



LAND BASED STUDIES (Horticulture & Conservation)

This is a two year course that will lead to an ASDAN Short Course Award in Land Based Studies

We will be working around school on our allotment and within our poly tunnel to grow vegetables and flowers. We will also be working with partners such as the Lancashire Wildlife Trust and The Young Roots Project to encourage and preserve wildlife; both on the school grounds and at locations such as Sale Water Park where Young Roots are based.

In addition to their ASDAN Award; the group will also achieve a John Muir Award. To gain this award, the young people have to discover a wild place, do something to conserve it and share their experience with others.

The whole course is portfolio based. The young people will build up a portfolio of evidence which will be internally verified.

This course is ideally suited to those who enjoy being outdoors and have an interest in the natural world.

The focus of this award is of gaining practical skills and an understanding of Ecology.