

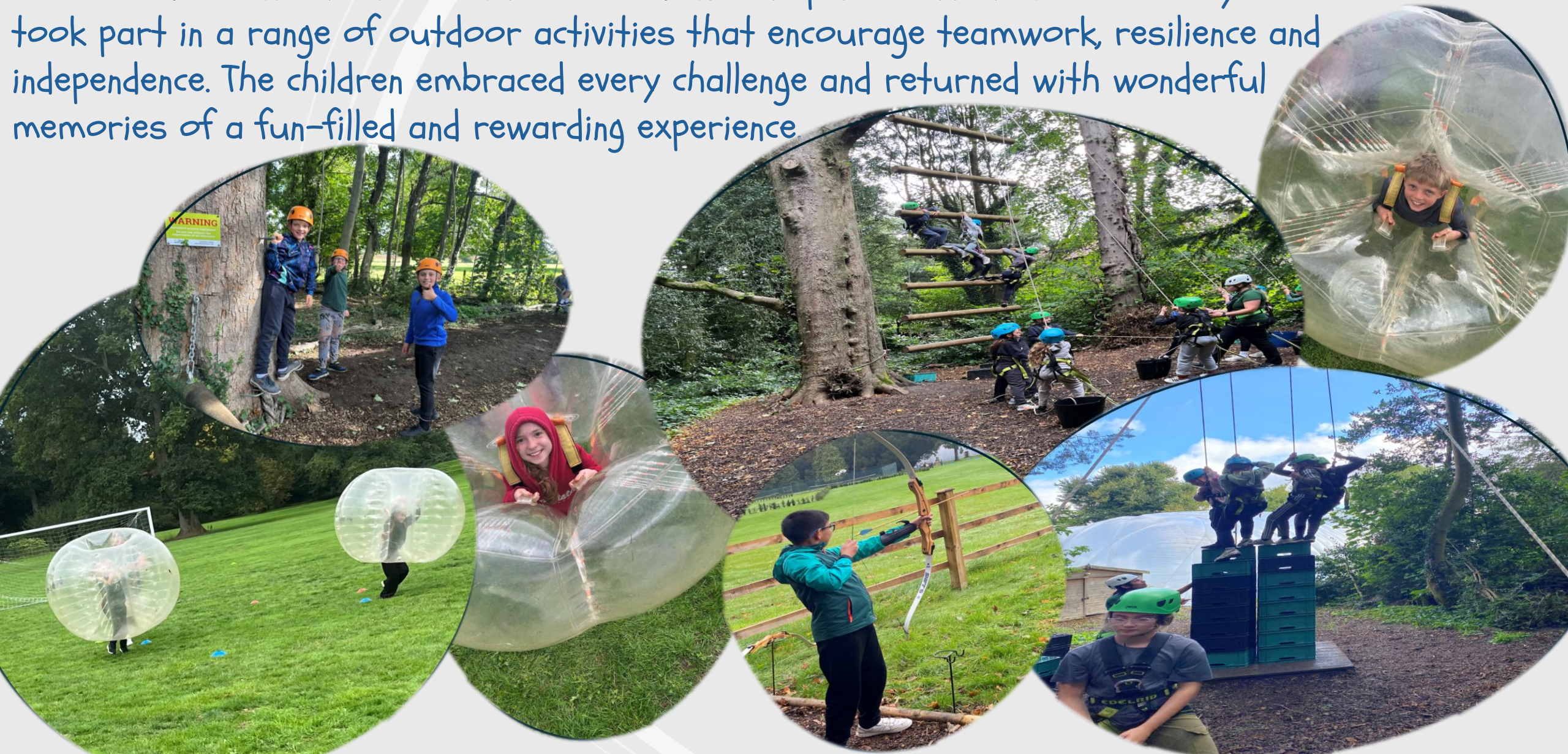
A photograph of two young children, a girl and a boy, both wearing blue school uniforms. The girl on the left is holding a small, fluffy yellow chick in her hands and looking down at it with a smile. The boy on the right is also holding a similar chick. They are sitting in front of a white wall with some faint markings. A large, semi-transparent white circle is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing the text.

