



Sycamore and Hawthorn class shared their ideas about exploring the Woodlands Wonders Room.

"I liked drawing scarecrows"

"I like making a scarecrow with the wheat"

"I used the threading beads and wooden shapes"

"I like using the wooden blocks to make towers"

"Making a nest out of wooden items"

"Next time, I'd like to make a den with a parachute"

"I used the blocks to make the Egyptian ruins"

"Reading the Gruffalo"

"I like the sand and water trays"

"Playing the instruments"

"I made a road out of wooden blocks, to ride the cars along"

"I liked making an acorn basket from the pegs and wooden holders"

We'd also like

More toys outside; some bigger wooden eggs; more stationary choices; more stilts to walk on; rope to play with; more mirrors; outdoor dominos; camouflage netting; and a hammock!

The children had access to the room for three afternoons and were then asked their opinions about what was good and what else they would want to do/see in the Woodlands Wonders Room. These are the findings to inform staff in terms of planning teaching and learning activities and possible budget requirements for the future.

There was already a plan to make a tree to decorate the room and have more power points about specific activities e.g. How trees grow. E.g. How to grow a plant.