



EYFS outdoor learning

In EYFS, we love to spend a great deal of time outdoors but what are the benefits of it and why do we do it?

Outdoor learning has lots to offer, much more than we can do in a classroom.

- Encourages resilience and confidence
- It can increase children's social skills
- Provides a genuine purpose for children to talk
- Develops strength, stamina and control
- Children familiarise themselves with their local area
- Increases understanding of past and present
- Appreciation of nature and seasonal changes
- Enhances our key values – courage, take responsibility, pride,
- It's fun!

With this in mind, this year, we have extended our learning offer outside of school and into the local area. We have teamed up with Go Play Sandwell, who have been offering lots of advice and support to help us in our exciting adventures.