

Infant Class

Welly Walk



Outdoor Learning

As we continue to develop our Outdoor Learning curriculum, we are keen to continue to offer your child opportunities to develop their Outdoor Learning skills by using the environment around School.

Children will enjoy experiences from across the curriculum including telling stories, making mud pies and exploring the seasons. Outdoor Learning builds on the natural instinct to learn that everybody is born with and offers opportunities to make choices, initiate learning and take risks, which supports the development of positive attitudes and behaviour.

The Outdoor Learning session will be planned by the class teacher, taking into account the curriculum which the children are learning in class and the type of activities which are beneficial for our classes' development. Outdoor Learning sessions will always be practical. They emphasise the development of self-esteem, communication and social skills. These skills feedback positively into other work in school.

Children will take part in Outdoor Learning every other Tuesday, which we will be calling 'Welly Walk'. Unless there is torrential rain the Welly Walk will take place. Please could all children bring into a school a pair of wellies which can stay in school and which are **named**. Please do let us know if you have any difficulties regarding this as we do have some wellies spare.

This is an opportunity which we hope the children will enjoy and we thank you in advance for your support in ensuring that your child is sent to school with appropriate footwear.

If you have any questions concerning our Outdoor Learning then please do not hesitate to speak to me after school or via the school office email, admin@warthill.n-yorks.sch.uk

Kind regards,

Mrs Wilson