Use the 'keeping flower records' PowerPoint to make sure all pupils know what and when to record.</li> <li>• <b>Mapping.</b> Soon after sending in a flowering record, a flower should appear above your school on the <b>flower map</b>. Please encourage pupils to watch the flowering maps on the Edina Trust Moodle website to see where the flowers are opening first and compare the opening times of the bulbs in pots with those in the ground. Discuss to see if they can work out why the bulbs might open at different times.</li> <li>• If some bulbs in the bulb plot haven't flowered, don't worry – but please let us know. On the 'Recordings' page of the Edina Trust Bulb Project Moodle website you can enter the height of the plant and check the box marked 'didn't open'.</li> </ul> <p><b>Resources (Extension Project):</b>  Moodle Teachers' Guide  Ground Group &amp; Daffodil Chart Poster (Bulbs in the ground)</p>
<b>Results Report</b> Week 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2018	The Edina Trust Extension Project results report and pupil friendly PowerPoint presentation will be sent to each school by the 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2018.
<p>All of the resources referred to in this document can be downloaded from <a href="http://www.edinatrust.org.uk/BulbProjectResources">www.edinatrust.org.uk/BulbProjectResources</a></p>	