

David GIBB

Key skills:

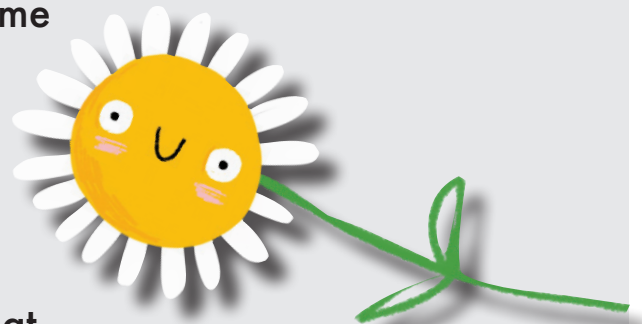
- Listening
- Singing
- Writing
- Examining
- Recalling

Lesson plan:

Sunflower

Activity

1. Listen to the song or watch the video for *Sunflower* from David Gibb's album *Rolling Down The Road*. Print the lyrics sing and along with the song.
2. Read the lyrics out loud to the class. As a group, see how many things the class can name that you would find in a garden.
3. By themselves or in groups of 3, get the children to imagine that they are going to design their own garden. What would they put in their garden? Would there be fountains? What flowers would there be? What animals would there be?
4. Get the children to draw and design their garden.



Extension Activities

1. Using craft and junk materials ask the children to create a model of their garden. This could also be done as a class with each child making a different flower, or object for the garden.
2. Get the children to try writing their own lyrics about their garden. You can either use David's tune, or come with a tune of your very own!



Sunflower from David Gibb's album *Rolling Down The Road* - TRACK 6.

Available from iTunes Amazon, Spotify and www.davidgibb.com

Watch the video now on [Youtube](https://www.youtube.com).

Further listening:

Octopus's Garden - The Beatles
Build Me Up Buttercup -
The Foundations

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LYRICS: *Sunflower*

Hello and welcome to my garden green,
It's good to have to you on the team,
You'll find that you'll feel lighter,
When there's a blue sky and the sun shines brighter,
Everyone round here leads such a busy life,
All they need are summery vibes,
That's something I can provide,
Let me tell you why
I'm a sunflower, the tallest and the brightest flower of all,
I'm a sunflower, the tallest and the brightest flower of all
Hello to the dandelions,
Shout out if you're feeling fine,
Hello to the roses,
Sending sweet smells up everybody's noses,
Hello the buttercups shining like the sun,
You're all beautiful in your own way,
But I'm the only one who is
A sunflower, the tallest and the brightest flower of all,
I'm a sunflower, the tallest and the brightest flower of all
I can see your house from up here,
I can see your street from up here,
I can see the park from up here,
I can see your school from up here,
I can see your town from up here,
I can see the world from up here,
I can see the stars from up here,
I can see the whole universe from up here!
I'm a sunflower, the tallest and the brightest flower of all,
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