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The growing of the oak seedlings

We tidied the park near our school and found the acorns of an oak. How can such big trees grow up from these small seeds? Let's try to find out.



In a week our acorns began to sprout



In three weeks the seedlings had small leaves.





ships, barrels and furniture. The oak carvings adorn the church of our town.



It came out, that some insects like the oak leaves very much. In our classroom growing stick insect phasmatodea likes them too.



The search for the information about oaks

Searching for information about oaks, we found a lot of interesting facts. In ancient times Lithuanians believed, that there lived souls in the oak woods. They considered oaks to be holy trees. From this hard and sturdy wood they made



Explorations and experiments

Now we are going to plant the acorns into the prepared observation container with the compass, weather vane, wind catcher and thermometer. So we can observe the temperature inside the container and, how the seeds are growing.





The spread of the project

The class teams summarised the information they found and presented it to their friends.





The planting of the oaks

The children planted the oaks in the schoolyard. They were meant for the centenary of Lithuania.





When the oaks grew a little, we decided to plant them in our school yard. They are the first trees planted by ourselves. We registered them in the initiative „ A Million Oaks for Lithuania“.



Coming to school we will see how the oak leaves sprout, how the twigs grow, when they will come into bloom the first time... It's interesting, when will these trees grow up taller than us?


