

Forest School Class 2 & 3 May 19

The forecast was for rain showers on and off all day but we were lucky and it stayed fine all day. Once we had listened to the safety talk and played 1,2,3 where are you a few times, we started our activities. Mrs Greenwood cooked pancakes over the campfire, with a choice of sauces to put on them (honey or chocolate...or both!). We had a really tricky rope puzzle which was great fun, we got tangled and untangled and tangled... There bug pots for bug hunting – we found snails, worms, beetles and even a moth. Some of us made willow crowns by bending young willow branches into a circle and then weaving it around itself and then adding more branches to form the crown. There were feathers and ribbons to decorate the crowns if we wanted to; a few of us left them plain. We also had instructions to make a ninja star throwing game, this involved finding and tying two sticks together and setting out different targets with points on them. The person or team who scored the highest points won. Den building was also a big hit, ropes were strung up between trees and tarps were placed over the ropes (it might not have been best to site the den where the fire smoke was drifting across). Later on we had hot juice and biscuits followed by some free time before we packed up and made our way back to school.

