# Broad Oak Primary School



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To the Trustees,

As you know we are a large Manchester Primary School with a passion for providing a stimulating curriculum, not just in the classroom but also through the use of our extensive outdoor space. We are a school that is proud of our ethos, of providing a broad and balanced curriculum for all pupils, as well as encouraging the development of our core values, which include resilience, determination and enthusiasm.

Thanks to you we have now been able to enhance our provision by using your grant funding to purchase pond dipping and insect collecting equipment, as well as bird boxes. Our youngest children who have been in school during the recent lockdown have already benefitted from the use of the equipment with their teachers and we are looking forward to other year groups in school using the equipment in the coming months.

think you can see from the pictures that the children have been having a wonderful time!



Mrs S Farrell Science Lead Teacher

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## Questionnaire

Tell us about yourselves (Charity Name, Donation Amount and Date of Donation)

Broad Oak Primary School, £800, August 2020

#### Tell us about the Funds

- Has the project we helped to fund been completed? If so, how is it maintained? We have been able to purchase pond dipping and insect collecting equipment, as well as clear bird boxes to see bird's nesting and egg's hatching.
  - If not completed yet, why not? Are plans in place to finalise the project?
  - Did the funds provided by us prove adequate, or was there an over- or under-spend?

The funds have been greatly appreciated and we have spent all the funds we have received. We are looking forward to using the equipment now that all the children have returned to school.

• How were any surplus funds used, or was further funding made available?

### Tell us about the project

Has the project been successful and well received by the beneficiaries?
 Our pond area has been developed over the last 18 months and thanks to the trustees we now have the equipment to use the area to its full potential particularly over the coming spring and summer.

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Are you satisfied with the outcome, or, with hindsight, would some modifications have been appropriate?

We have modified our plans to match the funding we received and instead of a bird box with a camera we have purchased see-through bird boxes but this will still allow us to see baby birds in their nests.

Was funding for this project made available from any other sources?
 No this was our primary source of funding.

#### Feedback about us

- How did you find our own process of selection and payment?
   We appreciated being kept informed as to the progress of the application and of course we were thrilled to have been selected. The payment was made easily to school's bank account which made it easy to use the funds for our purchases.
- Have you considered providing us with an update on the activities for which our Trust provided the funding?

I have attached a letter of thanks with photos to update the trustees.

• Would you welcome a visit by our Trustees?

This would of course be difficult at the present time as we are a school and are limiting visitors due to the current pandemic situation.

• Have you any other comments?

Please see attached letter.

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