Enrichment at High Wych Primary School

2025-2026

Grittleton House – Year 6 School Journey

Year 6 had a fantastic time on their residential trip to Grittleton House. They took part in a range of outdoor activities that encourage teamwork, resilience and independence. The children embraced every challenge and returned with wonderful memories of a fun-filled and rewarding experience.



Black History Week

We took part in two workshops involving African Mask Making and African Dance. To end our week - Show Racism the Red Card delivered a whole school Collective Worship and workshops for Years 4, 5 and 6.



Remembrance Day

For Remembrance Day, we gathered for a special Collective Worship service where the whole school reflected on the significance of the day and observed a three-minute silence. Year 2 created a poppy wreath and took part in a short Remembrance Service at the Memorial Hall with Reverend Alison.



School Trips

Year 6 had an enriching trip to Bletchley Park where they explored the Fascinating world of codebreaking and learned about the vital role it played during World War II.



Scooter Training

Year 1 really enjoyed taking part in their Scooter training, building confidence and practising key safety skills whilst having great fun.



Walk to School

As part of our 'Travel mode - Modeshift STARS' we take part in walk to school weeks at least twice a year. We join in with Sawbridgeworth Travel Challenge in September and the National walk to school week in May.



Sporting Events

At High Wych, we work in partnership with Birchwood and Leventhorpe sports, giving our pupils access to a wide range of competitive and collaborative sporting opportunities. Throughout the year our pupils take part in numerous events that help them build confidence and develop new skills and enjoy being active. Here are just some the sporting activities we have participated in.



Sporting Events

Football
Cross Country
Tag Rugby
Ksl Dance
Gymnastic
Tennis

Tri Golf
Boccia
Cricket
Athletic



Young Voices at the O2

Our school choir took part in Young Voices at the O2, where they had an amazing experience.



Our Choir

Our school choir not only took part at the O2 but perform in our Church services - Harvest, Christmas and Easter - they also perform in Collective Worship.



School Trips

Year 2 enjoyed their History Day learning about the Great Fire of London. They explored...



Eco Council - The Great School Bird Watch

Our Eco Council took part in the Great British Bird Watch. They enjoyed making fat ball feeders for the birds and spent a session watching the different types of birds that they saw in our school grounds. The results were then collated and sent off.



Our Special Visitors – Baby Chicks

Pear Class have had some very special visitors to look after. Each class have visited Pear class with excitement, sharing a wonderful hands-on learning experience. This shared experience sparked curiosity, thoughtful discussions and a real sense of awe across the school.



World Book Day 2026

This year, World Book Day centred around sharing a favourite bedtime story. Children came to school in their pyjamas and brought a clue about their chosen book. Everyone enjoyed guessing the stories and sharing their love for reading together.



Eco Council – National Education RHS Grant

Our Eco Council have begun to help prepare the Woodland area by planting our spring bulbs – bluebells, snowdrops and daffodils. The team carefully marked where they had planted to monitor growth and support future learning.



Eco Council – National Education RHS Grant

Our Eco Council along with Year 1 have been looking after our new 'grey to green' areas that we have changed using the Grant. Our children have been excited to journey alongside these changes and have been keen to learn some new skills.



Bikeability

Year 5 have achieved their level 1 or level 2 or both in cycling skills. Pupils stated 'It was really fun to ride on the road. They explained everything well and I survived!' and 'It was very good because you learnt things like signalling and looking behind you'.



Crucial Crew

Year 6 attended crucial crew workshop where they met multi-agencies that give them hands on experience on safety and other topics such as money. Some areas covered are water safety, fire safety, online safety, railway safety, emergency safety and games cafe to name but a few.



School Trips - Stanborough Lakes

Our Summer trips embraces an extended PE curriculum. Our Year 5 and 6 attend Stanborough Lakes where they experience water activities such as raft building, kayaking and paddle boarding.

