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Protest



Therfield First School protestors were out in force to make their voices heard. Picture: THERFIELD FIRST SCHOOL

Therfield First School pupils have gathered up their placards and perfected their chants to protest against the removal of 100 nature words from the latest Oxford English Dictionary.

In total, 57 pupils and seven staff chanted "save our words" as they

marched onto the village green for the rally, which was organised with the help of their outdoor school leader Alix Marschani.

Head Tara McGovern said: "Armed with our colourful placards, we attracted a small crowd that gathered outside The Fox and Duck pub.

"It is important that the

children understand they have a voice and together our message can be heard clearer.

"We provided the children with their first experience of a peaceful protest about a cause we felt very strongly about. These words are real. They are relevant. They will certainly not be deleted from our world."