

St Joseph's Catholic
Primary School

Spring 1

02/02/2024

Lunch Club

Each year group
rotates weekly to
have a go at some
forest school
activities.

After School Club

With lots of games
and activities we
have been having a
great time at the
end day exploring
the outdoors.

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School Club book
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Welcome to Forest School St Joseph's!

Firstly, a very warm welcome to all that have taken part in a Forest School session this term. It has been wonderful to join St Josephs on Mondays and great to see the children engaging with the outdoors despite the chilly weather we've had recently.



My name's Miss Haworth from Primary Forest Schools working within the wonderful counties of Dorset and Hampshire. I have worked as an outdoor activity instructor for the past 4 years with my favourite sessions to run always being environmental, nothing can beat the excitement of lighting your first fire or discovering a bug you've never seen before.

This half term the Ducklings, year 1 and year 2 students have worked on many different topics such as Shapes and Colours to Mud, to Minibeasts, and even some Den building a few weeks ago. It's been brilliant to see the children learning through nature and experiencing finding and identifying creepy crawlies and working together to ensure they have a waterproof den for their group, excluding a water test. I've been impressed by the group's engagement and perseverance during the cold weather and look forward to the next week with them where we will be learning about fire and fire safety to finish the half term.



I have been working this half term to develop the outdoor classroom area and get different materials ready for sessions (such as large sticks for shelter building). Although the site is looking great so far, any donations would be very welcome.

Donations HELP!

To help develop our forest school area we rely on donations, rather than taking your rubbish to the tip we may need it!

If you have any from the list to hand, please email admin@primary-forest-school.co.uk or speak to the school office.

Pallets, wood chippings, old sinks, plants/bulbs, tree stumps, tyres, fire pits, planks of wood, bricks, unwanted pots/pans, unwanted utensils, cable drums, outdoor clothing, wellies, craft materials