

# Fantastic Forest School

Our first forest school session began for our Year 2's with us sitting in the fire circle and talking all about how to look after ourselves and everyone else and our special code of conduct in the outdoors.

All the children were super excited about what they were going to be doing this afternoon, and in groups we all ventured out with spotting sheets and clipboards.



Carefully, we lifted logs, peeked under rocks and looked in crevices for our friendly creatures who lived in our wonderful area.

We were astounded by how many different mini beasts we found and soon our spotting sheets were totally full!

We then ventured back to the fire circle and had a biscuit and a drink whilst we discussed what each of us had found. Learning all about how much we need to look after them and how much our mini beasts mean to us is very important whilst we are visiting and using their natural habitat.



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We all molded our clay into creature shapes and used the materials we had gathered to make our mini beast features.

There was lots of imagination and creativity amongst the children and they even made their own special designs!

Our session was coming to an end and finally we decided to collect some branches for our future den building, which we were all really excited about.

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed their first session and worked brilliantly as a team!

We all had a favourite mini beast, which was going to really help us for our next task.

Once we had a session of play we all then headed back out searching for natural materials such as twigs, leaves and berries.

Bringing them all back with us to the circle we all couldn't wait to create our own mini beasts from clay.

