



DISCOVER THE JOHN MUIR AWARD

Connecting people with wild places



WHAT DID WE DO?

Discover a Wild Place



1

Primary 7 explored Rannoch woods, Bluebell woods, Lochwinnoch cycle track and the two garden spaces within our school grounds.

Explore It



2

Primary 7 did a risk assessment of each area and took time to do senses walks to explore each area. We discovered ways we could help the birds and insects in the habitats in the wild spaces we explored. We considered the things we could take part in that would inspire us to take learning outdoors. Team games like capture the flag and den building were part of it. Lockerbie Manor leant itself well as there were lots of outdoor activities that encouraged us to enjoy the outdoors and have a new found appreciation for woodland areas.



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Conserve It

Primary 7 spent many hours, during our weekly outdoor learning slot, to help conserve the woodland areas that were identified at the beginning of the project.

We cleared away a lot of weeds and other greenery that prevented clear paths for children and adults to explore, did multiple litter picks over the course of several months and created bird feeders to help encourage various species of birds into the wild spaces.

2

Share the Experience

Throughout our outdoor learning experiences, we shared our tasks with our parents and carers through Seesaw. We are also sharing some pictures with the rest of Fordbank Primary to inspire and encourage children to get involved in future years and think about the positive impact that happens when taking care of our local area.

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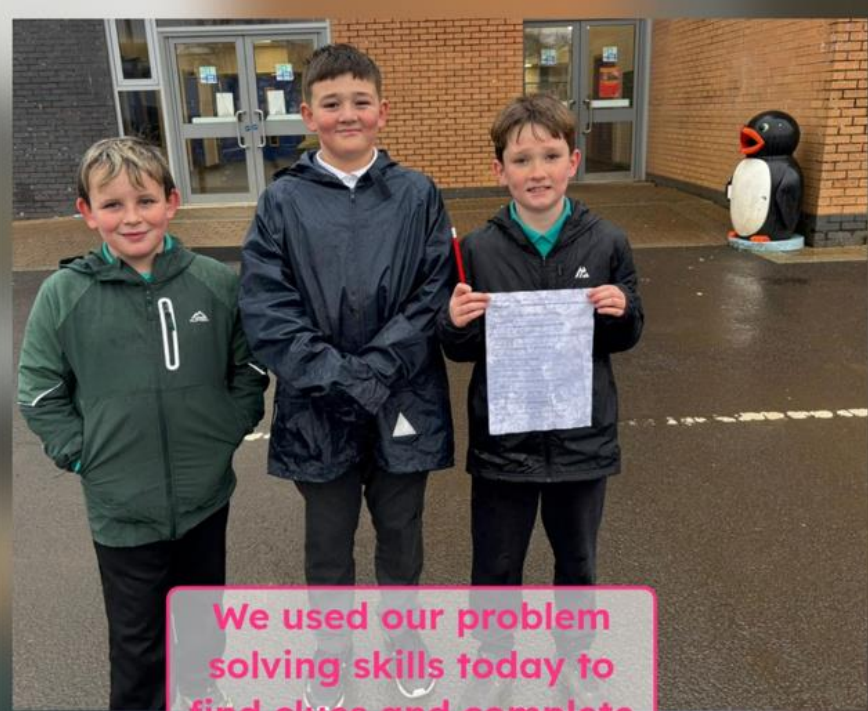
DEN BUILDING



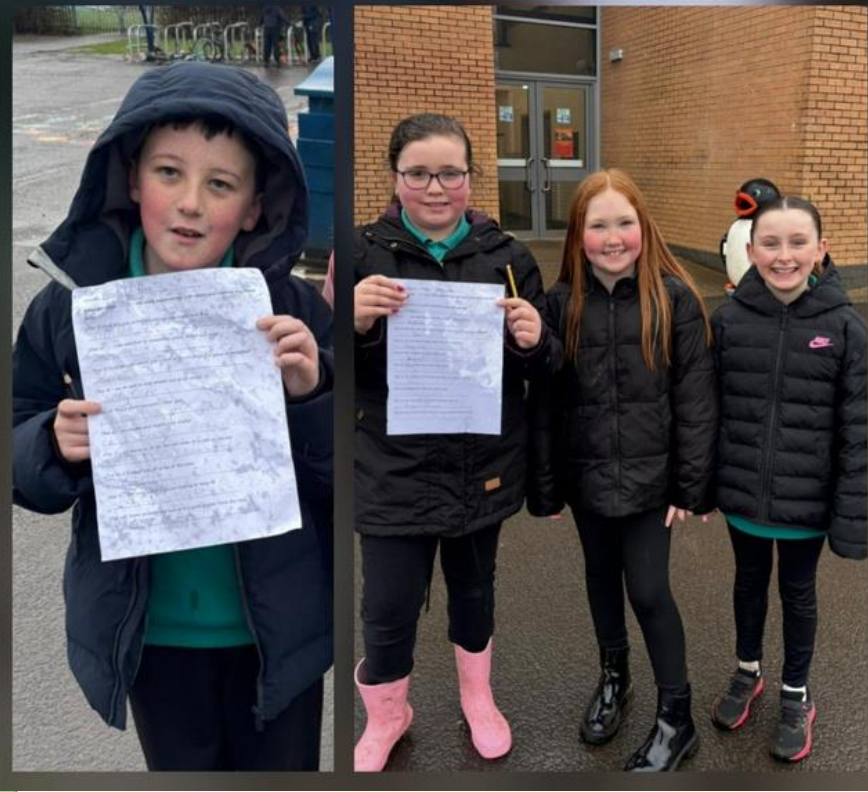
We were working together today to build mini dens - it was great muddy fun!!



EXPLORING



We used our problem solving skills today to find clues and complete a Scavenger Hunt



We had so much fun today, making wreaths during outdoor learning

LITTER PICK (CONSERVE)





**HOPEFULLY YOU HAVE BEEN
INSPIRED TO GET INVOLVED LIKE
PRIMARY 7!**