



The Forest School Flyer

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What a busy half-term! It has been the turn of Robins, Badgers, Hares and Owls to explore Happy Wood and Downing Wood.

Someone recently asked me **why** schools offer Forest School, so I asked the children and this is what they said:

"At Forest School I learn how to look after myself. You don't put things in your mouth like berries and fungi in case it is poisonous."

Eddie Spiers (Foxes)

"We learn about protecting the environment so that animals have places to live. We don't pick off living plants and trees, only from the floor." Libby Bailey (Foxes)

"You learn about yourself. If you thought you couldn't do something but you challenged yourself, then you get more confident."

Sophia Dexter (Squirrels)

"I like nature. I enjoy listening to the animals. It feels peaceful."

Joseph Atwell (Squirrels)

"I feel satisfied when I achieve things at Forest School."

Logan Hooker (Squirrels)

"Breathing in the fresh air is so nice."
Dexie-Rae Runce
(Squirrels)

"We learn about team work and It helps get rid of your energy and you can concentrate more in class instead of bouncing around!" Phoebe Jones (Foxes)

" I learned how to make a wood-cookie with a bow saw. We make lots of souvenirs to take home."

Alfie Smith (Foxes)

Hare's Hall of Fame



Outstanding Owls



Easter Holiday outdoor activities

1. Use natural materials to make an **Easter garden**.



2. Create **leaf art**. Gather a variety of leaves of different shapes, colours and sizes. Get creative!



3. Make a **natural paintbrush** using a stick, leaves and string/wool. The "paint" with mud!



Don't forget we would love to see photos!

Have a Blessed and happy Easter,
Mrs Bonsall

A very big **thank you** to all the parents and staff who have brought in items for the Forest School this term.

And an enormous **thank you** goes to the **PTFA**, who have generously purchased some new equipment – look out for photos in the next Forest School Flyer!