

Down at the bottom of the garden

Down at the bottom of the garden you may find a variety of animals, plants and insects. These may be found in different locations: in the ground, under logs, in bushes, under rocks and in many other nooks and crannies.



Key Vocabulary	
Climate	The measurement of temperature and weather over time.
Equator	An imaginary line which encircles the middle of the Earth.
Seasons	Four different times during the year with different types of weather.
Germinate	When seeds sprout and begin to grow.
Human feature	Changes that people have made to the land.
Physical feature	The natural environment e.g. land, water, weather, soil, plants, animals
Weather pattern	When the weather stays the same for a period of time, such as the weather in
	each season.
Pollen	A fine powdery substance, discharged from the male part of a flower.
Georgia O'Keefe	An American artist known for painting bold flowers.
Giuseppe Arcimboldo	An Italian painter best known for creating imaginative portraits made out of
	objects such as fruits, vegetables, flowers, fish and books.

Geography

Hessle is a town which is located near to the city of Hull, in the county of East Riding of Yorkshire, in England which is part of the United Kingdom.

Climates differ all over the world depending upon the distance from the equator.

England has four seasons:

Spring (March, April, May),

Summer (June, July, August),

Autumn (September, October, November)

Winter (December, January, February).





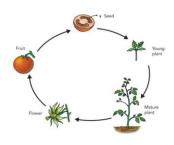
On a hot summer's day the temperature in England is approximately $25\,^\circ\!\!\mathrm{C}$ compared to a cold winter's day which could be as low as $0\,^\circ\!\!\mathrm{C}.$

As Cape Town is closer to the equator than England, its temperature on a hot summer's day will be 35°C and 16°C during winter. The seasons in Cape Town are opposite to the UK. When it's Summer for us, it's Winter in South Africa!









<u>Science</u>

Most plants **germinate** in the spring, thrive in the summer and die in the winter. Some South African plants don't survive in the UK as our winters are **too cold**.