



FOREST SCHOOL

This month at Forest School, Year 5 have been furthering their knowledge and understanding about the importance of conservation. Giving nature a home and helping to maintain the different habitats found around our school grounds improves the local biodiversity.



The children worked together in teams to each complete a different conservation project. The projects included litter picking, digging up aspen saplings and removing weeds such as bind weed, brambles and thistles which had grown throughout the Jubilee Garden and around Bramble Lodge during the summer holidays.



The children used a range of tools safely, including loppers, secateurs and shears. The groups responded well to safety tool talks and demonstrated safe, independent use of these tools.



The session ended with a review of the various projects and a consideration of what else we could do at home and at school to support the environment.

