



## WELCOME TO EXPLORERS AT BROOMHAUGH



## WE LOVE TO EXPLORE!

At Broomhaugh we love spending time outdoors. We love the rain, the mud, the puddles, the snow, the piles of leaves, the sun on our backs and the wind in our hair. We love to pick up sticks, rustle through leaves, splash in water. We love to gather, build, spot, identify and discover. Basically we love having fun outside no matter what the weather.

Exploring outside is one of our favourite things, because it's fun and also because it's a great way to learn and be inspired by the world around us. We like to think of it as nature's big classroom and we get out there as often as possible. Exploring is about encouraging children to develop their curiosity and learn in practical ways by making their own discoveries.

That's why we've designed Explorers at Broomhaugh to create even more reasons, opportunities and inspiration for the children at our school to get outside and have some exploring fun.

We really hope you'll be part of this and take on the Quests with your children. We can't wait to find out what they've done, where they've been and how much fun they've had.

## **HOW IT WORKS**

Each year at school is a stage, which means we have five stages. Each term every child will receive their own free, seasonally themed Log Book. The Log Book will have five Quests for the children to take on during the term, based on their age. That means 15 quests during the course of each year and 75 in total for the time they're at Broomhaugh.

No-one has to do anything they don't want to, and we'd love the children to use their own imagination as much as possible. At the end of each year those children who have chosen to complete all the quests in their Log Books will receive their official Explorers at Broomhaugh Stage Completion Certificate.

At the end of five years, those who have chosen to complete all their Quests and receive all five Stage Completion Certificates will be able to join in a very exciting event put on purely for them (we know exactly what it is but we're going to keep it a big secret for now!).

We'd love you to join in and help your children develop their explorer skills. If you have any questions about Explorers at Broomhaugh please don't hesitate to contact us.





