

Wedmore First School Grants Committee

2009 / 2010 funding objectives (not in any particular order of priority)

- Furniture for group rooms to be formed from old kitchen
- Convert existing upper paving / planting beds outside classrooms at front of school to outdoor patio areas with sun shade awnings similar to Rabbit class
- IT – Renew existing class computers (24) (Sue Hodgetts to provide specification)
- IT – Renew / provide 1 printer per classroom
- Miscellaneous IT equipment such as book projector, web cameras
- Set up Skype based internet video link with international school partners to provide children with international interchanges
- Musical instruments (School to provide list)
- Books – either for school permanent collection or from School Library Service (typically 8 boxes per annum required to cover year topics @ £150 per box)
- Enrichment visits to outside sites / activities
- Enrichment visits by individuals or groups coming to school
- Swimming teacher / lessons
- Outdoor classroom (timber pavilion building circa £16k – more details to be provided by school)

- Outdoor stage
- Climbing & adventure equipment
- Seating – more outdoor benches etc.
- Two sets of waterproofs – wellies etc. to ensure outdoor activities can take place in wet weather
- Re-establish school pond
- Re-establish school vegetable garden next to playgroup building (employ gardener?)
- Greenhouse
- Art workshops – artist in residence
- Talking keyboards (literacy aid)
- Additional Forest Schools staff training (level 1)
- Swimming pool enclosure for all weather and extended season use
- Phase 2 building projects - new toilets for the barn, new classrooms