

## Rother outside area



The outside area for the 'Early Years' has recently been redone and the children are now thoroughly enjoying the new space.

There is a sand pit; mud pits with a wire to transport materials from one to another; a puppet theatre or shopfront; an open fronted shed; and posts to make dens. The mud kitchen is stationed next to a tap and a mesh wall so that there are opportunities to experiment and make waterfalls or mud pies. It has so many possibilities for creative play.

Reception children were recently asked what they would use one of the areas for and their written responses ranged from a 'burger café' to 'a theatre' – all of which are quite possible. It is exciting to have such a lovely space.

