



# Outdoor Learning at Eastbury

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A TERMLY NEWSLETTER HIGHLIGHTING THE OUTDOOR LEARNING TAKING PLACE ACROSS THE SCHOOL!

## Nursery

### Outdoor activities

The children have been focusing on their physical development, such as climbing steps, riding bikes, balancing and much more. They also had the police visit! The children had the chance to go outside and see a police vehicle and sit inside it.



## Reception

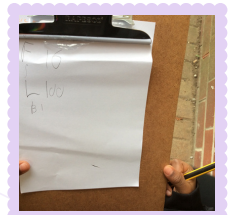
### Gardeners

Spring is here and the children in Reception had great fun planting in the outdoor area. They gathered their gardening tools, soil and seeds and planted happily with their friends. They were all fantastic gardeners!

## Year 1

### Computing

Year 1 were creating instructions for their 'pirate robot' to direct it to the treasure as part of their computing lessons. We used the words forwards, backwards, left and right and how many steps the robot had to take.



## Year 2

### Shared Reading

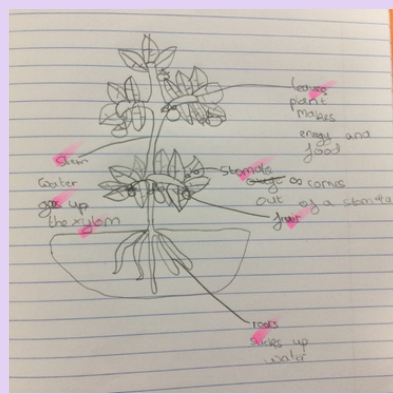
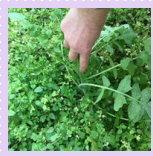
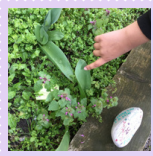
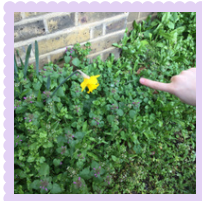
In shared reading, Year 2 have been reading a non-fiction book about clouds. The children have been outside to observe the clouds and identify what types of clouds they may be. They even had the opportunity to become weather presenters!



## Year 3

### Plants

Year 3 have been learning about the parts of the plant and where the process of photosynthesis takes part in those parts. They found parts of a plant in the Garden Centre and were able to draw and label them.



## Year 4

### Science Museum

As part of the children's learning in Science, Year 4 visited the Science Museum in London. The children thoroughly enjoyed exploring the different zones within the museum. They also had an opportunity to visit the wonderlab gallery where they were able to explore the interactive exhibits. Have a look!



## Year 5

### Art

As part of their Art learning, Year 5 children have spent time observing the buildings that surround their school environment. From tower block buildings to terraced and detached houses, children designed and created their very own buildings to conclude their Art unit.



Day	Temperature	Rainfall
1	14°C	—
2	20°C	—
3	10°C	—
4	12°C	—
5	26°C	S.M.M.
6	10°C	—
7	8°C	—
8	13°C	—
9	10°C	—



## Year 6

### Science experiment

Year 6 have been conducting outdoor experiments, which lasted the course of two weeks. The experiment involved the children recording the daily temperature and weekly rainfall and then recording this data.

## Coming soon - Eastbury's Forest School

*Our new outdoor learning area!*

The Forest school will include an outdoor classroom encouraging children to explore the natural environment and learn in it. It will promote the children's self-esteem, creativity, confidence and independence.

